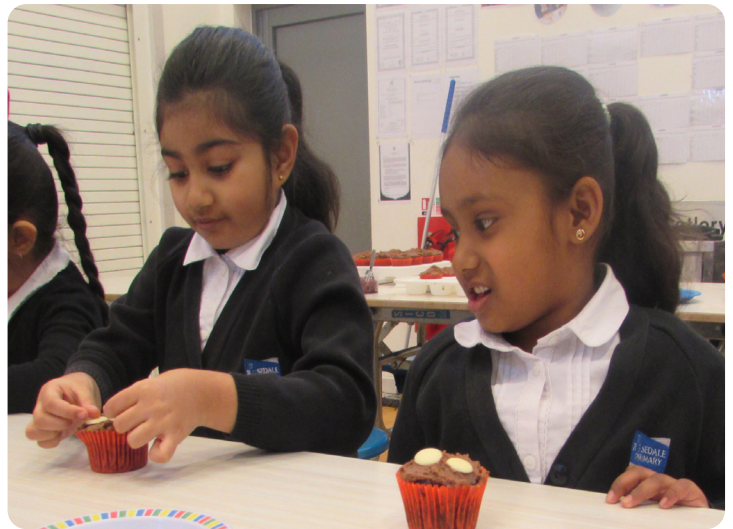




## Cup Cake Workshop



Friday 22nd November, the Year 1 pupils took part in a Christmas Cupcake Workshop delivered by Michelle Drummond, who is one of our parent governors. The children were excited to make their own reindeer cupcakes using chocolate buttons, pretzels and cherries! They showed great skill and composure as they carefully decorated the cakes and were extremely proud of what they had achieved.





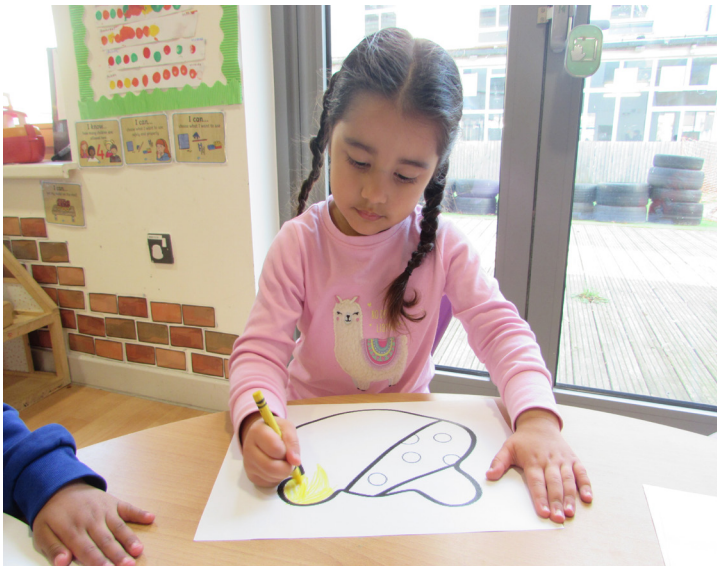
## Children in Need

On Friday 15th November, the children at Rosedale Primary School played a huge part in helping to raise money and support thousands of children in local communities across the UK for Children in Need. The charitable contribution involved them raising awareness by attending school donning spotty items just like Pudsey! There were various activities taking place throughout the day with Reception children baking enticing cookies and adorning them with Pudsey spots, and Nursery children designing their own Pudsey masks!

The Nursery children were asked what they could do to help Children in Need and some of the responses included "I am going to feed them", "take them to the doctor", "give them water" and "I am going to dance with them". To see even our youngest children displaying altruistic behaviours, supporting all those around us is truly commendable!

We would like to thank you all for your kind donations. This year, we raised a total of £85.25 for Children in Need.





