

Executive Head Teacher – **Mr C Cole**

Head Teacher - **Mrs S Voisey**

Safeguarding Lead – **Miss A Walton**

When we return to school it will be week 2 of the new Pantry menu.

The school office is open 8.15 am to 4.00 pm each school day.

A fabulous assembly from 3HN on Friday “Can You Feel the Force”. The children sang loud and proud – they have been practising hard to perfect their performance. Well done to them all and a big thank you to those family members who were able to come along and find out all the great information they have been learning.

On Tuesday the children took part in “Safer Internet Day” in school and a workshop was run for Parents. If you were unable to attend, the presentation and other useful information can be found on Class Dojo.

When we return to school there will be a new lunch menu from The Pantry. Hopefully by the time you read this newsletter it will be available on our website but, if not, please go to The Pantry website where it should be displayed and ready for you to place your orders. We will be starting on Week 2 from Tuesday 20th February.

The school will be closed next week for half term and we return on Tuesday 20th February. Have a happy and peaceful break – we look forward to seeing you bright-eyed and bushy tailed!

Dates for Your Diary

February:

10th Chinese New Year
12th to 16th Half Term – School Closed
19th Training day – School Closed
20th Back to School

March:

5th Year 6 Junior Citizens Event
9th 3SH Class Assembly
15th 6EG Class Assembly
21st Brunel Book Launch for some Y6 children
22nd Visit from Robert Tregoning with his new book
22nd 1AK Class Assembly
26th Choir performing at the Beck Theatre

What are we learning after half term?

Year 1:
Year 2: History – The Great Fire of London
Year 3: Art – Prehistoric Painting, Music: The Dragon Song
Year 4:
Year 5 and Year 6: History – The Shang Dynasty



Universal Free School Meals to Continue

In January 2024 the Mayor of London, Sadiq Khan announced that he would be extending the funding for Universal Free School Meals for another academic year. This means that all primary aged children in state funded schools will continue to be able to have a free school meal until July 2025, subject to the Mayor's formal budget setting process.

Please note that this scheme does not entitle you to receive shopping vouchers during the school breaks. If you believe you may be eligible, please contact Mrs Knight with the full name, date of birth and national insurance number and she will check your eligibility.

Alternatively, you can apply yourself at <https://pps.lgfl.org.uk/>

Above and Beyond Students

Congratulations to the following children for going above and beyond.
They have earned a special treat!



RMB – Ayaan

RML – Inaaya

1AK – Japnit

1UN – Aishah

2LW – Mark

2ME – Aya

3HN – Bella-Mae

3SH – Hassan

4AM – Sylvie

4TS – Patrick

5OR – Katelyn

6EG – Uttamjeet

Attendance Matters

Best Attendance for w/c 29th January – **RML** with 97.1%

Attendance for w/c 29th January = 93.80%

Last week **114** children were late into class.

Please make sure your children are **inside the school building** by 8.40am (8.45 for Reception classes). If you are struggling to get your child into school on time and would like some help, please contact the school office



Weekly stats: 29 January to 4 February 2024

Class	Active Players	Most Improved
1AK	10% (0%)	<i>No improved players</i>
1UN	10% (+5%)	Amelia
2LW	18% (+4%)	Asila
2ME	5% (-6%)	Hadi
3HN	8% (-8%)	Amary
3SH	20% (+8%)	Gursees
4AM	74% (-19%)	Amin
4TS	95% (+15%)	Alisa
5OR	21% (+11%)	Chelta
6EG	90% (-7%)	Ellis

Congratulations to:

Most improved player 2nd week: Amelia 1UN & Alisa 4TS

Most minutes played 2nd week: Umaina 1AK, Amelia 1UN,
Nabeeha 3HN, Mikolaj 4AM, Peter 4TS, Younis 5OR

Most minutes played 3rd week: Aanay 2ME, Balqees 3SH

Most minutes played 4th week: Uttamjeet 6EG



Well done to the children below for the most
Minutes dedicated:-

W/C 29th January 2024

Name	Class	Minutes	Total Class Minutes
Varvara	4TS	221	1705
Aanay	2ME	562	942
Maryela	4AM	508	806
Chelta	5OR	227	452
Vasilisa	1AK	246	397
Israa	3SH	124	354
Jerusha	6EG	67	118
Nabeeha	3HN	29	55
Ilriana	1UN	31	31

Miss Garlick's Awards

The Best Rooms: 1st place – 6EG, 2nd place - 3SH, 3rd place – 4TS

The Best Lining up: 1st place – Year 2, 2nd place - Year 4, 3rd place - Year 3

HOUSE POINTS:

Blue – 714

Red – 679

Yellow – 599

Green – 743

Things to do this half term

Learn Hillingdon
Adult Community Education

**Escape to the garden this half term and
get creative with your children!**



**Join us for a free fun day of creating a colourful selection
of bird feeders, windchimes and mobiles from recycled materials.**

**Sessions are on Tuesday 13th February at 9:30am-12pm or 1-3:30pm
at Rural Activities Garden Centre West Drayton Road, UB8 3JZ for
one adult with up to two children (age 5+).**

**To book a session contact our Harlington Centre on 01895 556252 or
email: familylearning@hae-acl.ac.uk**

Limited spaces so book early to secure a space!



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February 2024

Uxbridge Rock Show!

FREE! 5th - 22nd during Library open-hours

The exhibition is different every year with a large variety of specimen fossils, rocks and minerals on display.

Highlights include hands-on igneous, metamorphic and sedimentary rocks (which support school visits), fluorescent minerals that glow in the dark, chalk and flint fossils, coprolites, new displays about Iceland, the rock cycle, Maurer Tectonics and more!

Uxbridge Central Library, High Street, Uxbridge.

A few minutes' walk from Uxbridge Underground & Bus Station and town car parks.



Hillingdon Council Winter Playday

Tuesday 13 February ~ 10am to 4pm ~ Free

Join us at the Pavilions, Uxbridge, for Winter Playday, where you can access information for your children and family, and children can take part in some fun games and activities.

Open to under-5s / primary-school-age children and their families

Family information and fun event with activities for primary school aged children.

Winter Playday is a free event. There's no need to book; just join us on the day.

Fizz Free February

In the month of February, Hillingdon Community Dental Service are taking part in 'Fizz Free February' which aims to encourage everyone to think about reducing the number of fizzy drinks they are drinking and giving them up.

Some facts:

- Drinking fizzy drinks can lead to tooth decay and other health conditions.
- Hillingdon has 28.2% of 5-Year-old children with decayed, missing or filled teeth which is above the England average.
- More 5-9-year-old children are hospitalised due to tooth decay than for any other reason.
- Some fizzy drinks can contain as much as 20 teaspoons of sugar!!!

They are holding an event at Botwell Green Library for parents/carers and children on Wednesday 7th February with a display and a presentation. Information and help to find an NHS Dentist will also be available.

[https://leap.hillingdon.gov.uk/media/13448/Fizz-Free-Feb-24-event-information-flyer/pdf/7rFizz Free Feb 24 event information flyer.pdf?m=1707128050843](https://leap.hillingdon.gov.uk/media/13448/Fizz-Free-Feb-24-event-information-flyer/pdf/7rFizz%20Free%20Feb%2024%20event%20information%20flyer.pdf?m=1707128050843)

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