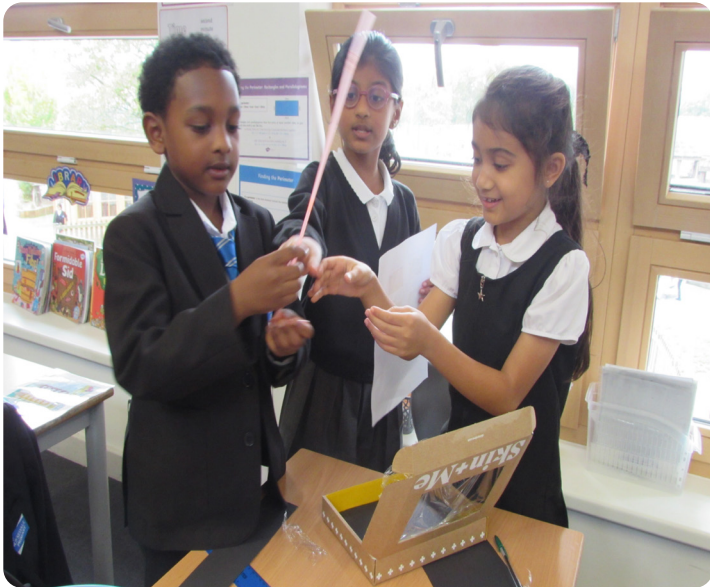




Energy Sources – Year 4 Experiment

Last week, in Year 4, our young scientists explored the topic of renewable and non-renewable energy sources through hands-on investigations. Working in groups, pupils designed and built wind-mills, wind-powered cars, water wheels, and even solar ovens to demonstrate how wind, water, and sunlight can be used to generate energy. They had an exciting time testing their creations and seeing these energy sources in action. It was a fantastic way to bring science to life and inspire curiosity about how we can power our world sustainably..





Fruit Salad

The Nursery children have been learning all about healthy eating by making their very own fruit salads! Each child hand-picked their favourite fruits and embraced the opportunity to try a variety of new flavours. They then practised their cutting skills, carefully chopping their chosen fruits into bite-sized pieces. The result was a beautiful blend of vibrant, refreshing, and delicious fruit salads, a fun and tasty way to learn about making healthy food choices!





SATs Workshop

Please note that the Year 6 SATs Workshop has been rescheduled to Tuesday 21st October at 9:30am. We warmly invite all Year 6 parents, guardians and carers to join us for this informative session, which will provide valuable insights into the SATs and how you can best support your child in the lead-up to the assessments.

Year 6 Bikeability – 10th November to 13th November

Year 6 students will have the opportunity to take part in Bikeability training, which promotes safe cycling skills. However, unlike previous years, the Bikeability team will not be able to provide the Dr Bike service this time. This service usually involves checking the children's bikes to ensure they are safe and in good working order. Instead, they have provided us with a link to a video that guides you through checking your child's bike at home. This will help you identify and make any necessary repairs before the training. You can find this information on

<https://bikeability.org.uk/cycle-more/be-prepared/looking-after-your-bike>. Thank you.

Applying for Secondary School September 2026

We would like to inform all parents, guardians and carers of children born between 1st September 2014 and 31st August 2015 that the closing date for applications for Secondary School places to be received by the London Borough of Hillingdon is 31st October 2025. You can apply for your child's secondary school at (www.hillingdon.gov.uk/secondary).

Starting secondary school

If you have a child born between
1 September 2014
and **31 August 2015**

You must apply for a school place by
31 October 2025

For full details, key dates and to apply online, visit
www.hillingdon.gov.uk/schooladmissions
or email
admissions@hillingdon.gov.uk



Flu Vaccinations – Thursday 6th November

On Thursday 6th November, our local Immunisation Team will be visiting us to offer flu vaccines to Reception to Year 6 pupils. An email has been sent out with all the information regarding this. Please note your child will only receive the vaccination if you complete the consent form via the link below:

(Hillingdon@v-uk.co.uk).

If you did not receive this email, please let us know in the School Office so we can check your email address on the system.



FLU IMMUNISATION FOR PUPILS IN SCHOOL YEARS RECEPTION - YEAR 11

Prevent your child from being seriously ill this winter!
Vaccinating is crucial in protecting them and vulnerable friends and family from flu.

NASAL VACCINE

No needles - just quick, painless, effective flu protection (contains gelatine)

OR

THE INJECTION

We offer a PORK-FREE, GELATINE-FREE injection considered a faith-friendly alternative.



Complete this form, even if you do not want the vaccine.

<https://nwl.schoolvaccination.uk/flu/2025/hillingdon>

Secondary School students only: Young people under the age of 16 can give or refuse consent themselves if considered competent to do so by nursing staff.

CONTACT THE TEAM

✉ hillingdon@v-uk.co.uk
☎ 0208 150 1220

Need more information?
Please see our FAQs sheet attached with this letter.

Or visit our website:

We endeavour to come to your child's school twice. If your child is absent or unable to be vaccinated at school, they can still receive this important vaccine by attending one of our community clinics for the vaccine.

Your consent will remain in place for the entire flu season. If your child misses a first visit, you do not need to complete a second form.

LEARN MORE

Details of these can be found on our website or you can contact the team above.