## Battle of Britain Bunker Trip

Last week, our Year 6 pupils travelled back 80 years to gain a thorough understanding into the defeat of the German air force (Luftwaffe). They visited the Battle of Britain Bunker, where the underground operations room formerly used by No. 11 Group Fighter Command during the Second World War is. The children each acted as a vital presence in the control of the aircraft, as they remained stationed in an operation room with plotting sticks, plotting blocks and microphones, ready to direct fighter aircrafts against the Luftwaffe! They also discovered interesting facts about Fighter aircraft operations and how they were controlled from there throughout the war, but most notably during the Battle of Britain and on D-Day.







### Hayes Town Partnership Treasure Hunt

During the half term holiday, the Hayes Town Partnership put on a Treasure Hunt activity for the children to complete. Many of our children took part. On Wednesday 20th November, David Brough and Ajaib Puar from the Hayes Town Partnership come to present the awards to four of our children. Congratulations to Nathaniel, Fatimah, Adomas, Mantej, Atharv and Ryaan. Thanks to the Hayes Town Partnership for providing the children with this opportunity.



### School Attendance

There are many, very good reasons for ensuring children in all year groups attend school on time and on a regular basis. Good attendance means that a child:

- Keeps up with their school work
- Is better supported to meet their expected progress
- Develops better personal and social skills
- Learns life skills such as punctuality and time management

Being absent from school means that a child loses valuable learning time. In particular, excellent attendance in Year 6 is pivotal to a successful transition to secondary school. During this final year, they will prepare for and sit their end of Key Stage 2 examinations, as well as take part in lessons and activities that will help them to confidently move to the next important stage of their learning. For your information, below are some very important figures that relate children's attendance percentages to the actual number of school days missed.

98% = 4 days missed


95% = 10 days missed

90% = 19 days missed


80% = 38 days missed

Whatever year your child is in, but particularly if they are in Year 6, please ensure that medical and other appointments are made out of school hours and that they are only absent from school if they are too ill to attend. Thank you.

### Asthma Virtual Workshop



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What to do if your child is having an Asthma attack	Inhaler Techniques	Myth Busting	Common Triggers	Asthma Plans	Q&A
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SESSIONS PRESENTED BY A HILLINGDON ASTHMA NURSE

## Daylight Savings Safety Plans

We are fast approaching winter, clocks are due to go back within the week and the daylight hours are becoming shorter. Pupils may find themselves travelling to and from school in the hours of darkness over the coming months. Pupils and their parents are reminded that in order to maximise their safety on their journeys to and from school we would recommend:

- Where possible students walk/travel in pairs or groups to and from school.
  - Walk down main roads/routes that are well lit. Avoid going through parks, alleys or other unlit or poorly lit areas.
  - Ensure they are alert to the environment around them, avoid wearing headphones or being distracted by mobile phones and other devices.
  - Students should have a set route to and from school that is discussed with parents and carers.
  - Parents and carers have a personal safety conversation with their children.
- If they are concerned about their safety please call the police.

Please take a look at the Walk Safe App, to see if this is something suitable for you and your family to use. The link for the app can be found on our website:

<https://www.therosedalehewensacademytrust.co.uk/daylight-savings-safety-plans>

 <p>IF THEY ARE CONCERNED ABOUT THEIR SAFETY PLEASE CALL THE POLICE.</p>	 <p>PARENTS, GUARDIANS &amp; CARERS HAVE A PERSONAL SAFETY CONVERSATION WITH THEIR CHILDREN.</p>	 <p>WHERE POSSIBLE STUDENTS WALK/TRAVEL IN PAIRS OR GROUPS TO AND FROM SCHOOL.</p>
 <p>STUDENTS SHOULD HAVE A SET ROUTE TO AND FROM SCHOOL THAT IS DISCUSSED WITH PARENTS, GUARDIANS &amp; CARERS.</p>	 <p>WALK DOWN MAIN ROADS/ROUTES THAT ARE WELL LIT. AVOID GOING THROUGH PARKS, ALLEYS OR OTHER UNLIT OR POORLY LIT AREAS.</p>	 <p>ENSURE THEY ARE ALERT TO THE ENVIRONMENT AROUND THEM, AVOID WEARING HEADPHONES OR BEING DISTRACTED BY MOBILE PHONES AND OTHER DEVICES.</p>

## Christmas Performances

All Christmas Performances will be starting at 9:30am in the main hall. Please check the diary to see the dates of your child's Christmas Performance. These will be given out within the next week. Their class teacher will let you know if your child needs any additional clothing for their costumes.

