

Dear Grange Community,

We have come to the end of a very 'active' - packed term. I use the word 'active' because 'active learning' is one of our priorities at Grange. We want to make the learning active so that it is more engaging and also 'sticks' in the children's long-term memory. Music at Grange is a great example of how we value active learning and the concerts culminating in the violin concert today and yesterday's irock concert are wonderful examples of how much progress our children make because of our commitment to active learning.

Another wonderful example was the dance showcase which was just sheer joy and 'actively' brought classes together as caring communities of learning. Look out for more opportunities and I encourage all children to avail themselves of their free taster session with irock this coming term. Just let Ms Joshi or myself know and every Thursday there will be opportunities for one free taster session per child.

Thank you to the PTFA for their fabulous Easter bonnet parade and great Treat market and I hope you got your raffle tickets.

Wishing all a peaceful holiday. Our attendance did slip below 95% over the Eid period so please everyone lets work together to get all our children of Grange to school every school day!
See you on April 13th 2026 at 8.30am



CC Salute
Mr Kerbel
Headteacher
Grange



We are excited to invite parents to view our pupils' science projects on April 30th, next half term. The children have been exploring a range of topics through hands-on investigations, creative experiments, and collaborative learning.

This is a wonderful opportunity to join in celebrating their curiosity, effort, and scientific thinking. We look forward to welcoming you and sharing the fantastic work our young scientists have produced.



Thank you to our local Tesco and PCSO David Neal for their lovely gestures of support for our PTFA

Happy Easter to all celebrating - blessings
of Peace, Health and Prosperity

Year 6 Football Team makes history for Grange!

On Wednesday 18th March our Year 6 boys and girls football teams played their last matches of the season against Camrose Primary School. Thank you to Whitmore High School for the use of their pitches. It was an unforgettable evening for all involved with the added bonus of some lovely warm, sunshine!

It was a friendly match for our girls team and they played so well, showing the great progress they have made this year. The game ended 0-0. Well done to all the team; we are so very proud of you all!

For our boys team, a lot was riding on this final league match; a win, would mean winning the league group and remaining undefeated!

Our boys played with determination, displaying great teamwork and skill - the CC way. 2 goals in the second half secured victory for Grange! We are so inspired by the boys, not only for winning their league but also for all the camaraderie, good sportsmanship and excellent level that they showed throughout the whole competition. This is CC power in action!

As you can see in the photo, a range of emotions followed; shock, disbelief and pure joy! Huge congratulations; a result like this has not been achieved for at least 20 years at Grange!!

It was also heartwarming to see the support the boys and the girls gave each other, cheering and inspiring each other on.

None of this would have been possible without the regular training sessions provided by Mr. Dowling and the support of Ms Thurlow and Ms Barnes and Ms R Shah especially for the tournament admin and travel organisation.

Thank you all for your dedication and support.

We are looking forward to celebrating this fantastic achievement in our Sports Presentation Assembly on 17th April.



Year 6 Cricket Tournament

On Wednesday, 4th March, our Year 6 Cricket Team took part in another indoor tournament held at Harrow School. We are very thankful to Harrow School cricket coaches, Hari and Graeme, who coach our children on Monday lunchtimes for preparing them for this event. A big thank you also to Mr. Dowling and Mrs. Watson for accompanying the children and supporting the lunchtime practice sessions and thank you to Ms R Shah for all the admin and organisation.

Progress was made with the children improving their performance from the last tournament and they were delighted to win a game! It's clear that the children had a wonderful experience as they describe below:

The cricket was really fun. We lost some of our games but it was nice that we got to play other schools. A big thank you to our coaches - **Joshua**

I really liked the cricket tournament because it was really fun and everyone had a go at playing. The lunch was really good too and we got to play many games. The shaking hands part was really respectful.
- **Nitasha**



The cricket tournament was so good and when we got there we played 3 matches. We only won 1 game but in the last game we lost by just 2 points! The lunch was so delicious! - **Israr**

At the cricket tournament, I had a lot of fun and I really enjoyed the competition. It improved my awareness and hand strength which I was very happy about - **Harun**

We won 1 game and lost 2 games. I really liked it when we practised cricket. I liked when the person kindly gave us our lunch and said, 'Welcome back' - **Krishna**

Aamaya's Easter Bonnet

We enjoyed the Easter bonnet parade this year but sadly, (due to timetable pressure) we were only able to hold the parade for the younger children.

We got feedback from parents and children that they really would like all the children included so next year we are aiming to include all the children.

We were so impressed with Aamaya who despite not being able to take part in the parade this year, still worked with her Mum to make this spectacular Easter bonnet and was awarded 1000 class charts points!
Happy Easter





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BE ACTIVE Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6 CRICKET AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

HIT, RUN, SCORE!

