

### Christmas Performance - Year 4



On Monday 5th December, the Romans arrived in full force to announce the birth of a King in the Year 4 Christmas performance. They proudly demonstrated their knowledge of history with confidence. Thank you to all parents, guardians and carers for your support and attendance.



### Christmas Performance - Year 3



Wednesday 7th December, Year 3 performed 'Children of the World' with enthusiasm and confidence. They demonstrated how different countries across the world celebrate Christmas and were able to reiterate the message of peace and our commonalities. After working hard for their performance, they all enjoyed a jolly afternoon with fun festivities at their Christmas Party to celebrate all they have achieved.





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## Battle of Britain Bunker Trip - Year 6

On Tuesday 6th December, the Year 6 children 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.



## Christmas Performance - Year 2

On Friday 9th December, our Year 2 children reported the sighting of aliens that had landed at Rosedale Primary School! This close encounter led our Year 2 children to invite the aliens in to satisfy their inquiries about the meaning of Christmas. They achieved this by acting out the reasons why Christmas is celebrated and persuaded the aliens to enjoy the festivities. In the afternoon, the children enjoyed their Christmas party, especially after all the hard work they put into their full-fledged performance in the morning!



## Christmas Message from Mrs Bamber

Thank you for all your support and understanding during these uncertain times, particularly for your messages of appreciation and support.

Our thoughts and prayers go out to all those people and children who are ill due to coronavirus or other medical needs. We keep in our prayers those experiencing conflict in the countries they live in and are looking for safety.

All of our children shown a great amount of resilience and resourcefulness. This has been evident in their Christmas Performances, which they perform with excitement and joy. Your children have also shown their attributes in supporting Children in Need and raising money for Water Aid. They have shown themselves into making decorations for the lovely pine tree which is glistening magically with a variety of colours showcasing the decorations they have all made. Santa made time to pop in and wish them well.

From myself and all our staff and children at Rosedale Primary School and The Rosedale Hewens Academy Trust, we wish you a safe, joyful Christmas celebration and a happy new year.

## Parents Consultation

The online Parent Consultations will take place via your child's Microsoft Teams account on Tuesday 3rd and Wednesday 4th January 2023. Each child will have received a letter confirming the date and time of their appointment, as well as including your child's Microsoft Teams email.

Each appointment is 10 minutes long, therefore, please ensure you login with sufficient time to allow the appointments to run smoothly and on schedule. If you miss your appointment slot, you will need to contact the School Office to rearrange another time to speak with your child's class teacher. If you do not have access to Microsoft Teams and would like to speak with the class teacher face to face, please speak to the School Office who can assist you.

Should you have any questions regarding Parent Consultations, please feel free to contact the School Office. Thank you

## Primary School Admission 2023

We would like to inform all parents, guardians and carers of children born between 1st September 2018 and 31st August 2019 that the closing date for applications for Primary School places to be received by the London Borough of Hillingdon, by post or online, is midnight on Sunday 15th January 2023. 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. The London Borough of Hillingdon states on their website that they cannot be held responsible for any delays in applications due to problems with postal or Internet service providers. Further information can be found on (<https://www.hillingdon.gov.uk/primary>) or by telephoning the School Placement and Admission Team at the Civic Centre, Uxbridge on 01895 556644.

## After School Care

We would like to remind families that our Wrap Around Care service is a charged service we offer for working parents, guardians and carers. Those who would like to make use of our wrap around care provision will be charged as follows:

- Breakfast Club: 8:00am to staggered start time, £1 per day, per child which includes toast and juice.
- After School Club: staggered end time to 5:20pm (prompt), £6 per day, per child, which includes a snack, sandwich, piece of fruit and a drink.

If you would like your child to attend After School Care, please let us know what days you would like for breakfast and after school care by picking up a form at the School Office. Please note cash payment must be made in advance to the school office. Thank you

		Week Commencing: <i>Monday 2nd January</i> <b>MENU 3</b>	
<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	<i>Vanilla Sponge with a Pineapple Ring and a Cherry</i>	<i>Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts</i>	
<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	<i>Chocolate Brownie Tray Bake</i>	<i>Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts</i>	
<i>Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day</i>			

## Christmas Performance – Thank You

We would like to thank all our parents, guardians and carers who came to watch the children in their Christmas Performances. Although, we were unable to accommodate all those who wished to attend, we are grateful that our children were still able to proudly showcase to you what they have been working on this term. The Christmas DVDs will be going on sale in the new term, so please keep a look out for these when we return!

## School Shoes

We have noticed that some children are coming to school wearing trainers and incorrect school shoes. All children are expected to wear plain black shoes. Thank you.

		<b>JANUARY 2023</b>	
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Tuesday 3rd and Wednesday 4th	Parents Consultation 1pm to 5:30pm		
Thursday 5th	Term Begins		
Thursday 12th	NCMP (Reception & Year 6)		
Thursday 12th	Young Voices Parents Meeting		
Monday 16th to Friday 20th	Life Education Hillingdon		
Monday 16th	Year 3 Pedestrian Training		
Tuesday 17th	Young Voices		
Thursday 19th	Year 4 Pedestrian Training		
Monday 23rd	Year 5 Pedestrian Training		