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Graphical Analysis



Children in Year 6 have been learning about graphs in Mathematics and are now able to confidently draw and interpret single and double line graphs. Well done children!



Counting in 5s



Our Reception children have been busy learning how to count in 5s. They confidently used cubes to represent groups of 5 and are now able to count to 50 in 5s. Well done to our Reception children! Parents, guardians and carers are encouraged to continue teaching concepts at home.

Beautiful Butterflies



Year 5 have been learning about the life cycle of insects in Science. As part of their learning experience, they had caterpillars in class before the Easter break where they were able to observe the different stages of the butterflies' life cycle. This week, they released the beautiful butterflies out in the open.

Jumping Jacks



Year 5 children took a break from the classrooms to participate in this week's challenge 'Jumping Jacks'. They were absolute stars as they did impressive numbers in just 60 seconds!

Attendance and Punctuality

We would like to remind parents, guardians and carers that research shows there is a clear link between the attendance rate of children at school and their level of attainment. Please support your child to attend regularly by ensuring that any medical or other appointments are organised out of school hours.

The expectation of the governing body is that all children will achieve a minimum annual attendance rate of 96%. It is important that all children are in school by their staggered start time so that registration can take place on time.

We really appreciate your support.





Holiday Requests

School holidays will not be approved during term. Any holidays taken during this period will be marked as unauthorised holiday. Parents, guardians and carers, please remember the importance of factoring any potential quarantine restrictions into your holiday, so that if any quarantine measures are required, these do not impact on your child's return to school.

The Department for Education (DfE) guidance states that school attendance is mandatory so all absences will be referred and logged as unauthorised. Any term time holiday requests must be sent to the Headteacher in writing at least one month prior to travelling and before securing any travel arrangements.

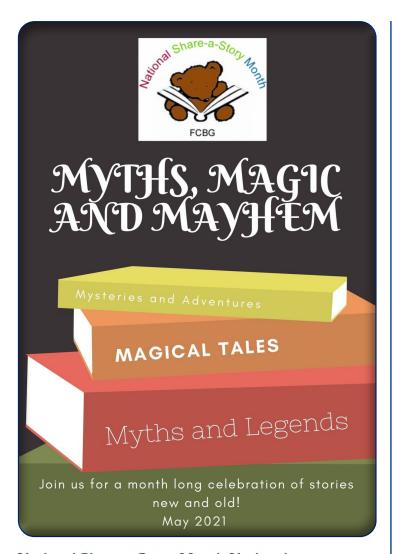
Hillingdon Weekly Challenges

Brookside Primary School is taking part in the Summer Hillingdon Weekly Physical Challenges as the children had so much fun getting involved in the challenges last term. These challenges will allow children to get active, have fun, improve health, engage new audiences and increase motivation.

Mr Dietrich (PE Co-ordinator) will provide your teachers with a video of what you need to do each week. Your teachers will show this video in class which will be posted on our new YouTube channel. These challenges will be done in school and all scores will be recorded by your teachers by Thursday, the following week.

Please see the schedule below for all upcoming challenges.

- Week 2: Super Slalom Run Friday 7th May
- Week 3: Sock in the Box Friday 14th May
- Week 4: Squat Jump Friday 21st May
- Week 5: Fast Feet Friday 28th May
- Week 6: Step Ups Friday 11th June
- Week 7: Obstacle Course Friday 18th June
- Week 8: Plank Challenge Friday 25th June



National Share a Story Month National

National Share-a-Story Month (NSSM) is an annual celebration of the power of storytelling and story sharing, providing a fantastic opportunity to bring children and stories together. The 2021 theme is 'Myths, Magic and Mayhem'.

Throughout the month, the teachers will read aloud stories to the children from different genres such as mysteries and adventures, magical tales and myths and legends. Our aim is to ensure that children are introduced to different genres of stories and at the same time, foster a love for reading.

We are encouraging our parents, guardians and carers to visit the local libraries with the children and read different books related to these genres.

Fasting at Ramadan

We would like to make parents, guardians and carers aware that at The Rosedale Hewens Academy Trust, we only allow children in Year 6 to fast, as, in our experience, fasting in year groups below this has a detrimental effect upon a child's overall performance. Children in lower year groups could be supported to fast at home on the weekend if required, allowing families to supervise their health and wellbeing very closely. If you would like more information about this, please speak with a member of staff in the School Office.



Week Commencing: Monday 10th May

MENU 3

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 Fre
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 Fo		
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Mousse	Fresh	Fruit and Yoghurts
WEDNESDA	Y		
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 Fre
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 Vegatables 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 Fre
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 Fre



MAY TO JUNE 2021

MAY				
Saturday 1st to Monday 31st	National Share a Story Month			
Friday 7th	Super Slalom Run Challenge			
Friday 14th	International Day of Families			
Friday 14th	Sock in the Box Challenge			
Monday 17th to Friday 21st	Walk to School Week			
Monday 24th to Friday 28th	Pirates' Week - Year 1			
Friday 28th	Pirates' Day - Year 1 - Non-Uniform Day			
JUNE				
Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June	Half Term			