



# Drayton Green Primary School

## Newsletter 2.5.25

Whole school attendance this week = **95.18%**

Well done to **4G** and **5D** who had **100%** attendance. Fantastic, keep it up!

We are almost half way through the half term and we hope everyone has been enjoying the sunshine!

The new clubs have started and the children are enjoying doing all of the activities. If your child is in a club, please collect them from the main gate when the clubs finish at 4pm.

Next week we will be joining in with the national celebrations for the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary of VE day. The children can wear red, white and blue clothes on Thursday, there will be a special themed school lunch and the children will be learning about the history of VE day in their classes and assemblies.

We are planning a school wide international day celebration for later in the year. If you would like to support us by running an activity, e.g. teaching a song or dance from a different country, or if you could bring in food or clothes from another country, please contact the office to let us know.

Some parents have contacted the school recently as they are concerned about antisocial behaviour that is happening in the park across the road or other areas locally. If you see anything that is dangerous or worrying, please contact the police straight away! We are working with the local safer community policing team, however we cannot pass on concerns the next day or that are reported by someone else.

### Certificate winners

Well done to the following children who were awarded a certificate in assembly this week or last week for their efforts with their work, behaviour and attitudes.

Reception – Amjad, Cairo, Hasan, Maryam, Noah

Year 1 – Anita, Hana, Khari May, Mohammed A, Saif

Year 2 – Anah, Ayman, Dana, Ezra, Hadiah, Hope, Kamila, Rahman, Rayyan

### Dates to remember

**Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May** – Bank holiday (school closed)

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> May** – VE day celebrations - dress in red, white and blue & themed school lunch for VE day

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May** – SATS week for Year 6 children

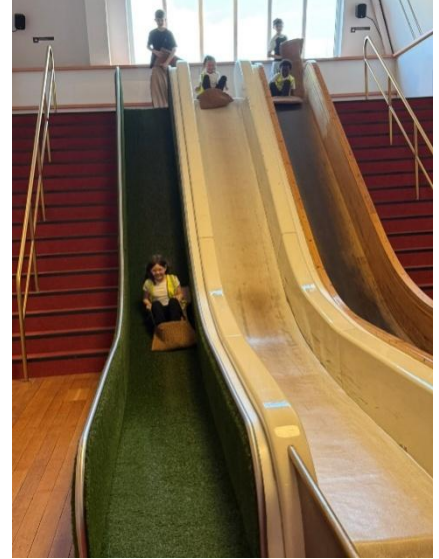
**Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> May**, at 9:00am or 2:15pm – RSHE parent workshop

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> May** – 1G class assembly

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May** – Half term holiday (school closed)

## Year 3 trip to the Science Museum

Year 3 went to the Science Museum last Friday. They had a fantastic day and enjoyed travelling to the museum on the Tube. When they were at the Science museum they did a workshop and explored other exhibitions. They were able to do lots of hands on experiments and there was even a slide, which was great fun!



## Hot weather

Please make sure that your child has a sun hat in school every day, labelled with their name. It is also very important to send in a water bottle every day so that the children don't overheat and get dehydrated!



Please only put water into the water bottles, no juice or other drinks!



Remember to put sun cream on your children before they come to school, if it is due to be very hot.

**Children are not allowed to wear sunglasses or open toe shoes (sandals) for safety reasons.**

## Parent workshops for RSHE curriculum

As part of the National Curriculum, it is mandatory for schools to teach RSHE, which stands for Relationships, Sex and Health Education.

RSHE is about the emotional, social and cultural development of pupils and involves learning about relationships, sexual health, sexuality, healthy lifestyles, diversity and personal identity.

We are being supported by the RSHE lead from Ealing, who will be delivering sessions for the children and she will also run a parent workshop on **20<sup>th</sup> May, at 9:00am and 2:15pm**. These workshops will cover the same information but should enable more parents to attend, you will only need to attend one workshop.

Please see our RSHE policy on our website or attend the parent workshop for more information on what will be taught to the children during these lessons.

## Attendance and punctuality

Our attendance figures are improving as a school and we have seen that more children are coming to school every day. This is brilliant and will have a huge impact on their progress as they won't be missing out on lessons and key knowledge.

Unfortunately, there has been an increase of children arriving after the gates have closed or trying to come in to the playground through the back gates after 8:45am.

We would like to remind parents that children will not be allowed to come into the Drayton Green gate entrance after 8:45 and you will need to go to the front gate to sign your child in.

We appreciate that there may be occasions where your morning has not gone to plan and you may be late, it is better to be in school late than not to attend, however please speak to the staff on the gate politely as they are just enforcing the school policy and keeping all children safe by closing the Drayton Green entrance gate.

## Parent Governor Vacancy

Last week we sent out a letter and newsletter to say that there is a vacancy for a parent governor.

If you are interested in this role please contact Sandra Scott, Clerk to Governors on [sscott70.307@lgflmail.org](mailto:sscott70.307@lgflmail.org) by **Friday 9<sup>th</sup> May 2025**.

If you would like further information about the role please email Sandra to arrange a meeting. Please note that if we receive more applications than there are vacancies an election will need to be held.



**Come and join us for the VE Day 80<sup>th</sup>  
Celebration Lunch  
8th of May 2025.  
Menu**

Selection of Sandwiches :  
Cheese, Tuna, Cucumber or Egg.

A selection of mini savouries :  
Cheese & Onion Puffs  
Homemade Chicken Sausage Rolls  
Vegan Quorn Nuggets  
Southern Style Chicken Goujons  
Margherita Pizzas  
Potato Wedges

Coronation Pasta Salad  
Carrot & Cucumber Sticks

Ice Cream,  
Jam Sponge,  
Strawberry Jelly,  
Fresh Fruits.



## Ealing Park Ride

Calling all cyclists. You are invited to join the Ealing Park Ride on Saturday 24 May 2025 at 11am.

There are two rides:

- Churchfields Recreation Ground to Pitshanger Park and back
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- There's also a meeting point in Perivale Park between 11.30 at 11.45am

## Why do the Ealing Park Ride?

There's a cycling goodie bag for the school with the most participants. It will also be great exercise, a chance to enjoy riding with others and a great way to explore Ealing's fantastic green spaces.

## How do you sign up?

To book a free space go to <https://bit.ly/ealingparkride>. Choose a starting point.

Participation is recommended for children aged 6 and over, and they must be with an adult.

