

School Newsletter

Friday 11th June 2021

Celebration assembly

This week in school we have been thinking about our school value of 'compassion'. Well done to the pupils below for being chosen by their teachers to receive special certificates in today's Celebration assembly for showing compassion to others.

Nursery Acorn Class	Louie Pr
Reception Chestnut Class	Lilly
Reception Maple Class	Ben
Year 1 Ash Class	Phoenix
Year 1 Cedar Class	Harper
Year 1 Redwood Class	Lola
Year 2 Birch Class	Sienna
Year 2 Elder Class	Charlie J
Year 2 Pine Class	Matilda

House points

Congratulations to the following pupils for earning the most house points in their class this week.

Reception Chestnut Class	Bryce
Reception Maple Class	Demi
Year 1 Ash Class	Amelia
Year 1 Cedar Class	Josh
Year 1 Redwood Class	Susan
Year 2 Birch Class	Aiva
Year 2 Elder Class	Sam
Year 2 Pine Class	Ruby

Well done to all of the pupils in **Red** house for earning more house points than the other houses this week.

Attendance

We aim to achieve above the national average attendance which is 96%. Well done to Year 2 Birch class for having a perfect 100% attendance in school this week.

Year 2 Birch Class	100%
Year 2 Elder Class	98.9%
Year 1 Redwood Class	97.2%
Reception Maple Class	96.9%

Reception Chestnut Class	94.6%
Year 1 Ash Class	92%
Year 1 Cedar Class	91.7%
Year 2 Pine Class	91.7%

Rights Respecting Schools Article of the week



World Refugee Day is on 20th June 2021 and helps to raise awareness of the lives and experiences of refugees.

A refugee is someone who has had to flee their home because their lives were in danger in their home country.

On World Refugee Day Article 22 and Article 10 are particularly important:

Article 22 (refugee children)

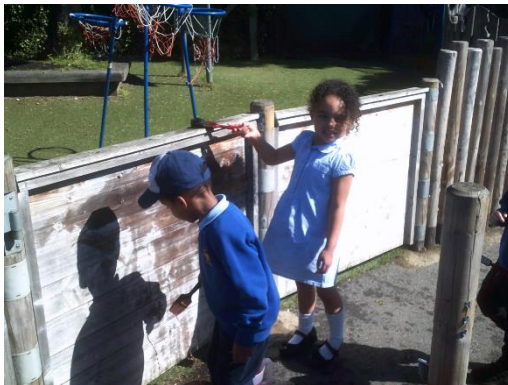
If a child is seeking refugee or has refugee status, governments must provide them with appropriate protection and assistance to help them enjoy all the rights in the Convention. Governments must help refugee children who are separated from their parents to be reunited with them.

Article 10 (family reunification)

Governments must respond quickly and sympathetically if a child or their parents apply to live together in the same country. If a child's parents live apart in different countries, the child has a right to visit and keep in contact with both of them.

In class this week

Nursery children had fun in the sun making bubbles using tennis bats and fairy liquid.



Nursery children also had a pizza party. They made shopping lists of what ingredients were needed and what toppings they wanted. They really enjoyed eating them.



Year 1 Cedar class read the story of The Magic Porridge Pot and the children transformed into magicians and created a chemical reaction using bicarbonate of soda and vinegar.



"I can hear it fizz, that's onomatopoeia," Ellie.

"We've made lemonade," Kieran.

"It's like a volcano," Archie.



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The Pantry are moving to a new interactive lunch time system over the coming weeks and have sent all parents registered with them an email with further details including **important information about opting out if you do not want an image of your child taken for The Pantry POS system. If you wish to opt out, please respond to this email by 5pm on the 18th June.** The Pantry will record your account as not having consent for an image to be taken.

Key dates for your diary

Friday 18th June: School photographer in for sibling photographs. A letter has gone out to parents with further details.

Tuesday 13th July: Sports day. A letter with further details will be sent out later this term.

Thursday 22nd July: Last day of summer term for nursery pupils.

Friday 23rd July: Last day of summer term for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 pupils. School finishes at 1pm.

Community Links

Update for NW London on the vaccine programme and new variants

Rise in new variants and the vaccine

Across all NW London boroughs (Brent, Harrow, Hillingdon, Hounslow, Ealing, Hammersmith and Fulham, Kensington and Chelsea and Westminster) we are seeing a rise in the rates of new Covid-19 variants.

There is no evidence to suggest the Covid-19 vaccine is not working in terms of providing protection against variants, but it has never been more important to come forward for your first vaccine and ensure you have your second for maximum protection.