<https://www.schoolvaccinationuk/flu>
www.youtube.com/@vaccinationuk

PRIVACY POLICY

Our 2024/25 policy can be viewed here: www.schoolvaccinationuk/privacy-policy.
For data protection queries, please contact: dpo@vaccinationuk.co.uk

Primary School Admissions 2026

We would like to inform all parents, guardians and carers of children born between 1st September 2021 and 31st August 2022 that the closing date for applications for Primary School places to be received by the London Borough of Hillingdon is 15th January 2026.

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).

Individual School Photographs

The school photographer is scheduled to visit on Wednesday 5th November to take individual photographs of the children. Please be advised that children must wear full school uniform for individual photographs. For those who have Physical Education (PE) on this date, please note that this lesson will be cancelled. As such, your child must attend school in full school uniform and appropriate school shoes.

Road Safety and Traffic Congestion

We would like to say thank you to everyone for driving and parking safely when dropping off and picking your children up from school. We ask that, where possible, please avoid making any U-turns outside the front of the School. This is to minimise and ease congestion during peak times. There are roundabouts at either end of Wood End Green Road, which can be utilised to make any turns. Also, please try to avoid driving your cars on the pavements, as this is very unsafe for pedestrians. This will ensure the safety of all adults and children that use this road in the morning and afternoons. It is essential that we continue to work together in order to keep our community safe. Thank you for your continued support and cooperation.

Battle of Britain Bunker Trip – Year 6

On Tuesday 18th November, the Year 6 pupils will be visiting the Battle of Britain Bunker in Uxbridge. The pupils will be leaving school no later than 9:00am therefore they will need to arrive on time and no later than 8:45am. Thank you.

The graphic features a green background with a circular logo for 'THE ROSEDALE HEWENS ACADEMY TRUST' on the left. To the right, there are illustrations of a male and a female school uniform. A central yellow speech bubble contains the text: 'Help us to reduce our carbon footprint by donating your pre-loved school uniform! Visit our website for more information'. At the bottom, there are two white buttons with green stars and arrows, labeled 'RECYCLE' and 'RE-USE'.


Absence Reporting

In the event of your child being unable to attend school due to illness, medical appointments or under any other circumstances, please contact the School Office on 020 8573 7103 or at rosedaleprimary@trhat.org

In order for the School to ensure that all pupils are properly safeguarded, it is important for you to follow this procedure for every day your child is absent. The only exception to this is for extended periods of illness where the period of absence is explained in a note from your child's doctor or hospital. The School is required to account for all absences so please ensure your child brings a letter that verifies the reasons for their absence on their return to school. Thank you.

Half Term

The School will be closed from Monday 27th to Friday 31st October for the Half Term holiday. The School will reopen on Monday 3rd November at the normal entry times.

 <h3>OCTOBER TO NOVEMBER 2025</h3>		
OCTOBER - Black History Month		
Monday 20th	9:30am	Guided Tour Open Morning
Tuesday 21st	9:30am	SATs Workshop - Year 6 Parents
	9:30am	Hearing and Vision Follow Up - Reception
Friday 24th		Hampton Court Trip - Year 5
		Cultural Celebration - Dress Up Day
Monday 27th to Friday 31st		Half Term Break
NOVEMBER		
Wednesday 5th		Individual School Photograph
Thursday 6th		Flu Vaccination
Monday 10th to Thursday 13th		Bikeability Training Level 1 and 2 - Year 6
Monday 10th to Friday 14th		National Recycling Week
		Anti - bullying Week
Tuesday 11th	9:30am	Maths Workshop - Year 1 and 2 Parents
		Hearing and Vision Test - Reception
		Remembrance Day
Thursday 13th	4:00pm	Guided Tour Open Evening
Friday 14th		Children In Need - Spotty Day
Tuesday 18th		Battle Of Britain Bunker Trip - Year 6
Friday 21st		Cupcake Workshop - Year 1
Wednesday 26th		French Market - KS1
Thursday 27th		French Market - KS2

	Week Commencing: Monday 20th October MENU 4	
	MONDAY	
Meal Choice 1	Spaghetti Bolognese	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Spaghetti Bolognese	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Mediterranean Pasta Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Bolognese with Gluten free Pasta	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Raspberry Jelly	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
TUESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Beans	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Beans	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	Jam and Coconut Sponge	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
WEDNESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Diced Lamb with Noodles and Vegetable Stir Fry	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Diced Lamb with Noodles and Vegetable Stir Fry	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetable Stir Fry with Noodles	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Diced Lamb with Vegetable Stir Fry	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Vanilla Ice Cream with Peaches	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
THURSDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes, Stuffing and Onion Gravy	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes, Stuffing and Onion Gravy	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Cheese and Onion Tart	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes and Gluten free Gravy	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Sponge	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
FRIDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with Potato Wedges	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with 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	Custard Tart	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
<i>Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day</i>		



Guided Tours at Rosedale Primary School



Book A Spot On Our Website!

Visit us to see why Rosedale Primary School is a perfect first choice...

Morning

Monday 20th October 2025
9:30am

Afternoon

Thursday 13th November 2025
4:00pm





“Pupils are happy and safe in this school. They are eager to come to school every day because they get to learn new things”

- Ofsted 2023

www.rosedaleprimary.co.uk