WHEN- WEDNESDAYS- 3.15-4.15PM
PRICE-£25 – 5 SESSIONS IN TOTAL (£5 PER SESSION)
START DATE- WEDNESDAY 22ND APRIL

OUR YEAR 3-6 CRICKET CLUB HELPS CHILDREN BUILD CONFIDENCE, TEAMWORK, AND KEY SPORTING SKILLS IN A FUN AND SUPPORTIVE ENVIRONMENT. THROUGH EXCITING GAMES AND ACTIVITIES, CHILDREN WILL DEVELOP BATTING, BOWLING, FIELDING, MOVEMENT, AND COORDINATION WHILE LEARNING THE FUNDAMENTALS OF CRICKET—EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

Register at:
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We are really enjoying our partnership with iRock and a number of children have signed up to learn band skills and have performed.

iRock are offering any child a free taster session so talk to your child and see if they are interested and they just need to let their teacher know and on the Thursday they will be able to join in a free session.

If you are interested in signing up, please contact irock



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Grange Primary School Super Spellers!



Well done to



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| ★ Dwij, Rashford | ★ Akul, Cervantes |
| ★ Sofia, Greta | ★ Kayla, Turing |
| ★ Heavenly, Shakespeare | ★ Dhani, Turing |
| ★ Qasim, Rashford | ★ Zekani, Laurentiu |
| ★ Aamaya, Greta | ★ Noku, Shakespeare |

For being our top 10 Super Spellers this week!

To be in with the chance of being a super speller, log into Spelling Shed and practise your spelling!

TERM DATES 2026 - 2027

Autumn Term 2026

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| Staff training day: | Wednesday 2 nd September 2026 | School Closed for children |
| Staff training day: | Thursday 3 rd September 2026 | School Closed for children |
| Staff training day: | Friday 4 th September 2026 | School Closed for children |
| School opens for children: | Monday 7 th September 2026 | School Open |
| Half term holiday: | Monday 26 th October 2026 to Friday 30 th October 2026 | School closed |
| Staff training day: | Monday 2 nd November 2026 | School Closed for children |
| School opens for children: | Tuesday 3 rd November 2026 | School open |
| Last day of term: | Friday 18 th December 2026 | School closes at 1.15pm |
| Christmas break: | Monday 21 st December 2026 to Friday 1 st January 2027 | School closed |

Spring Term 2027

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| School opens for children: | Monday 4 th January 2027 | School open |
| Half term holiday: | Monday 15 th February 2027 to Friday 19 th February 2027 | School closed |
| School opens for children: | Monday 22 nd February 2027 | School open |
| Last day of term: | Thursday 25 th March 2027 | School closes at 1.15pm |
| Easter break: | Friday 26 th March 2027 to Friday 9 th April 2027 | School closed |

Summer Term 2027

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| School opens for children: | Monday 12 th April 2027 | School open |
| May bank holiday: | Monday 3 rd May 2027 | School closed |
| Half term holiday: | Monday 31 st May 2027 to Friday 4 th June 2027 | School closed |
| School opens for children: | Monday 7 th June 2027 | School open |
| Last day of term: | Wednesday 21 st July 2027 | School closes at 1.15pm |
| Staff training day: | Thursday 22 nd July 2027 | School closed for children |

GRANGE DATES 2026

April

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| Tuesday 14 th | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y2 Fire Service Visit |
| Thursday 16 th | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y5 trip to Tate Modern Grange Movie Night 3:40 -5:00pm KS2 Hall |
| Friday 17 th | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y3-6 Reading Workshop For Parents -8:45-9:30am in KS2 Hall Sports presentation assembly -1:40-2:35pm |
| Tuesday 21 st | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y4 Harrow Mosque Trip 12:00-5:00pm |
| Wednesday 22 nd | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reception Dental Hygienist Visit |
| Tuesday 28 th | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scholastic Book fair Reception - Height & Weight |
| Wednesday 29 th | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scholastic Book fair Y6 - Height & Weight |
| Thursday 30 th | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scholastic Book Fair Science Project Expo - KS2 Hall |

SUMMER MENU

Week of 13th April

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| <p>Monday</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mac'n'Cheese BBQ Veggie Burrito Ice Cream or Fresh fruit <p>Wednesday</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chicken sausage with mash & gravy Vegan sausage with mash & gravy Oat & Banana Biscuit or Fresh Fruit <p>Friday</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fish Finger with Chips Falafel with Chips Chocolate Brownie or Fresh Fruit | <p>Tuesday</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jerk chicken & rice Veggie Cottage Pie Fruity Flapjack or Fresh Fruit <p>Thursday</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Greek chicken with lemon & herb couscous Margherita Pizza with sweetcorn Vegan Jelly or Fresh Fruit <p>Tomato Pasta & Jacket Potato (With Beans/Cheese/Tuna) will be served every day</p> |
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Easter Break 30th March - 10th April 2026
First Day back 13th April for all children

