



Weekly Newsletter

Summer Term 2

Friday, 28th June 2024



A Message from our Headteacher

Dear Parents,
What a great few weeks we have had at Grange. There have been many trips taking place and it has been lovely hearing about the children's adventures to the seaside, farm and local parks. Over the next few weeks we can't wait to hear about Year 6 and their experience on the Year 6 residential, Year 4's trip to Hampton court, Year 3 to the Stone Age village and Year 5's musical adventures.

Missing reading books

We have a number of our reading scheme books and library books missing. We will be sending home letters to you regarding missing books and if these are not returned you will incur a charge of £5 per book. We have worked really hard to stock our library and ensure we have quality texts for your children but these books must be returned and taken care of. Please help your children look for the missing books at home and return any books found to school. We thank you in advance for your support with this.

Summer of Food and fun

This summer, the council will be hosting Southwark's Summer of Food and Fun from 26th July to 30th August 2024. The council is partnering with local holiday club providers across the borough to provide an exciting programme of meals and activities for children and young people in our local communities. Free places are available for children between the ages of 4 and 16 who are eligible for free school meals. The programme aims to give local families access to free, healthy food and fun activities over the summer holidays.

Each programme will provide: free, healthy and tasty food; fun physical activity sessions; a wide range of other activities to suit different ages and personalities; opportunities to learn more about food and nutrition for children and families. Details about the programme and how to register are available at www.southwark.gov.uk/foodandfun

I encourage you to register your child/ren to make sure they have an enjoyable and memorable holiday period.

Summer Cricket

Last year, SPCC ran a cricket festival for the very first time. We are really pleased to share that they will be running another festival this year and you are all invited to attend. This 2-day event will take place on the 6th and 7th July in Southwark Park. Saturday will be for juniors and women and Sunday will be a men's 6 a side tournament. This event is free for anyone to come along. At the end of the newsletter there is additional information about all other junior cricket events taking place this summer so be sure to check it out!

Windrush

Learning about the similarities and differences within our communities is really important. During our lessons this week, classes focused on learning about the Windrush. It is 76 years since the HMT Empire Windrush docked in Tilbury, Essex, on 22 June 1948. The ship brought 492 passengers to the UK from a number of Caribbean islands including Jamaica and Trinidad and Tobago, to help fill post-war labour shortages. Further information can be found by using the links below: [BBC Bitesize](#) - Windrush [Museum of London - Windrush stories](#)

Extended school clubs

The extended school activity clubs will continue to run weekly this term until week commencing Monday 1st July.

Hot Weather

As the weather finally heats up, please remember to apply sun cream to your child/ children before the start of the day, send them to school with a sun hat and a full water bottle!

I hope you have an enjoyable weekend, and we will see you all on Monday at 8.50am.

Rebecca



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School Information

Attendance & Punctuality Class Winners of The Week



School Year	Class	%
Autumn Term		
Attendance KS1 Winner	Mars	91.8
Attendance KS2 Winner	Pluto	91.6
KS1 Punctuality Winner	Venus	98.4
KS2 Punctuality Winner	Aurora	98.1
Rest of School		
Class	Punctuality %	Attendance %
Venus	98.4	91.6
Earth	97.0	90.0
Mars	95.0	91.8
Jupiter	96.0	86.8
Galaxy	97.6	87.2
Supernova	93.8	89.3
Neptune	97.2	88.4
Pluto	95.6	91.6
Aurora	98.1	84.2
Sky	96.1	89.1
Whole school	96.4	88.9

Dates for the Diary



04/07/24	New starters stay and play – current reception taken on park trip
WB 08/7/24	Year 6 residential trip
11/07/24	EYFS – YR parent transition meeting
15/07/24	Art week
19/07/24	Carnival and international food festival
22/07/24	Meet the teacher – classes to meet their teacher for next year
22/07/24	2pm – Prize assembly
23/07/24	Year 6 end of year performance to parents 2pm and 5pm
24/07/24	Year 6 graduation 10am
24/07/24	Year 6 prom 5- 7pm
24/07/24	Reports sent to parents
25/07/24	Last day of term – school closes at 2pm



Mathletics



Winning Class: **Venus Class**
 School's total points: **18,280**

House Winners

Tim Peake		480
Stephanie Wilson		471
Neil Armstrong		457
Helen Sharman		443
Bernard Harris		389



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Word of the Week

The word of the week this week is "intrigue". Please spend some time discussing this word with your child.

Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day: intrigue Word Class (verb / noun)
Pronunciation / Syllables (in-trigue)

Definition:

If something, especially something strange, intrigues you, it interests you and you want to know more about it.



The class were **intrigued** by the ancient pyramids.

Synonym:	Antonym:	Prefix / Suffix	Rhyme:	Link Words:
attract	bore	-ed	fatigue	them
excite	repel	-ing	league	complete

Value of the Week

The value of the week this week was love. Please take some time over the weekend to discuss this value with your children.

"Love is the strongest force in the world"



Makaton Word of the Week

Along with our word of the week, our children will now be learning some sign language. We have many pupils at Grange that are non-verbal and one of the ways in which we communicate with them is to use sign language. We want all our children to be able to communicate with each other so felt that teaching our children to sign would help this. Please help us to learn together by practising this with your child at home.



To Walk

Happy Birthday to You!

First Name	Class	Age
Calvin	Planet Earth	7
Luciana	Mars	7



Attendance Ladder

How close is your child to 100%?

0 days off school	100%	Perfection
Equates to 2 days off school each year	99%	Excellent
Equates to 5 days off school each year	97%	Good
Equates to 10 days off school each year	95%	Slight Concern
Equates to 20 days off school each year	90%	Concerned
Equates to 30 days off school each year	85%	Very Concerned



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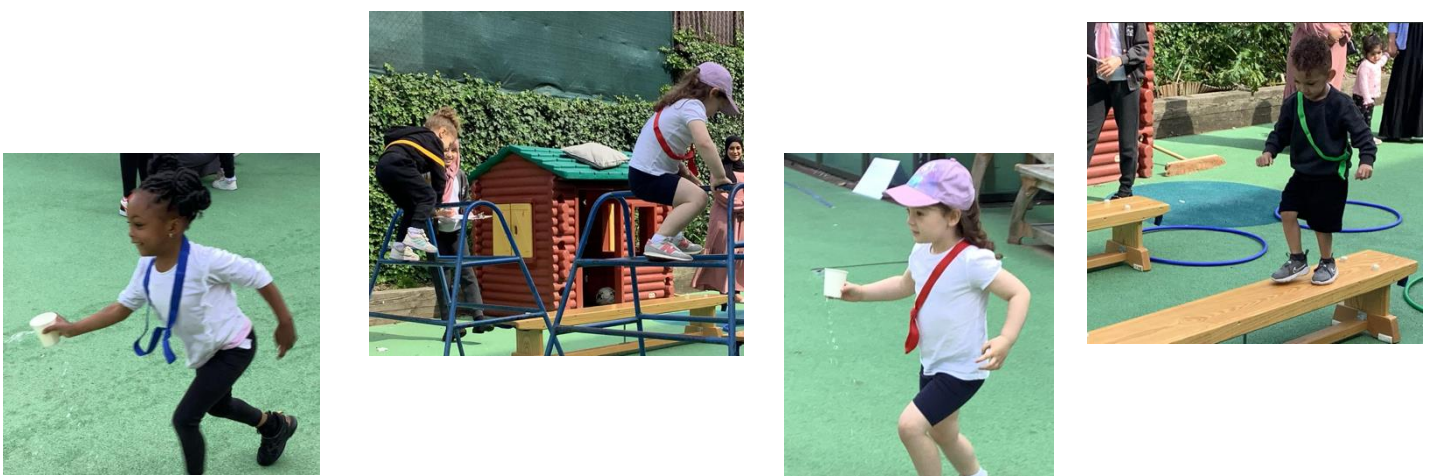
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Class Gallery

Year Nursery – Moon and Star Class

Moon and Star nursery pupils had a fantastic day last week during their first ever sports day!



