

Dear Grange Community

We have been enjoying the wonderful autumnal sunshine and the children have been enjoying playing in the playground and immersing themselves in their learning in the classrooms.

This year we have a powerful goal to help us achieve even more as a school. We want to engage as many parents and carers as possible so that they can support their children at home so that our children thrive in school.

For this reason we have been putting on more parent workshops such as the Multiplication Timetables check workshop yesterday and the Phonics workshop today. We really appreciate all the parents and carers who turn up. The more you know, the more you can support your children and the greater the children's chances at succeeding.

We are looking at our communications to help improve attendance at these workshops and that is why we have the new website and Parent Rep whatsapp groups.

We also gain so much from the feedback from parents and carers coming and we use feedback to grow at Grange.

We were happy to see Grange in the Metro this week in the article focussed on schools who have received their Gold travel award. We are inspired to do more to make travel safer and better for the environment. The Young Ambassadors for peace went on their first trip this week and the Student Council Student council is up and running. We feel heartened as winter approaches.

Thank you to everyone who came to our Meet the Teacher events recently. We know not everyone was able to join, and we want to understand how we can make these sessions better for all families.

Parent engagement is very important to us. When school and families work closely together, children do better.

We have made a short survey for all parents - whether you came to the meeting or not. It will only take a few minutes to complete. Your answers will help us plan future events that work for more families.



CC salute
Mr Kerbel
headteacher
Grange



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Primary Shakespeare Company Prize-Giving 2025 at the House of Lords

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For the second time in a row, we were lucky enough to win the Primary Shakespeare Company's Annie Williams Prize thanks to the hard work of last year's Year 5 children and staff. This is a prize that is awarded to the school that shows the children's outstanding immersion in the play and curriculum, demonstrating impact through attainment and the wider school community as well as the classes.

We could not be prouder of everyone's efforts and we are very grateful to be included in such a brilliant project year on year. On Thursday 18th September, we took two (now) Year 6 pupils to the House of Lords to help us do a presentation about the work completed in the Summer Term last academic year. Izan and Matei shared their thoughts about their own experience through the project which left the company's founders extremely impressed- they really did shine!



The prize-giving was such an inspiring afternoon and a brilliant celebration of the arts, music, creativity, collaboration and the power of Shakespeare for all children. It was wonderful to see other Harrow schools proudly representing the borough too.



Well done and congratulations to Malala Class and Rumi Class! Look out for Izan's article about the special day in next week's newsletter.



Grange Super Spellers!



Well done to



★ Jenina , Bob Marley

★ Kaarunya , Bob Marley

★ Noah , Equiano

★ Dhani , Alan Turing

★ Ahmad , Equiano

★ Sofia, Laurentiu

★ Abdul-Rafay, Laurentiu

★ Luis, Laurentiu

★ Jaison, Alan Turing

★ Maria, Rumi

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

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



Khalid
Josiah T
Rico
Melissa
Jayden
Elyas
Farhan
Malak



GRANGE DATES 2025

SCHOOL CALENDAR - MONTH

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS A/W/S/S TERM 2025 3:15 - 4:15 PM

Tuesday 30th September

Y2 C02 Workshops

October

Wednesday 1st Reception-Y6
flu Vaccination

Thursday 2nd Individual Photo Day

Friday 3rd Y6 Residential Parents
Meeting & Meet the
Teacher repeat 8:45 -
9:15am in KS2 Hall

Tuesday 7th Year 5 Meet the
Teacher repeat 8:45 -
9:15am in KS2 Hall

Year 4 Trip to V&A Museum

Thursday 16th

Friday 17th Y6 trip to RAF Museum
Mufti day Diwali Dance workshop.

Wednesday 22nd Y5 Trip to the
Southbank centre

Monday 27th-
Friday 31st

Half Term

Boys Football Y4-Y6

Tuesday Homework and Maths Y3-Y4

Gardening Y2-Y4

Jewellery Making Y4- 6

Wednesday Multiskills Y1-Y3

Badminton Y4-Y6

Cross stitch/Sewing Y2-Y6

Thursday Dodgeball Y1-Y3

Friday Girls Football Y4 - Y6
Board and video games Y3-Y6

Autumn Term afterschool
activity clubs

All afterschool activity clubs will
run for 10 weeks starting from
week commencing 22nd September

3rd November INSET DAY
(No school for children)

4th November School open for
Children