



Newsletter

19th October 2017

Dear Parents & Carers

It has been an exciting start to the term with our new leaders elected for the year (see over) and the first of the achievement assemblies have taken place with some impressive examples of the learning shared in very creative ways.

With the school at now full capacity— 480 pupils, we are very pleased that we have been able to continue with our whole school assemblies which are an important part of coming together as a school community twice a week.

Our Monday morning our Rights Respecting assemblies have a focus for the week that is generally linked to social and emotional welfare and development. So far this year we have taught children about positive attitude to learning; respect & good manners; empathy; put downs—stop, think, say and pride in our heritage. It is important to us that children develop to their full potential both academically and personally.

Part of that social and emotional wellbeing now includes social media and internet usage. Keeping children safe and building digital resilience is encompassed in our e-safety lessons taught at the beginning of each term.

It is just as essential to teach our children how to enjoy the internet while keeping themselves safe as it is to cross a road safely.

Primary age children have much to learn about the digital world and to build their digital resilience.

Digital Parenting Tips

- Think about how you guide your family in the real world and how you can do the same in the digital world
- Don't be afraid to set boundaries and rules like you do for the real world
- Talk to your children about whether the issues they face are different online and offline - or how online and offline work together to complicate their lives
- Talk to your child about their online reputation
- Try out the technologies your child enjoys - download some of their music and have a go at games they like
- Remind older siblings that websites they use may not be suitable for younger brothers and sisters

Have an enjoyable half-term break.
Ms Mildner, Headteacher

Diary Dates



2017-2018

Half Term—23rd—27th October

Wed 1st Nov—Y6 Natural History Museum

Thu 2nd Nov—Parent consultation evening

Tue 7th Nov—Parent consultation evening

Fri 17th Nov—Y3 visit to RAF Museum

Wed 29th Nov—Y4 Egyptian Day

Fri 1st Dec—Y6 Cluster Carol Concert

Fri 8th Dec—Pantomime all year groups

Wed 13th Dec—Y3&4 Christmas Performance

Thu 14th Dec—Y3&4 Christmas Performance

Wed 20th Dec—TERM ENDS—2pm finish

School Office

The school office is open Monday to Thursday 8am—5pm and on Friday 8am—4pm. There will be no member of the office staff on duty outside these hours.

No access to the school building is available before or after these times. Thank you.

High School Applications

Please apply online via eadmissions.org.uk by **Monday 31st October**. We strongly advise you apply for a place in a Harrow School even if you are applying for a place in a selective school.

Parent Consultation Evenings 2nd & 7th November

Your appointment time needs to be booked using the SchoolPing app or via the DB primary website, there is a link on our website. If you have any problems please contact the school office.

Websites with great parental advice!

<https://parentzone.org.uk>

Guides on parental controls; social media apps that children are using

www.bullying.co.uk/cyberbullying

What to do if you're being bullied on a social network. This website gives invaluable advice and tips to keep children safe and also what to do on different sites/ apps if cyberbullying occurs.



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School Council Members 2017-2018

Congratulations to our School Council members for 2017-2018 who have been elected to represent the 'pupil voice' for their class. They were introduced last week at assembly and have met with Miss Choudhury and Miss Copas.

The school council also discuss issues that they feel need improving in the school and have successfully in the past campaigned for improvements in the playground with a buddy bench, better playground equipment and a rules for playing basketball sign; they also do a playground survey each year to find out if children feel safe, happy and what could improve.

3OC	Wren Whiting
3FS	Dhanya Rajendran
3HD	Izaiah Parram-Bryan
3ZA	Rohan Patel
4WF	Yago Mechahoughui
4AS	Isabella Ellis
4EM	Rahul Javia
4CO	Amari Brar
5TW	Zannath Enus
5JM	Aqeel Muchena
5MD	Prisha Mahaian
5AG	Ami Adatia
6TC	Farhan Hussein
6SL	Sehasa Guruge
6MA	Yashaswini Dhannamneni
6DA	Vanessa Andrew

Mobile Phones

Only children walking to school independently should have any need to bring a mobile phone to school.



- Permission must be given by parents to the school
- All mobile phones are to be handed into the school office each morning.
- Children are not permitted to use mobile phones on the playground or anywhere on school grounds.



Rights Respecting Rangers 2017-2018

Our Rights Respecting Rangers are set to ensure that we are all respecting the rights set down by the United Nations Chartered Rights of the Child.

This year's Rangers are:

3OC	Avni Shah
3FS	Tate McLeod
3HD	Lia Rawlins
3ZA	Isabella Bremner
4WF	Riana Fernando
4AS	Syan Patel
4EM	Safiyah Maniar
4CO	Adil Ahmed
5TW	Safa Osman
5JM	Veer Sharma
5MD	Arjun Babbar
5AG	Meera Premathash
6TC	Sophia Dwyer
6SL	Ritha Al-Fadi
6MA	Uvershi Vekaria
6DA	Dhanvi Parag

3OC	Kaylan Patel
3HD	Yosef Saqeb
3ZA	Sinem Kapar
3FS	Monique Chumber
4WF	Sahil Khatri
4AS	Xaria Khan
4EM	Krish Bhudia
4CO	Sophie Dooling-Preston
5TW	Ruhi Mehta
5JM	Khpelwak Safi
5AG	Hannah Thorp
5MD	Khushi Dodhia
6TC	Wesley Pardo
6DA	Nadira Rafique
6MA	Rani Tailor
6SL	Daniel Khan



Healthy Heroes



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