



## World Religion Day

On Friday, 17th January, we celebrated World Religion Day with a vibrant and meaningful event. Children from all year groups wore an item of religious clothing representing their faith, showcasing the rich diversity within our school. Pupils also had the unique opportunity to explore twenty fascinating religious artifacts, learning about their significance and the traditions they represent. It was a day of respect, discovery, and appreciation for the many beliefs and cultures that make up our community.





## Winnie the Pooh Day

On Friday, 17th January, Reception children had a wonderful time celebrating Winnie the Pooh Day! They enjoyed a delightful picnic with their toys, sharing snacks and stories in the spirit of the Hundred Acre Wood. The children also unleashed their creativity by designing and crafting beautiful Winnie the Pooh-themed creations. It was a day full of imagination, fun, and cherished moments!



## Martin Luther King Day

On Monday, 21st January 2025, our school commemorated Dr. Martin Luther King Day, honoring his legacy of equality, justice, and nonviolent activism. Pupils across all year groups participated in creative activities, from Martin Luther King coloring in EYFS to "My Dream for the Future" mini-speeches in Year 6. Resources were provided, and it was wonderful to see the thoughtful work of our pupils as they reflected on Dr. King's impactful life and



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We are excited to announce that Beat Alliance Academy has landed @ Hewens College! Step into the rhythmic world of Dhol and immerse yourself in the vibrant beats that resonate through all cultures and celebrations! Join us at Beat Alliance Academy @ Hewens College, where creativity meets expertise under the mentorship of the talented Hardev Singh Khamba, a master of this art, with a rich legacy of over 25 years in crafting a class accessible to all - The Beat Alliance Academy! Classes will be held each Monday at 7pm to 9pm. All ages welcome above 5 Years old. Hurry and book your first FREE lesson, the first class will start this Monday 20th January!

For more information please visit our website: <https://www.hewenscollege.co.uk/beat-alliance-academy>

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## After-School Fun Clubs

Booster sessions and After School Fun Clubs have started from January 22nd 2025. Please be reminded that Afterschool Clubs are held from 3:15 p.m. to 4:00 p.m and will run until Thursday 20th March 2025.



## GB Athlete Visit - Monday 3rd February 2025

We're thrilled to announce that a top GB athlete (Nercy Pearce) will be visiting our school on Monday, 3rd February 2025! They will lead a sponsored fitness circuit with all pupils, followed by a motivational assembly and Q&A session to inspire children to stay active and pursue their passions. Letters with full details and sponsorship forms were sent out this week. Please ensure your child comes to school in their PE kit on the event day. Sponsorship money and forms should be returned to the class teacher or school office within one week of the event. We look forward to an inspiring day!

## Wear Your Scarf Day - Friday 7th February 2025

As part of Children's Mental Health Week, we're excited to announce that on Friday, 7th February, we will be taking part in Wear Your SCARF Day. Join us in celebrating SCARF values that promote children's health and wellbeing by wearing scarves as a symbol of support.

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| BROOKSIDE<br>PRIMARY | <b>Week Commencing: Monday 27th January</b><br><br><b>MENU 4</b> |
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| 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

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

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

**Term Begins:** Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2024 (All year groups)

**Half Term:** Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October to Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2024

**Term Ends:** Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2024

### SPRING TERM 2025

**Staff Training:** Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2025  
(Half day) [Training – morning only]  
[Parent Consultation – afternoon and early evening]

**Staff Training:** Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2025  
(Half day) [Training – morning only]  
[Parent Consultation – afternoon and early evening]

**Term Begins:** Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2025

**Half Term:** Monday 17<sup>th</sup> to Friday 21<sup>st</sup> February 2025

**Term Ends:** Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2025

|  January 2025 - February 2025 |  |
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| January   |  |
| Wednesday 29th  | Chinese New Year                             |
| Friday 31st   | Chinese Dragon Workshop                      |
| February  |  |
| February 1st - 28th   | Library Lovers Month                         |
| Monday 3rd - Friday 7th   | National Storytelling Week                   |
| Monday 3rd - Sunday 9th   | Children's Mental Health Week                |
| Monday 3rd - Sunday 9th   | Know Yourself, Grow Yourself                 |
| Monday 3rd - Friday 7th   | SATs Week                                    |
| Monday 3rd  | Nercy Pearce Visit                           |
| Tuesday 4th   | Rosa Parks Day                               |
| Friday 7th  | NSOCC Number Day                             |
| Friday 7th  | Charles Dicken's Birthday                    |
| Monday 10th - Thursday 13th   | Life Base                                    |
| Friday 14th   | Valentines Day Celebration - Non Uniform Day |
| Monday 17th - Friday 21st   | Half Term Break                              |

# EVERY DAY IS YOUR DAY