ROSEDALE PRIMARY

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SCHOOL NEWS

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Cupcake Workshop



On Friday 20th November, our Year 1 pupils enjoyed a festive Christmas Cupcake Workshop, led by our Parent Governors, Michelle Drummond and Priya Thakkar. The pupils had great fun creating their very own reindeer cupcakes using chocolate buttons, pretzels and cherries! They demonstrated wonderful concentration and creative skills. The pupils were absolutely delighted with their creations and very proud of what they had achieved.













Pedestrian Training - Year 5

On Tuesday 10th November, the Year 5 pupils will be taking part in pedestrian training which is delivered by staff from the London Borough of Hillingdon. The pedestrian training is part of the school's efforts to promote and encourage road safety, and active and sustainable travel. As part of the training, the children will be leaving the school site. Please ensure your child comes to school wearing their full school uniform and is wearing the appropriate outdoor attire as part of the session will take place outside.











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, 18th November, David Brough and Ajaib Puar from the Hayes Town Partnership visited our school to present the award to the first prize winner. Thanks to the Hayes Town Partnership for providing the children with this opportunity.



Children in Need – Spreading Kindness and Making a Difference!

On Friday 13th November, the children at Rosedale Primary School joined in the fun to support BBC Children in Need, helping to raise money for children and young people in communities across the UK. The school was filled with spots as pupils and staff came dressed in their spotty outfits and accessories, just like Pudsey Bear, to show their support for this wonderful cause! A range of exciting activities took place throughout the day. As part of the day, our Nursery children were also asked what they could do to help other children in need. Their heartwarming responses included, "I am going to feed them", "take them to the doctor", "give them water" and "I am going to dance with them!" These thoughtful comments showed that even our youngest children are beginning to understand the importance of kindness, compassion and helping others. It was truly lovely to see such caring attitudes!

We would like to say a huge thank you to all our families for their generous donations and support. Thanks to your kindness, we raised an amazing £83.85 for BBC Children in Need.

Well done, everyone, for helping to make a difference!

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.

Wednesday 2nd December Year 6
Friday 4th December Year 5
Monday 7th December Year 4
Wednesday 9th December Year 3
Friday 11th December Year 2
Monday 14th December Year 1
Tuesday 15th December Reception

Primary School Admissions 2026

We would like to inform all parents, guardians and carers of children born between 1st September 2022 and 31st August 2023 that the closing date for applications for Primary School places to be received by the London Borough of Hillingdon is 15th January 2027. 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.

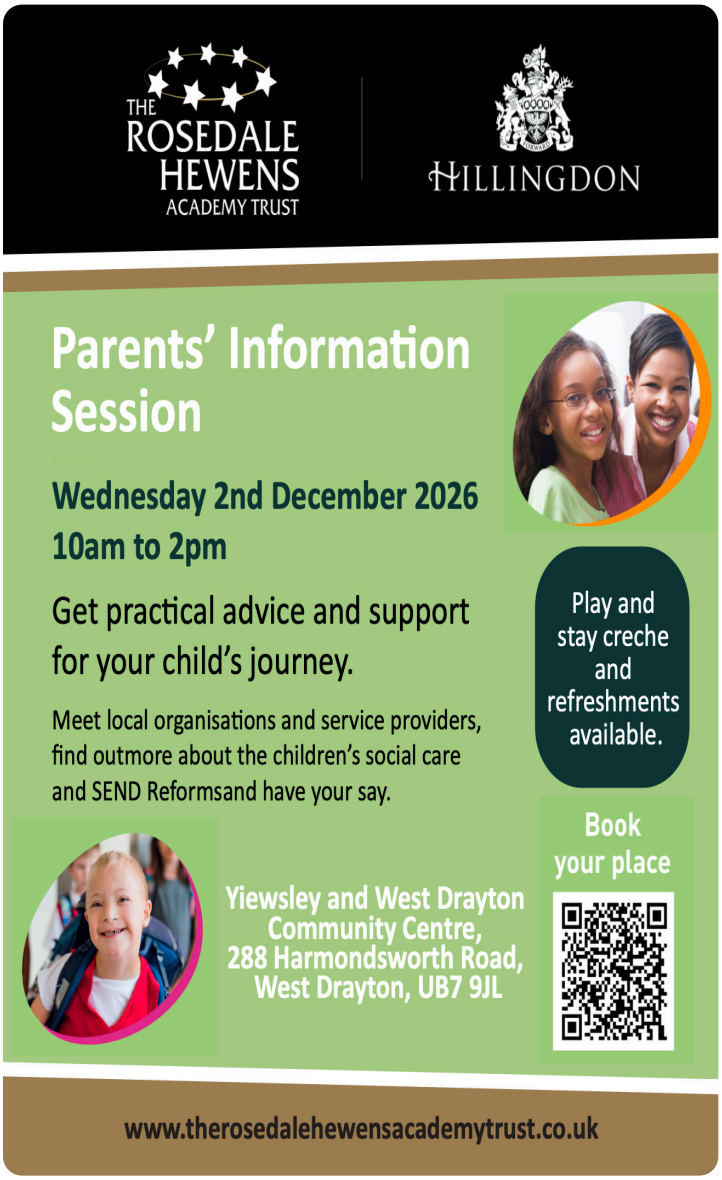
Recycle, Re-Use – School Uniform

In order to tackle the rapidly growing global environmental challenges for a sustainable future, we aim to normalise the reusing of pre-loved school uniform in order to reduce our carbon footprint. This is a great opportunity for our school to embed environmental awareness within our school community, strengthen our green credentials and extend the lifespan of our uniforms whilst supporting a recycling culture.

