



Scary Costume Day

Tuesday, 31st October was **Scary Costume Day** for the children in **Nursery and Reception**. They came dressed to impress in their most outrageous costumes. The children also took photos at the scary photo booth and showed their skills as they carved pumpkins. They all had an amazing day.



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Year 1 Library Visit

On **Thursday, 2nd November**, **Year 1** visited **Yeading Library** to learn about the amazing free services provided by our local libraries. The children took part in a colouring challenge and learned all about the library. They learned about how to become a member of the library, how many books you can take out, how the books are organised and much more. The children read stories with the librarian and had a wonderful time. Thank you to all of our lovely parents who came to join the library for free.



The librarian, Mr Woodward, was so happy to see so many new people signing up to the library to encourage their children to start a lifelong love of reading. Let us continue supporting our children to become skilled avid readers. Well done, Year 1 children and parents!

To our parents, if you did not get a chance to sign up on the visit, you can go to the library with two proof of address or get an application form from a Year 1 class teacher.



Fireworks!

In celebration of **Bonfire Night**, the children in **Years 1 and 2** got creative and designed their interpretation of what a fireworks-filled night looked like to them. Their art work brought out a playful and fun side to them as they excitedly created their bursts of colours which brightened the night's sky!



Key Stage 2 Young Writers Achievements

Our **Key Stage 2** children entered their creative poems in the **“This is Me- My World In Words” Young Writers Competition**. We are happy to announce that five of them were successfully chosen to represent the school and have their poems published in the fantastic collection on the **5th of January 2024**. The editor was impressed with their writing and pointed out that it was clear that we have really inspired and engaged the children with poetry. Congratulations to these spectacular poets and their teachers for all their hard work!



Library Visit - Year 2

On **Thursday 16th November**, Year 2 pupils will be visiting **Yeading Library**. During the library visit, your child will have the opportunity to read and discuss stories. Parents, guardians and carers are invited to come along on this visit to learn more about the library and have an opportunity to register and join the Library.

BBC Children in Need Charity Event – *Non-Uniform Day*

All parents, guardians and carers are invited to a **Cake Sale on Friday, 17th November** to support our 'Children in Need Charity'. As a school, we teach our pupils the importance of giving back within the society, especially to those who are less fortunate. Children in Need Charity is now in its 36th Year! We look forward to continued parental support as you make a difference in someone's life. Show how you can Be Spotacular!



Years 1 & 2 Phonics and 6 SATs Practice Papers

We would like to remind parents, guardians and carers that children in **Years 1 and 2 will practise for their Phonics tests, whilst Year 6 will sit mock SATs papers** during the week commencing **Monday 13th November**. It is also extremely important that they attend school every day. Please also remember that a good breakfast is always an essential meal for children before school, but in particular when they are sitting any form of assessments. Research has shown that children who eat a healthy breakfast and have a good night's rest have improved alertness, concentration, mental performance, mood and memory. We wish all our children every success in their tests!



Junior Leaders Pinning Ceremony

On **Wednesday, 22nd November**, the children will participate in a **Junior Leaders Pinning Ceremony** where they will be recognised and celebrated for their appointed leadership positions.

It will be a day dedicated to honouring the pupils and entrusting them with important responsibilities in representing the School. **Please note that this event will be by invitation only.**

LPPA Reaccreditation

We are excited to announce that our school has been reaccredited for the **Leading Parent Partnership Award!** This is an incredible and remarkable accomplishment that demonstrates the dedicated and collaborative driving force of our entire school community.

As we look to the future, we are determined to build on this success and push even harder. We will enhance our interactions, communication and partnership with you, our parents, to ensure that our children are provided with the best opportunities and learning possible - nothing less than excellence! Let's keep up the great work, together!

Primary School Admissions 2024

We would like to inform all parents, guardians and carers of **children born between 1st September 2019 and 31st August 2020** that the closing date for applications for Primary School places to be received by the London Borough of Hillingdon is **Monday 15th January 2024**.

To ensure your application arrives on time and to give your child the best possible chance of being offered the school of your choice, we would advise that you submit your applications before the Christmas holiday period. Further information can be found at (www.hillingdon.gov.uk/primary).

School Uniform - Cold Weather

Now that the weather is getting wet and cold, we will need to work together to make sure that our standard of uniform does not slip. Whilst it is helpful and sensible for children to come to school in warm coats, jumpers and even Wellington boots, they must have their full school uniform (including blazers) and black school shoes with them every day. Thank you.



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Childhood Asthma

FREE Online Workshops

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What's Included In The Workshop ?

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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SESSION PRESENTED BY A HILLINGDON ASTHMA NURSE


BROOKSIDE PRIMARY

Week Commencing: *Monday, 13th 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	Potatouille 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.



November and December 2023

NOVEMBER		
Saturday, 11th	Remembrance Day	
Sunday, 12th	Diwali	
Monday, 13th - Friday, 17th	Anti-Bullying Week	
Monday, 13th - Friday, 17th	Mock Exams- Years 1, 2 & 6	
Thursday, 16th	Yeading Library Visit- Year 2	
Friday, 17th	Children in Need- (Non-Uniform Day)	
Friday, 17th	Indian Dance Workshop- EYFS	
Sunday, 19th - Friday, 24th	Road Safety Week	
Monday 20th - Tuesday 21st	Year 6 Bikeability	
Wednesday, 22nd	Junior Leaders Pinning Ceremony	
Thursday, 23rd	Hounslow Jamia Masjid & Islamic Centre Trip- Year 2 Kiev	
Friday, 24th	Sea Life Aquarium Trip Year 4	
Monday, 27th	Great Fire of London Workshop- Year 2	
Tuesday, 28th	Prehistoric Workshop- Year 3	
Tuesday, 28th	Hounslow Jamia Masjid & Islamic Centre Trip- Year 2 Ankara	
Thursday, 30th	Mobile Planetarium Visit Workshop- Years 1 and 5	
Thursday, 30th	St. Andrew's Day	
DECEMBER		
Friday, 1st - Friday, 8th	Rising Stars Assessment Week	
Tuesday, 5th	Parents Phonics Workshop- Year 1	
Wednesday, 6th	9:10 am	Year 1 Carolling and Tree Trimming
Wednesday, 6th	2:45 pm	Year 2 Carolling and Tree Trimming
Wednesday, 6th - Thursday, 7th		Last Days of After School Fun Clubs
Thursday, 7th		Hearing and Vision Screening- Reception
Thursday, 7th		Christmas Jumper Day- (Non-Uniform Day)
Thursday, 7th	9:10 am	Year 3 Carolling and Tree Trimming
Thursday, 7th	2:45 pm	Year 4 Carolling and Tree Trimming
Friday, 8th	9:10 am	Year 5 Carolling and Tree Trimming
Friday, 8th	2:45 pm	Year 6 Carolling and Tree Trimming
Monday, 11th	9:10 am	Reception Carolling and Tree Trimming
Tuesday, 12th	11:00 am	Nursery AM Carolling and Tree Trimming
Tuesday, 12th	3:00 pm	Nursery PM Carolling and Tree Trimming
Wednesday, 20th	1:00 pm	Christmas Class Parties
Thursday, 21st		End of Term (Early Dismissal)