



Week beginning 5 5 26

Dear Parent/Carers,

Thank you for taking time to read this bulletin. It will be shared every two weeks (term time only).

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Dear Parents/ Carers,

We have had a fantastic start to the term and are excited to share some of the wonderful learning experiences taking place across the school.

Our new “**Royal Writes**” initiative is now underway, marking an exciting outcome of our “*I Am a Clever Writer*” journey. Through this process, children have been developing their writing skills and have been eagerly anticipating the opportunity to produce their own independent pieces. It has been wonderful to see their creativity and confidence shine in classrooms.

Year 6 enjoyed an exciting trip to Pizza Express, using the experience as inspiration for their writing back in the classroom. Meanwhile, Year 4 had a memorable visit to the Mandir, deepening their understanding of Hinduism through first-hand experience. A big well done to our aspiring rockstars, who delivered a fantastic performance for the school and parents at their first Rocksteady Concert.

Looking ahead, we have some exciting whole school events planned:

- The “**3 for 2**” **Travelling Book Fair** will arrive on **Tuesday 19th May** – a great opportunity to inspire a love of reading at home. Look out for the posters for details.
- Our **International Day** will take place on **Wednesday 20th May**. Children are invited to come dressed in traditional clothing or in the colours of their country’s flag.
- We invite parents and carers to get involved on International Day by filling out this [google form](#) or scanning the QR code----->
- If you would like to prepare a dish from your country of origin, please bring it to the office by the morning of Wednesday 20th May.
- If you would like to read a traditional story or speak to classes about your culture, we would love to hear from you—please sign up via the form.
- The **International Food Fair** will be open from **3:30–4:30pm in the school hall**. Do come along and enjoy a variety of delicious dishes from around the world. Please note this will be a **cash-only event**. We look forward to celebrating our diverse school community together!



Attendance Matters!

★ Well done to our winning class attendance champions. Keep up the good work. ★

20/4- Year 4 Sparrows 98.1 % 27/4- Sparrows 95%

When your child attends school regularly and on time they...

Develop new skills

Achieve

Make friends

Build confidence and self esteem

Develop good habits and routines

Useful links for families - shared by Ealing Family Support Network



[SEN network slides](#)

[Toilet training video](#)

[Proper Project](#) - free Saturday and Holiday clubs

[Boys and Men mentoring programme](#)


[Cost of living budgeting workshop](#)

[Baby massage course](#)

[Deep rest relaxation sessions](#)

[SEND, relationships and puberty workshops](#)

Saturday 9 May
The Dominion Centre, Southall




Ealing Book Festival
29 April - 3 May 2026

Family Story Day

Join us for a free day, full of stories!

- **10 - 10.45am** Children's Story Time for 3-5 yr olds
- **11.15am - 12.30pm** Your First Poem Workshop with poet Narvir Singh (for 8 - 12 yr olds). Limited places.
- **1 - 2pm** Children's Author Session for 6 - 9 year olds. Hear new stories by Ealing's own authors.

All events are free but booking is essential at ealingbookfestival.com

Upcoming Dates

Come join us!



Come along to ReActon for reuse & repair

- Free School Uniform
- Free household paint
- Book swap
- Plus other activities

Where: ReActon
Stirling Road
W3 8DJ

Opening hours

- Tuesday 5 May, 11 am - 2 pm
- Friday 8 May, 12 noon - 3 pm
- Monday 11 May, 11 am - 2 pm
- Friday 15 May, 12 noon - 3 pm
- Saturday 16 May, 11 am - 2 pm
- Monday 18 May, 11 am - 2 pm
- Friday 22 May, 12 noon - 3 pm
- Tuesday 26 May, 11 am - 2 pm

Safeguarding Spotlight

Social Media: It has come to our attention that some of our pupils have access to platforms intended for older users, such as Tik- Tok or Snapchat. There are many risks associated with this including:

- Exposure to inappropriate or distressing content
- Copying harmful trends or challenges
- Contact from people they don't know

Online gaming: Online games are one of the main ways children communicate.

Parents should be aware of:

- Voice and text chat with unknown players
- Pressure to make in-game purchases
- Children moving from games to private messaging apps, leading to risks of unwanted/ inappropriate contact

Worried about the safety of a child?

If you ever have **concerns about the safety or wellbeing of a child, please let us know in school.** Concerns can also be reported directly to ECIRS, which coordinates support from social care, health and police services to ensure children receive help quickly when needed. Call- 020 8825 8000 or if a child is in immediate danger, report it to the police by calling 999.

Operation Encompass- we are working in collaboration with the Metropolitan Police Service as part of their legal commitments under Operation Encompass. Operation Encompass is the notification to schools that a child (under 18) has been exposed to, or involved in, any domestic incident. [see letter](#)

Thank you for your continued support in helping us keep all of our children safe.

Our Safeguarding Team

Speak to Us

If you have any concerns about a child's safety or wellbeing, please speak to a member of our Designated Safeguarding Team.

Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL):



Ms Moxom
Deputy Headteacher

Deputy DSLs:



Ms Hasker
Headteacher



Mrs Sherborne
EYFS Lead



Ms Chatrath
Curriculum
Lead/Yr 4 teacher

Our Safeguarding Governor:



Mrs S Kenworthy Wright
Chair of Governors



Key dates- available on the website calendar- [click here](#) or scan the QR code

- Friday 8th May- Year 4 trip to Greenwood Primary School
- Monday 11th May- Yr 6 SATS week.
- Monday 18th May- RHE Parent drop in sessions 8:45- 9:15am or 2:30-3:00pm
- Tuesday 19th May- Travelling Book Fair arrives. It will be open 3:15-3:45pm on Tuesday 19th, Thursday 21st and Monday 2nd June (after half term).
- Wednesday 20th May- International Day- celebration of culture in the hall 3:30-4:30pm
- Thursday 21st May- Year 3 trip to British Museum
- HALF TERM- Week beginning 25th May . Pupils return on Monday 2nd June
- Friday 5th June- Careers Day
- Thursday 25th June- Sports Day (EYFS/KS1 am ; KS2 pm)- details coming soon
- Friday 3rd July- Summer Festival 3:30pm- 5:30pm



Next bulletin- Monday 18th May 2026