

Volcanos

As part of our Geography lessons, pupils in year 4 engaged in a fun and educational activity to construct their own volcano models. The goal was to help pupils understand the structure and eruption process of volcanoes through a creative, hands-on project. After the activity, pupils shared their observations and discussed the eruption process they'd simulated. They talked about how this simple reaction was a model for real volcanic activity, linking back to what we'd learned about magma pressure, gas build-up, and eruption force.



Congratulations to our star readers and artists!

This month, we are thrilled to celebrate our 'Reader of the Month' awardees, who have shown outstanding dedication to reading. Keep up the fantastic work, readers! We also want to applaud our Eco Council Poster Competition winners, who impressed us with their creativity and passion for the environment. These students earned prizes for their incredible

posters that inspire us all to take care of our planet. Well done to all of our winners - keep shining!



Walk Around Uxbridge

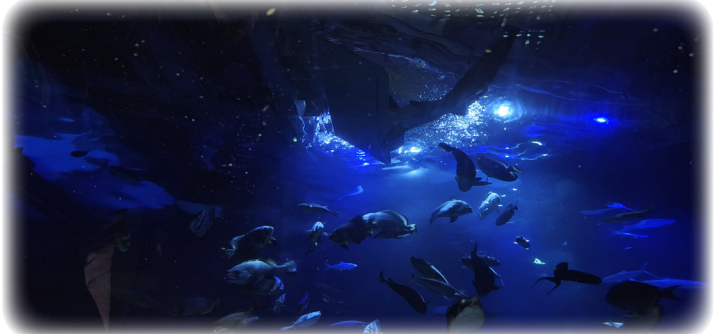


On Tuesday 22nd October, and Thursday 24th October, Year 2 pupils did a walk around Uxbridge to learn about the physical and human features and services located in Uxbridge. Pupils visited the public services and shops and learnt which goods and services they provide. By the end of the day, pupils were able to talk about their area and could name some of the places they have visited in Uxbridge. Great job Year 2!



Under the Sea!

One Friday, 8th November, our Year 4 students enjoyed an exciting day at SEA LIFE Aquarium! The trip was a fantastic hands-on learning experience where students had the opportunity to explore the wonders of marine life and gain a deeper understanding of ocean ecosystems. The students were thrilled to see a variety of marine creatures up close, from playful sea turtles to mesmerising jellyfish. They participated in interactive sessions where they learned about the importance of marine conservation and how each of us can help protect our oceans.



High School Musical Production @ The Rosedale Hewens Academy Trust



Join us for a memorable family experience this December as the The Rosedale Hewens Academy Trust presents High School Musical! Get ready to experience our talented students bring this well known and loved musical to life on stage. Don't miss out on this fantastic opportunity to support our young performers and enjoy a night filled with music, dance, and fun. Our students are delighted to be performing on 3 consecutive dates, Tuesday 3rd December, Wednesday 4th December and Thursday 5th December. The shows start at 7pm, and we welcome you to join us for drinks and concessions from 6:30pm. The show will be located at Rosedale College. Tickets are now available to purchase via iPayimpact. Grab your tickets now and prepare for a memorable evening! <https://www.therosedalehewensacademytrust.co.uk/high-school-musical-production>

Primary School Admissions 2025

We would like to inform all parents, guardians and carers of children born between 1st September 2020 and 31st August 2021 that the closing date for applications for Primary School places to be received by the London Borough of Hillingdon is Wednesday, 15th January 2025. 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 (<https://nwl.schoolvaccination.uk/flu/2024/hillingdon>). You will receive information with regard to applying for your child starting primary school shortly via email.

Individual Photograph Orders

We have handed out order forms for all pupils individual photographs. Please note that the deadline for ordering is on Monday 18th November 2024. All orders after this will be charged. postage. If you would like to purchase a photograph please ensure you pay before this deadline to receive the photographs by 29th November 2024.