Should you have any unwanted items of uniform in wearable condition, please donate these to your child's school. Thank you

Parents' Information Session

Parents, guardians and carers are invited to attend a free Parents' Information Session taking place on Wednesday 2nd December 2026, from 10.00am to 2.00pm at the Yiewsley and West Drayton Community Centre, 228 Harmondsworth Road, West Drayton, UB7 9JL. This drop-in event offers practical advice and support to help families navigate their child's journey, with opportunities to meet local organisations and service providers, learn more about Children's Social Care and SEND reforms, and share feedback on services available across Hillingdon. A play-and-stay crèche and refreshments will be available throughout the session, making it easier for parents, guardians and carers to attend. We encourage any families who may benefit from this support to come along and find out more. For more information, please visit our website:
https://www.therosedalehewensacademytrust.co.uk/news-and-events-1/latest-news/hillingdon-parent-drop-in-event-for-families-of-children-with-send



Cygnet Autism Support Programmes for Parents and Carers

Parents, guardians and carers of autistic children and young people aged 5 to 18 years old are invited to attend two free information sessions delivered by Cygnet Autism Support in partnership with Barnardo's and the London Borough of Hillingdon. These supportive workshops provide practical advice, strategies and guidance to help families navigate some of the challenges that can arise at home.

The Sleep Programme

Date: Wednesday 5 May 2027

Time: 9:30am - 2:30pm

Explore sleep patterns, practical sleep strategies, sensory influences, anxiety and ways to support the wellbeing of the whole family.

The Siblings Programme

Date: Wednesday 10 February 2027

Time: 9:30am - 2:30pm

Learn about sibling relationships, the impact of autism within families, and practical ways to support the needs and wellbeing of all children.

Both sessions will take place at CR3, Civic Centre, Uxbridge and are free to attend. Please scan the QR codes on the poster to reserve your place..



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 third instalment of £40 is due by Wednesday 9th 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.

uSports Christmas Holiday Camp at Rosedale Primary School

Looking for an active and fun way to keep your child entertained during the Christmas holidays? uSports will be running a Multi-Sports Holiday Camp at Rosedale Primary School, offering children the opportunity to take part in a variety of exciting sports, games and team activities in a safe and supportive environment. The camp is open to children from Reception to Year 7 (ages 4 to 12 years old), with sessions running from 9.00am to 3.00pm and drop-off available from 8.30am. Eligible families can also take advantage of free HAF-funded places, ensuring children have access to engaging activities, healthy food and opportunities to stay active throughout the holiday period. Families can book online and benefit from tax-free childcare and sibling discounts. To book your place please scan the QR code on the poster or visit their website: https://u-sports.co.uk/holiday-clubs/hillingdon-rosedale-sports-camp





DECEMBER 2026

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Tuesday 1st	9:00am	Onine Safety - Parents Workshop
Wednesday 2nd	9:30am	Christmas Performance - Year 6
Friday 4th	9:30am	Christmas Performance - Year 5
		Lille and Go Ape Trip- Year 4
Monday 7th	9:30am	Christmas Performance - Year 4
Wenesday 9th	9:30am	Christmas Performance - Year 3
Thursday 10th	9:30am	Christmas Performance - Nursery
		Christmas Jumper Day
Friday 11th	9:30am	Christmas Performance - Year 2
		Flu Vaccination - Second Visit
Monday 14th	9:30am	Christmas Performance - Year 1
Tuesday 15th	9:30am	Christmas Performance - Reception
Wednesday 16th		Christmas Lunch
Friday 18th		Early Dismissals

CHRISTMAS MEAL
Rosedale Primary

Wednesday 16th December 2026

Mains
Roast Norfolk Turkey in Rich Onion Gravy
(Available in Halal and Non Halal)

Vegetarian
Cheddar Cheese, Tomato and Basil Quiche

All Main Dishes Served With
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 Caramel Fudge Sauce
Fresh Fruits and Yoghurts

Week Commencing: *Monday 30th November*

MENU 1

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	Ratatouille 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*
Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day		

Holiday Requests During Term Time

Children's absence during term time will only be approved in exceptional circumstances. Any planned term time leave of absence, must be requested in writing to the Headteacher prior to any travel arrangements being made. In such circumstances, please contact the School Office and request a Leave of Absence Form, which must be completed and returned to the School Office prior to the absence.

Evidence is required to support the request. You will be notified if your request is approved as soon as possible. If the absence is not approved but taken, it will be recorded as unauthorised. Please be aware that unauthorised absences could result in the issue of a fixed penalty fine and/or prosecution by the Local Authority. If you have any questions or require any further information about this procedure, please contact the School Office. Thank you.

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.