Year Reception – Moon Class

Moon class have been making under the sea creatures! We talked about whether we would find them in a fiction or non-fiction books.





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Rewards

Years EYFS, 1 & 2

Core Value: **Love**
EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2

Class:	VIP of the week	Reason for Award:
Moon		
Star		
Venus	Aila	helping new children settle into class.
Planet Earth	Aisling	For always showing a great love for her friends and teachers
Mars	Ainhua	For always showing a great love for her learning!

Class	Writer of the week	Reason
Moon		
Star		
Venus	Kayden	for trying really hard with his sentence writing
Planet Earth	Shahira	For giving the class exciting vocabulary this week
Mars	Yana	For great effort using expanded noun phrases!

Class	Mathematician of the week:	Reason:
Moon		
Star		
Venus	Alya	working well with money
Planet Earth	Issam	For amazing effort in our booster classes
Mars	Roman	Showing a good understanding of telling time past the hour.

Class:	Reader of the week:	Reason for Award
Moon		
Star		
Venus	Harley	showing confidence in phonic lessons with new words
Planet Earth	Stacy	For amazing effort with tricky words
Mars	Samyra	For wonderful expression when reading!



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Rewards

Years 3 to 6

Core Value: **Love**
Years 3 to 6

Class:	VIP of the week	Reason for Award:
JUPITER	Annabelle	For looking after her friends and always having a smile on her face.
GALAXY	Anes	For always caring for others
SUPERNOVA	Righteous	For caring about the classroom environment.
PLUTO	Jeremiah	For making good choices and being kind to others around him
NEPTUNE	Celina	For always being a kind, respectful and polite member of our class.
AURORA	Mia-Rae	For helping other children out during swimming.
SKY	Quinten	For demonstrating his love of theatre.
Class	Writer of the week	Reason
JUPITER	Sabrina	For a wonderful effort in her writing this week
GALAXY	Valentine	For writing a great story!
SUPERNOVA	Saihaan	Excellent effort writing a story using direct speech.
PLUTO	Emily	For working hard to use apostrophes correctly this week.
NEPTUNE	Erick	For writing some great reflections on Year 5 using the present perfect tense.
AURORA	Elijah	For his brilliant ideas for our end of year performance.
SKY	Kayla	For writing an excellent fact file in topic.
Class	Mathematician of the week:	Reason
JUPITER	Muhammed	For a brilliant effort in calculating the difference in time
GALAXY	Aurora	For great understanding of our money topic
SUPERNOVA	Mikael	Fantastic effort converting between pounds and pence.
PLUTO	Samaha	For showing a clear understanding of angles!
NEPTUNE	Liya	For continuing to make good progress in her learning on angles.
AURORA	Ahmed	For his progress this year.
SKY	George	For his hard work during his maths learning time.
Class:	Reader of the week:	Reason
JUPITER	Charlotte-Rose	For a brilliant effort in guided reading this week.
GALAXY	Linda	For always reading!!!!
SUPERNOVA	Jorge F	Excellent effort signing his reading record.
PLUTO	Huda	For showing consistent effort and trying to extend her answers.
NEPTUNE	Isata	For using evidence to back up her answers when answering comprehension questions.
AURORA	Solihom	For reading with plenty expression.
SKY	Noah	For learning his lines as King Harold.



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Parent/ Carer Information and Support

In an effort to encourage reading for pleasure each week one of our staff members will share their favourite children's book. This book will then be available for children to borrow to see if they enjoy reading it also.

Favourite Book Friday!

My favourite book is the Go Away Bird by Julia Donaldson and Catherine Rayner. I recommend this book for anyone of any age. I love this book because there is a lot of speech, rhyme and it is easy to read with expression. It is a book about friendship and love, and realising that sometimes we all need someone to rely on. The year one children love reading this to themselves and to others!