### Prams and Buggies

Special arrangements have been made to accommodate prams and buggies during the performances. They can be parked in the corridor opposite the small hall as there is not enough space for prams to be brought into the small or main hall.

### Photography

We kindly ask everyone to be considerate and to remain seated during the children's performances, particularly when taking photographs so the view of others isn't obstructed. Thank you.

- Monday 2nd December Year 6
- Wednesday 4th December Year 5
- Friday 6th December Year 4
- Monday 9th December Year 3
- Wednesday 11th December Year 2
- Friday 13th December Year 1
- Monday 16th December Reception
- Tuesday 17th December Nursery

[All nursery children who come in the afternoon will need to come in the morning for their performance. The children will have their party in the afternoon].

## Christmas Jumper Day - Thursday 12th December

On Thursday 8th December, all the children are invited to wear their favourite Christmas jumper to school! We also respectfully request that each child brings the sum of £1 to school on this day, to help us raise as much money as possible for Water Aid, the School charity which we continue to support. We look forward to seeing lots of happy and excited children wearing their favourite Christmas jumper to school on this day and to helping this worthwhile charity make a difference to those in need! We thank you in advance for your generosity.

## Christmas Parties

All pupils will be having their Christmas parties in the next couple of weeks. The Christmas parties will be on the same day as the performances. Children are able to wear their own party clothes for the whole day. However, it is not acceptable to wear jeans, trainers, high-heeled shoes or boots.

## Gordon Brown Centre – Third 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 Thursday 12th December. 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.

## Contact Emails

Please can all parents, guardians and carers provide the School Office with their contact emails. You can do this by sending an email to the school email on [rosedaleprimary@trhat.org](mailto:rosedaleprimary@trhat.org). It is vital that all contact details for your child are kept update to so that we can inform you of school updates as well as in the event of an emergency. Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

## Chriatmas Meal



### CHRISTMAS MEAL Primary and Day Nursery School Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2024

#### MAINS

Roast Turkey  
Pork Chipolata wrapped in smoked bacon  
Rich Onion Vegetable Gravy  
Available in Halal and Non-Halal

#### VEGETARIAN

Frank Dale Frozen Mini Quiche Selection, Roasted Potatoes Sage and Onion  
Stuffing Yorkshire, Pudding  
Vegetable Goujons

#### ALL MAIN DISHES

Roasted Rosemary and Thyme Potatoes  
Sage and Onion Stuffing  
Yorkshire, Pudding  
Honey Glazed Baby Carrots  
Baby Buttered Brussels sprouts

#### DESSERT

Rich Chocolate Cake with a Callebaut Chocolate Topping Sauce  
Fresh Fruits and Yoghurts



## Start of Spring Term

Please be reminded that school commences for the spring term on Wednesday 8h January at the normal start time of 8:30am. It is essential that your children arrive on time as lessons will begin promptly. It is extremely important that every child makes a positive start to the new term!

## High School Musical Production @ The Rosedale Hewens Academy Trust

Join us for a memorable family experience this December as the The Rosedale Hewens Academy Trust presents High School Musical! Get ready to experience our talented students bring this well known and loved musical to life on stage. Don't miss out on this fantastic opportunity to support our young performers and enjoy a night filled with music, dance, and fun. Our students are delighted to be performing on 3 consecutive dates, Tuesday 3rd December, Wednesday 4th December and Thursday 5th December. The shows start at 7pm, and we welcome you to join us for drinks and concessions from 6:30pm.

The show will be located at Rosedale College. Tickets are now available to purchase via iPayimpact. Grab your tickets now and prepare for a memorable evening!

