



## Nursery Activities

All the new Nursery children thoroughly enjoyed their time at School. The pupils used the interactive whiteboards to practise writing different sounds they have learnt, engaged in sensory play using the sandpit and soft foam, and attempted various Mathematics games to develop and reinforce basic numeracy skills. They were all thrilled to return to Nursery and were ecstatic to see their friends!





## Physical Education (PE)

Please be advised that pupils should arrive at school in their Physical Education (PE) kits on the day of their PE lesson; they will remain in their PE kits for the whole day and thus are not required to bring in their school uniforms.

Year Groups	Day of the Week for PE
Reception	Wednesday and Friday
Year 1	Tuesday and Thursday
Year 2	Tuesday and Friday
Year 3	Wednesday and Friday
Year 4	Monday and Friday
Year 5	Monday and Friday
Year 6	Monday and Friday

## NSPCC's Kindness Challenge 2024

This October we are proud to be taking part in the NSPCC's Kindness Challenge 2024!

We will be spreading a little kindness across our school/college community by highlighting the importance of Childline, and encouraging pupils/students to be kind to each other by sharing more, talking more and playing more.

Donations to help Childline be there for more children are welcome here: <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/support-us/ways-to-give/donate/>

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## Asthma Advisory Notice

The Hillingdon Champions of Asthma Team have requested we advise parents, guardians and carers of children who suffer from asthma to ensure their children take their preventative inhaler regularly every day, even if well. This advisory has been published as this time of year normally proves to be the most troublesome time for asthmatics.

## Gordon Brown Centre - Second Instalment Due

We would like to remind all parents, guardians and carers of children in Year 6 who are attending the Year 6 residential Gordon Brown Centre, that the second instalment of £53 is due by Monday 11th November. Please make the payment via IPAYimpact by this date.

For those who would still like to attend the trip but have not yet handed in the first instalment with the reply slip, there are still spaces available. We would love as many children as possible to attend this amazing trip.

## Hampton Court Palace – Year 5 Trip

On Friday 25th October, Year 5 pupils will be attending a field trip to Hampton Court Palace in Surrey. We would like to remind parents, guardians and carers that all payments should be made through your child's iPayimpact account.



## Leading Parent Partnership Award (LPPA)

The school continues to work towards its LPPA reaccreditation. Our coordinator is Niela Bamber. Please be on the look-out for updates about our LPPA journey!



## Black History Month – October 2024

Black History Month is the annual celebration and commemoration of moments in history, achievements and contributions that Black people have made. First brought to the UK in the 1980s. Black History Month was initially introduced to the country by a member of the Greater London Council, Akyaba Addai Sebo. Since 1987, Black History Month has been celebrated annually in the UK, to eradicate discrimination and encourage racial equality. At Rosedale Primary School, we will be honouring the contributions made to society by people of Black heritage and their communities.

## Applying for Secondary School September 2025

We would like to inform all parents, guardians and carers of children born between **1st September 2013 and 31st August 2014** that the closing date for applications for Secondary School places to be received by the London Borough of Hillingdon is Thursday **31st October 2024**.

You can apply for your child's secondary school at ([www.hillingdon.gov.uk/secondary](http://www.hillingdon.gov.uk/secondary)).

## Year 6 Bikeability – 21st to 24th October

Year 6 have the opportunity to take part in the Bikeability training which promotes safe cycling. Unlike previous years, the Bikeability team are unable to provide the Dr Bike service, which allows them to look at your children's bikes to ensure they are safe and in good working order.

In this instance, they have provided us with a link to a video so you are able to check your child's bike yourselves and make any necessary repairs should they be required. You can find this information on <https://bikeability.org.uk/cycle-more/be-prepared/looking-after-your-bike>. Thank you.

## Healthy Pack Lunches

We would like to thank all our families who continue to provide their children with a healthy and nutritious packed lunch. Please be reminded that we are a healthy eating school and that the following items are not permitted in packed lunches:

- Nuts
- Chocolate/chocolate biscuits, sweets or doughnuts
- Large packets of crisps
- Fizzy drinks

Thank you for your continued support.