- Miss Lisa



SUMMER FOOTBALL FUN CAMPS



AT HARRIS ACADEMY BERMONDSEY

55 SOUTHWARK PARK ROAD, SE16 3TZ

WEEK 1 – MONDAY 29TH JULY to FRIDAY 2ND AUGUST

WEEK 2 – MONDAY 5TH to 9TH AUGUST

WEEK 3 – MONDAY 12TH to 16TH AUGUST

WEEK 4 – MONDAY 19TH to FRIDAY 23RD AUGUST

All Camps are from 10AM TO 3PM

Children can be dropped off from 9am

Dear Parents, we are pleased to announce the dates of our Summer Football Fun Camps at Harris Academy Bermondsey

- *Our Fun Camps are organised by our Team of F.A and UEFA Qualified Professional Coaches who are all DBS Certified and First Aid Trained.*
- *Children are Coached in small dedicated coaching groups and supervised at all times*
- *Each day includes fun games, small-sided matches, competitions and coaching drills focused on Close Ball Control, Passing, Dribbling, Shooting, and much more*
- *The Fun Camps are held on the 3G Pitch therefore children can wear Trainers or Football Boots and must be dressed for the weather, we have **indoor facilities in case of bad weather***
- *We pride ourselves on small, concentrated coaching groups to ensure all children are always engaged therefore spaces are limited and allocated on a first come first served basis.*

All children receive a medal for completing the Fun Camp along with daily competitions where extra Medals and Awards can be Won

Price – The Cost of a place on our Fun Camp is £140 per week

Discounted to £99 when paid before Monday 1st July

Sibling Discount Available

Multi-Camp Discounts Available

To Book Your Child's Place Text/Whatsapp: HAB SUMMER

To 07398442907 or Call 0121 221 2261

or visit www.footballcoachinguk.com/holiday-fun-camps

Weekly Coaching Course Spaces Available

Saturdays at Harris Academy Bermondsey

We have spaces on our weekly development courses where children take part in football training, fitness, speed and agility drills plus weekly matches

To find out more: Text/Whatsapp: HAB to 07398442907 or Call 0121 221 2261

or visit www.footballcoachinguk.com/weekly-courses



Talking about their school day

Having a nice chat with your child about their day at school helps them to connect and reflect with their loved ones.

Here are some conversation-starters which parents/guardians could use -

What was the **best** thing you did today?

What **lesson** did you **like** today? Why?

What was the **hardest** thing you did today?

Tell me a **new thing** you learned today?

Who did you **play** with at playtime today?

Choosing a Primary School

Virtual information session



Is your child due to start Primary School in September 2025?

This information session is for parents/carers of children with SEND (special educational needs or disabilities)

There will be a short talk about what to expect, what you need to do and an opportunity to ask questions.

Wednesday 10th July 2024
10 am - 11:30 am

This session will be held online using Microsoft Teams

Click here to book your place on Eventbrite or scan the QR code



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For more information please contact SIAS (Southwark Information, Advice and support)



sias@southwark.gov.uk



020 7525 3104



Choosing a Secondary School

Virtual information session

Is your child due to start Secondary School in September 2025?

This information session is for parents/carers of children with SEND (special educational needs or disabilities)

There will be a short talk about what to expect, what you need to do and an opportunity to ask questions .



Wednesday 10th July 2024
1pm - 2:30 pm

This session will be held online using Microsoft Teams

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THIS FESTIVE SEASON THEATRE PECKHAM PRESENTS



PAN!

PETER'S COME OUT TO PLAY

AUDITION DAY

CALLING ALL TALENTED YOUNG PEOPLE WHO LOVE TO
ACT, SING AND DANCE!
THEATRE PECKHAM INVITES YOU TO JOIN OUR
AUDITION DAY
ON SATURDAY 6TH JULY.

ANYONE BETWEEN THE AGES OF 8-16 CAN JOIN US AT
ONE OF THESE TIMES SLOTS;

SLOT 1

11AM - 12:30PM



SLOT 2

12:PM - 2PM

