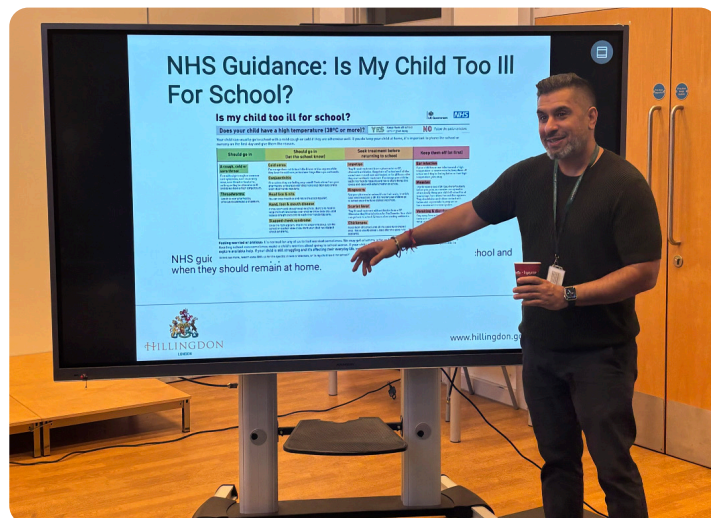


Attendance Meeting

On Friday 2nd October, we held a parents' meeting to highlight the importance of regular school attendance and the positive impact it has on children's learning, progress and overall development. We were pleased to welcome Nims Virdy from the Hillingdon Attendance Office, who answered parents' questions and provided valuable advice and guidance on matters relating to school attendance. A big thank you to all the parents, guardians and carers who took the time to attend and engage in this important discussion. Your support and partnership play a vital role in ensuring our children make the most of every learning opportunity! **Every day in school counts!**



Autumn Explorers

The Reception children loved exploring our autumn treasures, carefully investigating colourful leaves, conkers and pine cones. Their excitement and curiosity shone through as they shared their discoveries and talked about the wonderful changes that autumn brings.



Celebrating Autumn - KS1

Our KS1 pupils have been busy enjoying one of their favourite autumn activities! They loved collecting colourful autumn leaves and using their creativity to paint them in beautiful colours as part of our autumn display. It was a wonderful hands-on learning experience, allowing children to explore the changing seasons, develop their creativity and express themselves through art. Everyone had a fantastic time, and they are so proud of their beautiful autumn creations!



Black History Month – October 2026

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, Akyaaba 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

We would like to inform all parents, guardians and carers of children born between 1st September 2015 and 31st August 2016 that the closing date for applications for Secondary School places to be received by the London Borough of Hillingdon is 31st October 2026. You can apply for your child's secondary school at (www.hillingdon.gov.uk/secondary). You will receive information with regard to applying for your child starting secondary school shortly via email.

Starting secondary school

September 2027

For Hillingdon residents only

Apply online at

www.hillingdon.gov.uk/schooladmissions
Closing date for applications is Saturday 31 October 2026



Year 6 Bikeability – 19th October to 22nd 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.

Save the Date





COFFEE Morning

Friday 6th November 2026
9:00am

Our Coffee Morning will provide parents, guardians and carers with an opportunity to meet and speak with representatives from a range of support services, including:

Hillingdon Attendance Office
Trust Safeguarding Lead
Hillingdon Libraries
Trust SEND Officer
NHS School Nurses
Mental Health Support Nurse
Hillingdon Stronger Families Hub

Ask questions and find out more about the support available to you and your family.

School Photographs

The individual school photograph proofs have been provided to each child to take home, if you have not received this, please let us know at the School Office.

Orders will be limited to online ordering only, directly to Fraser Portraits via (<https://orderphotos.co.uk/welcome>), or over the phone at 01202 692433. You will be required to log in with your account details or enter your proof card identification/registration code to be able to make payments. Orders must be placed by Friday 30th October 2026 in order to receive free delivery back to the School.

Unfortunately, any order received after this date will need to be ordered directly to Fraser Portraits and will incur an additional surcharge of £4.00 per pack. For all orders placed after the deadline date, packs will be sent directly to your home address.

Hampton Court Palace Trip – Year 5

On Friday 23rd 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.

	Week Commencing: <i>Monday 19th October</i>
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
Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day		



OCTOBER TO NOVEMBER 2026

OCTOBER		
Monday 19th to Thursday 22nd		Bikeability Training - Year 6
Tuesday 20th		SATs Information Parents Workshop - Year 6
Wednesday 21st		Tapestry Workshop - EYFS Parents
Thursday 22nd		Festive Dress Up Day - EYFS
Friday 23rd		Hampton Court Palace Trip - Year 5
Monday 26th	9:00am to 12:00pm	Booster Club - Invitation Only
Monday 26th to Friday 30th		Half Term Break
NOVEMBER		
Tuesday 2nd		Bunker Trip - Year 6
Wednesday 4th		Be Bright Be Seen Day
Friday 6th	9:00am to 10:15am	Parents Coffee Morning