## Primary School Admissions 2025

We would like to inform all parents, guardians and carers of children born between 1st September 2020 and 31st August 2021 that the closing date for applications for Primary School places to be received by the London Borough of Hillingdon is Wednesday 15th January 2025.

To ensure your application arrives on time and in order to give your child the best possible chance of being offered the school of your choice, we would advise that you submit your applications prior to the Christmas holiday period. Further information can be found on ([www.hillingdon.gov.uk/primary](http://www.hillingdon.gov.uk/primary)).

## Half Term Break

The School will be closed from Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November for the Half Term holiday. The School will reopen on Monday 4th November at the normal entry times. Thank you.

 <h1 style="text-align: center;">OCTOBER TO NOVEMBER 2024</h1>		
<b>OCTOBER - Black History Month</b>		
Monday 21st to Thursday 24th		Bikeability Sessions Level 1 and 2 - Year 6
Tuesday 22nd		Individual Photographs InYear 4 - Managing Anxiety Workshop
Friday 25th		Hampton Court Trip - Year 5
Monday 28 to Friday 1st November		Half Term Break
<b>NOVEMBER</b>		
Monday 4th	8:30pm	School Begins
Tuesday 5th		Managing Anxiety Workshop - Year 5
Wednesday 6th		Nasal Flu Immunisation
Thursday 7th		Pedestrian Training - Year 4 Open Morning - New Reception Parents
Friday 8th		Great Fire Of London Workshop - Year 2
Monday 11th		Last Day to Pay GBC Second Instalment - Year 6
Tuesday 12th		Managing Anxiety workshop - Year 6 Bunker Trip - Goldcrest Class
Monday 18th	3:45pm	Open Evening - New Reception Parents
Tuesday 19th		Bunker Trip - Firecrest Class
Friday 22nd		Cupcake Workshop - Year 1
Wednesday 27th		No Pens Day
Thursday 28th		Hearing and Vision checks - Follow Up

	<b>Week Commencing: Monday 14th October</b>
	<b>MENU 3</b>

<b>MONDAY</b>		
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetarian Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Pork Sausages with Mashed Potatoes without Milk or Butter	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Orange Jelly	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
<b>TUESDAY</b>		
Meal Choice 1	Beef Lasagne with Fresh Salad	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Beef Lasagne with Fresh Salad	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetarian Lasagne with Fresh Salad	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Minced Beef with Gluten free Pasta	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Mousse	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>		
Meal Choice 1	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Baked Jacket Potato with Various Fillings	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Apple Crumble	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
<b>THURSDAY</b>		
Meal Choice 1	Cajun Chicken in Pitta Bread with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Cajun Chicken in Pitta Bread with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Roast Mediterranean Vegetables in Pitta Bread with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Cajun Chicken with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Vanilla Sponge with a Pineapple Ring and a Cherry	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
<b>FRIDAY</b>		
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with Oven Baked Potato Wedges	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with Oven Baked Potato Wedges	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Macaroni Cheese	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Fish Fingers with Gluten free Potato Wedges and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Brownie Tray Bake	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
<b>Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day</b>		

## Harvest Festival Collection - Donating Items

As in previous years, we will be supporting our local food bank for the Harvest Festival. It is more important than ever for us to be able to donate to the Food Bank given these uncertain times, no matter how big or small the donation. We would appreciate donations of any items from the list below:

- Cereals
- Soups
- Baked Beans
- Tinned Tomatoes
- Tea or Coffee
- Canned Fish
- Tinned Fruits
- Biscuits
- Fruit Juice
- Long Life Milk
- Rice
- Jam
- Dried Mashed Potatoes
- Pudding
- Sauces/Gravy

If you would like to donate any of these items, please hand them into the School Office by Tuesday 15th October.