<https://www.therosedalehewensacademytrust.co.uk/high-school-musical-production>

A vibrant poster for the High School Musical production. The background is a red curtain. At the top left, it says 'THE ROSEDALE HEWENS ACADEMY TRUST'. To the right, it says 'THE ROSEDALE HEWENS ACADEMY TRUST'S PRODUCTION OF:'. Below that is the Disney logo and 'HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL'. A yellow star is on the left, and another yellow star with '7PM' is on the right. A black box on the left says 'Visit our websites to purchase your tickets!' and 'ADULTS: £6 CHILDREN: £4'. At the bottom, it says '3RD, 4TH &amp; 5TH DECEMBER 2024 @ ROSEDALE COLLEGE'. Small logos for 'ROSEDALE COLLEGE', 'PARADES', and 'ROSEDALE HEWENS ACADEMY TRUST' are visible. At the very bottom, it says 'Book by David Simpatico Based on a Disney Channel Original Movie Written by Peter Barsocchini' and 'Songs by Matthew Gerrard &amp; Robbie Nevil | Ray Cham, Greg Cham &amp; Andrew Seeley | Randy Petersen &amp; Kevin Quinn | Andy Dodd &amp; Adam Watts | Bryan Louise | David N. Lawrence &amp; Faye Greenberg | Jamie Houston | Music Adapted, Arranged and Produced by Bryan Louise'. A small note says 'This amateur production is presented by arrangement with Music Theatre International. All authorised performance materials are also supplied by MTI | www.mtishows.co.uk'. The website 'www.therosedalehewensacademytrust.co.uk/highschoolmusicalproduction' is at the bottom.


## Reading for Life – Active Learn

As a school, we continue to promote a positive relationship with reading as reading gives the children the ability to access their learning. We aim for children to find enjoyment in reading and, encourage them to read for pleasure. With this in mind, we continue to use Active Learn where the teachers regularly allocate books for each child to read. We would like all parents, guardians and carers to support their children and the School in our goal for every child to read for pleasure. Therefore, please do make sure that your child is accessing Active Learn at home and reading any books allocated to them as this is a fun and interactive way for children to access reading. If you are experiencing any problems with Active Learn, please contact the School Office.

## 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.

 <b>DECEMBER 2024</b>		
DECEMBER		
Monday 2nd	9:30am	Christmas Performance and Party - Year 6
Tuesday 4th	9:30am	Christmas Performance and Party - Year 5
Friday 6th	9:30am	Christmas Performance and Party - Year 4
Monday 9th	9:30am	Christmas Performance and Party - Year 3
Wednesday 11th	9:30am	Christmas Performance and Party - Year 2
Thursday 12th		Christmas Jumper Day NCMP - Reception and Year 6
Friday 13th	9:30am	Christmas Performance and Party - Year 1
Monday 16th	9:30am	Christmas Performance and Party - Reception
Tuesday 17th	9:30am	Christmas Performance and Party - Nursery
Thursday 19th		Hearing and Vision Screening - Reception
Friday 20th	12:30pm	Early Dismissals

	<b>Week Commencing: Monday 2nd December</b>	
	<b>MENU 1</b>	

MONDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Goujons with Homemade Oven Baked Potato Slices and Beans	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Goujons with Homemade Oven Baked Potato Slices and Beans	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Baked Jacket Potato with Various Fillings	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Chicken Goujons with Potatoes and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Strawberry Ice Cream and Fresh Strawberries	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
TUESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Spaghetti Bolognese	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Spaghetti Bolognese	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Patatouille Spaghetti	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Bolognese with Gluten free Pasta	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Jam Sponge	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
WEDNESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Macaroni Cheese	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Lightly Spiced Chicken Breast with Rice	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Lemon Tart	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
THURSDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Roast Turkey with Onion Gravy, Roast Potatoes and Stuffing	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Roast Turkey with Onion Gravy, Roast Potatoes and Stuffing	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Cauliflower and Broccoli Cheese Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Turkey Escalope with Potatoes and Gluten free Gravy	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Strawberry Jelly	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
FRIDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers with Oven Baked Potato Wedges	
Meal Choice 2	Tomato Pasta Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 3	Gluten free Fish Fingers with Gluten free Potato Wedges and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Fresh Fruit Salad	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
<i>Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day</i>		





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