

Dear Grange Community

I am looking forward to the Nativity performances next week and hoping to see many of you there. December will be filled with great events at Grange including our traditional reindeer visit, violin concerts and the grotto.

I wanted to acknowledge the generosity of our community and amongst others, we have had families donating old costumes (that will be used in our nativity) and purchasing kettles for the staffroom to demonstrate their gratitude for the Grange staff and our neighbouring school, Orley Farm, donating Christmas presents for our children. These are just some of the acts of kindness that we are blessed with at Grange. One of our HT Hot Chocolate Heroes said today that what motivates her is that she feels that people help her and she appreciates it and feels that she should put that kindness back into the world. I found this a beautiful sentiment so wonderfully expressed and very inspiring!

We said thank you to the outgoing PTA committee at the PTA AGM on Wednesday. We appreciate the hard work and dedication they put in and wish the new committee strength and blessings to succeed for our school. They will be selling refreshments at the Nativity. On Monday we will find out the results of the Parent Governor elections and thank both candidates for their willingness to serve our school. Enjoy the weekend



CC Salute
Mr Kerbel
Headteacher
Grange

"Refreshments will be available to buy from the PTA before the Christmas Nativity on December 3rd and 4th. We encourage families to arrive early and bring cash for any purchases."

Year 5 trip to Science Museum.

On Wednesday 26th November, Year 5 went on an exciting trip to the Science Museum.

As part of their Science topic on Space, this visit was organised to deepen and reinforce their learning. During the trip, the children had the opportunity to watch the 3D film *Our Beautiful Planet*—an unforgettable experience in the IMAX cinema.

From the wild plains of Antarctica and the mighty T. rex, to the mysterious depths of the ocean and life aboard the International Space Station, the film took the children on an incredible journey.

Aaliyah from Turing Class shared, "I felt like I was flying through the galaxy. The overall experience was spectacular!"

Dhani said, "My favourite part of the trip was the 3D film *Our Beautiful Planet*. I also liked the Space Gallery!"

Eden mentioned, "The film showed us the lifestyle of astronauts on the International Space Station."

The children had a wonderful, enriching experience and returned buzzing with excitement and curiosity.



Amazing Adventure Booklet Learning!

So many children have completed wonderful Adventure Booklet tasks so far this term. Can you spot yours below or on our display?

When you complete an adventure booklet task, you can either bring in your work or ask your grown up to email pictures to your year group email (e.g. yr1@grange.harrow.sch.uk) or the school office email.

YEAR 1



Help tidy up at home

Visit a shop and buy ingredients for a recipe

Make a home for an insect



Plan and cook a meal

YEAR 4



YEAR 2

Make a musical instrument

Design & create a plasticine animal

Draw a map of your bedroom
Write your own song

YEAR 4

Learn about a religion and visit a place of worship



Visit a park or nature reserve



Make a hand puppet

Make and wear a mask



Create art inspired by nature

Create a model volcano

YEAR 4



YEAR 6

Research a Spanish or Latin American artist and create/re-create a piece of artwork in their style



YEAR 5

Make a model planet

Grange Super Spellers!



Well done to



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| ★ Qasim, Rashford | ★ Heavenly, Shakespeare |
| ★ Kaarunya, Bob Marley | ★ Vishva, Cervantes |
| ★ Aamaya, Greta | ★ Akul, Cervantes |
| ★ Dhani, Turning | ★ Hannah, Laurentiu |
| ★ Navya, Bob Marley | ★ Jenina, Bob Marley |

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!

Headteacher Hot Chocolate Heroes

Children from Years 3- 6 have been selected for the **Headteacher's Hot Chocolate session** for making brilliant CC choices this past week



Pahal
Hasona
Maan
Ranuthi
Sophia D
Aftaab
Shahad
Omar
Taibah



GRANGE DATES 2025

December

Monday 1 st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y6 Study workshop by a professional external provider Nebula/Sunshine trip to Watford Theatre 	Monday 15 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Harrow Music Staff Performance concert for staff and children
Tuesday 2 nd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Yr3 Online Science(rocks & minerals) Workshop Nativity Dress Rehearsal 	Tuesday 16 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Yr5 trip to Imperial War Museum Christmas Themed visit from Church Elder for EYFS
Wednesday 3 rd	Nativity Performance 1: 9:30am (ticketed) 2: 2:00pm (ticketed)	Wednesday 17 th	Christmas Themed visit from Church Elder for Yr1
Thursday 4 th	Nativity Performance 3: 9:30am (ticketed)	Friday 19 th	School closes for Christmas break at 1:15pm
Friday 5 th	Yr5&6 Violin Concert - Rehearsal		
Tuesday 9 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Y4 HAC pantomime Book Fair 		
Wednesday 10 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Grotto Yr2,3&4 Music Concert at 9:00am -KS2 Hall Book Fair 		
Thursday 11 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Yr3 trip to British Museum Book Fair 		
Friday 12 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reindeers Visit Christmas Lunch Yr5&6 Violin Concert Performance 		

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Autumn Term 2025

3:15 - 4:15 PM

All After-School Activity clubs will finish week commencing

1st December 2025

No Afterschool Childcare Club on Friday 19th December

No Afternoon Nursery on Friday 19th December 2025