Food Bank & Harvest Festival Collection - Donating Items

In celebration of World Food Day which happened on 16th October 2024 and Harvest Festival, we will be supporting our local food bank. It is more important than ever for us to be able to donate to the Food Bank given these uncertain times, no matter how big or small the donation. We would appreciate donations of any items from the list below:

- Canned Meat
- Noodles or pasta
- Baked Beans
- Tinned Tomatoes
- Cereals & Oats
- Fruit Juice - Soups/ Instant Noodles
- Long Life Milk
- Instant potato mix Tinned Vegetables
- Vegetarian options
- Canned Fish
- Tinned Fruits
- Sauces/Gravy
- Razors for men and women
- Sugar and honey
- Pasta Sauces
- Tinned Pudding
- Powered milk
- Cooking Oil
- Toilet Rolls
- Deodorant
- Toothbrush
- Peanut butter
- Shower gel or soap
- Rice
- Savoury Crackers
- Toothpaste
- Tea or Coffee
- Shower gel or soap
- Canned Fruit
- Fruit juice
- Jam
- Pudding

If you would like to donate any of these items, please hand them into the School Office or your child's class teacher by Friday 22nd November 2024. We greatly appreciate your support. Thank you in advance.

Whole School Immunisation

On Tuesday 26th November 2024, our local Immunisation Team will be visiting Brookside to offer flu vaccines to all pupils in Reception to Year 6. An email was sent to all regarding this. Please note your child will only receive the vaccination if you complete the consent form via the link below: (<https://nwl.schoolvaccination.uk/flu/2024/hillingdon>) or hand in the leaflet that was sent to all parents to either your child's class teacher or the office.

BBC Children in Need - Non Uniform

Get ready to join us in supporting BBC Children in Need with a fun-filled non-uniform day on Friday, 15th November! All students are invited to come to school in non uniform and bring a £1 contribution to help make a difference in the lives of children and young people across the UK. Every penny raised will go directly to BBC Children in Need, funding vital projects that provide resources, support, and opportunities for children who need it most. It's a small contribution, but together, we can make a huge impact!

Brookside Primary School Guided Tours

We would like to thank all individuals who attended our Open Evening on Monday 11th November 2024. We would like to invite you to our last slot for a personal Guided Tour of our school on Wednesday 20th November at 4:00pm. **Book your visit today!** <https://www.brooksideprimarysch.co.uk/open-days>



AUTUMN TERM 2024

Staff Training: **Monday 2nd September 2024**
 (Half day) [Training – morning only]
 [Parent Consultation – afternoon and early evening]

Staff Training: **Tuesday 3rd September 2024**
 (Half day) [Training – morning only]
 [Parent Consultation – afternoon and early evening]

Term Begins: **Wednesday 4th September 2024** (All year groups)

Half Term: **Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November 2024**

Term Ends: **Friday 20th December 2024**

BROOKSIDE PRIMARY	Week Commencing: Monday 18th November 2024 MENU 3
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MONDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy	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	Orange Jelly	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
TUESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Beef Lasagne with Fresh Salad	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Beef Lasagne with Fresh Salad	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetarian Lasagne with Fresh Salad	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Minced Beef with Gluten free Pasta	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Mousse	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
WEDNESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Baked Jacket Potato with Various Fillings	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Apple Crumble	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
THURSDAY		
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	Vanilla Sponge with a Pineapple Ring and a Cherry	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
FRIDAY		
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	Chocolate Brownie Tray Bake	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day		

November 2024	
NOVEMBER	
Monday, 11th - Friday, 15th	Anti-Bullying Week
Sunday, 17th - Saturday, 23rd	Road Safety Week
Monday, 18th - Friday, 22nd	Phonics, Rising Stars and SATS Assessment Week Road Safety Week
Monday, 18th	Deadline for Individual Photograph Orders
Tuesday 19th	Yeading Library Visit - Year 4
Wednesday 20th	Brookside Primary School Guided Tours
Thursday 21st	Yeading Library Visit - Year 6
Thursday 21st	Wonderdome Experience - Year 1 and Year 5
Friday 22nd	Pinning Ceremony
Friday 22nd	SHA Sports Competition Trip
Wednesday 27th - Thursday 28th	Last day of After-School Fun Clubs
Wednesday 27th	EYFS Early Essence Workshop
Thursday, 28th	Last Day of Autumn Boosters and After School Fun Clubs
Thursday, 28th	Natural History Museum at Tring Trip - Year 6 Canberra
Friday 29th - Friday 6th	Exam Week
Friday, 29th	St. Andrew's Day
DECEMBER	
Monday 2nd	Hearing and Vision Check - Reception
Monday 2nd	Acton Ten Pin Bowling (KS1 & KS2 Panathalon)
Thursday 5th	Carrolling and Tree Trimming - Reception
Friday 6th	Carolling and Tree Trimming - Nursery
Monday 9th	Carolling and Tree Trimming - Years 1 & 2
Tuesday 10th	Carolling and Tree Trimming - Years 3 & 4