All our large vaccination centres listed below are all providing Pfizer vaccines.

Anyone over the age of 36 can now book at www.nhs.uk or walk-in to one of our vaccination centres for a first dose of the vaccine. GPs are also sending invites so you can book in.

Walk-in availability varies, booking guarantees you a slot, services are open 9am-7pm.

Walk-in vaccination services

The vaccination centres providing a walk-in service for first doses are open from 9am to 7pm daily. (Except Byon Hall and Brentford leisure centre - see below.)

Full details [are here](#)

- Brentford leisure centre 658 Chiswick High Rd, Brentford TW8 0HJ (Monday to Thursday)
- Bryon Hall Christchurch Avenue, Harrow HA3 5BD (Monday to Wednesday only)
- Ealing - CP House, 97-107 Uxbridge Road, Ealing W5 5TL
- Heathrow Vaccination Centre, Compass Centre, Bath Road, Heathrow, TW6 2GW
- Marble Arch Vaccination Centre: 86 Edgware Rd, London W2 2EA
- Novotel London West, 1 Shortlands Hammersmith International Ctre, Hammersmith, London W6 8DR
- The Record Store, The Old Vinyl Factory, 15 Pressing Lane, Hayes, UB3 1HA
- Science Museum, Exhibition Road, South Kensington, London SW7 2DD
- Wembley Vaccination Centre: Olympic Office Centre, 8 Fulton Rd, Wembley, London, HA9 0NU

You are asked to bring ID, your name and address and your NHS number if you have it (if you don't have your NHS number you can still walk-in).

Following your walk-in you will then be able to book your second vaccine at 8 weeks 48 hours later using www.nhs.uk

Second doses

To help ensure residents get the maximum protection possible, we are bringing forward the date of second vaccines from 12 weeks to 8 weeks.

If you had a vaccine at a GP service, you will be texted inviting you to attend a new date. If you attended a pharmacy or large vaccination centre and booked your second dose through the national booking system www.nhs.uk – you will be texted to invite you to change your second appointment. You will need to cancel the appointment you have and rebook – there are plenty of appointments available to do this.



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Parking in Merle Avenue, Harefield

The school has been informed that a TV production company will be filming in Merle Avenue on Monday 14th and Tuesday 15th June and will be closing the road for some scenes. They have kindly requested that parents who are dropping off or collecting from school on those dates do not park in Merle Avenue. Thank you.

The National School Breakfast Programme

The National School Breakfast Programme is pleased to announce the launch of its **breakfast at home area** on the Family Action website. The breakfast at home area shares with parents the benefits of eating a healthy breakfast, and the impact this can have on their child's readiness to learn, health and wellbeing. It offers tools to support parents in providing a low cost, nutritious daily breakfast, when a school breakfast is not available.



Their easy to navigate breakfast at home website contains six main categories; get organised, nutrition and wellbeing, family fun, top tips, recipes and videos and research. Within these categories are planners, hacks, information about what's in cereal, nutrition factsheets, ideas for weekend breakfast, quizzes and much more.

www.family-action.org.uk/BreakfastAtHome

VIRTUAL

FREE

ASTHMA

WORKSHOP

JUNE

16th 4pm - 5pm

COVERS:

- Asthma plans
- Common triggers
- Inhaler techniques
- Myth Busting
- What to do if your child is having an Asthma attack

Presented over: **Zoom**

LIMITED SPACES AVAILABLE

CONTACT THE TEAM TO BOOK YOUR PLACE

www.myhealthhillington.nhs.uk Hillccg.Myhealth@nhs.net

Hillingdon Talks, Moves and Plays: Children's Integrated Therapy Service

Rectangular Snip



Children's Integrated Therapy Service (CITS)

Speech and Language Therapy, Physiotherapy and Occupational Therapy

CITS Advice Line: 01895 488 200

CITs - www.cnwl.nhs.uk/hillingdon-talks-moves-plays

Speech and Language Therapy - <https://www.cnwl.nhs.uk/services/community-services/hillingdon-talks>

Physiotherapy - <https://www.cnwl.nhs.uk/services/community-services/hillingdon-moves>

Occupational Therapy - <https://www.cnwl.nhs.uk/services/community-services/hillingdon-plays>

There is regularly updated information and support for parent/carer(s), education staff and professionals. This includes videos, advice sheets, strategies and resources and links to other useful websites and local services.

We also have Social Media:

	@HillingdonTalks	@HillingdonMoves	@HillingdonPlays
	@Hillingdon_TalksMovesPlays		
			@HillingdonPlays