

# Pelham Primary School

Newsletter Friday 28th February 2025



Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had an amazing first week back at Pelham. The children have been amazing with their learning and have been fully immersed with their new topics. It has been wonderful to see the children so excited and eager to learn.

The PSFA movie night was a resounding success, transforming the school hall into a cozy cinema. The night was a testament to the strong community spirit, with volunteers working tirelessly to ensure everything ran smoothly.

Class Dojo has quickly become a favourite communication tool, proving a hit with all. The platform's engaging interface and real-time updates on classroom activities and student progress have fostered a strong sense of connection. Parents particularly appreciate the ability to see their child's achievements and receive positive feedback. If you require log-in details for class dojo please speak with your child's class teacher.

Next Thursday promises to be a magical day at school, as we celebrate the joy of reading with World Book Day! We encourage everyone to embrace the spirit of storytelling and share their passion for reading, making it a truly memorable occasion. Expect a day filled with engaging activities, exciting book-related events, and a wonderful celebration of the power of imagination and the written word. Children are invited to dress as their favourite book character, pajamas are also welcome.

Best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Mr. Robinson'.

Mr Robinson  
Executive Head Teacher/ Director of Standards

# Dates for your Diary



| Monday 3rd March<br>2025 | Tuesday 4th March<br>2025 | Wednesday 5th March<br>2025            | Thursday 6th March<br>2025  | Friday 7th March<br>2025 |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|--|---|--------------------------|
|                          |                           | 9.30am<br>Nursery 2025<br>Open Morning | World Book Day<br><br>Nourish Catering<br>Theme Day Lunch<br>(see page 4) |                          |

## Attendance % & Number of Children Late

For w/e: 28/02/25



Challenge– Let's hit the 96% mark for all classes. Those classes who have had the biggest improvement will win a prize!

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|--------------|-------|---|
| Caterpillars | 93.0% | 6 |
| Bumblebees   | 97.9% | 1 |
| Ladybirds    | 91.5% | 2 |
| Butterflies  | 99.1% | 2 |
| Dragonflies  | 98.3% | 3 |
| Kangaroos    | 94.2% | 3 |
| Koalas       | 95.7% | 1 |
| Penguins     | 96.3% | 4 |
| Polar Bears  | 98.3% | 2 |
| Flamingos    | 96.2% | 0 |
| Pelicans     | 94.7% | 2 |
| Giraffes     | 96.3% | 1 |
| Zebra        | 94.4% | 3 |
| Parakeets    | 97.5% | 2 |
| Starlings    | 94.8% | 3 |

# Menu

# WEEKLY MENUS

**NOURISH**  
grow with us  
**NOVEMBER 2024  
 TO MARCH 2025**

**LOOK OUT FOR  
 OUR THEMED DAYS!**

## WEEK ONE

- 4TH NOVEMBER
- 2ND DECEMBER
- 6TH JANUARY
- 3RD FEBRUARY
- 10TH MARCH

## WEEK TWO

- 11TH NOVEMBER
- 9TH DECEMBER
- 13TH JANUARY
- 10TH FEBRUARY
- 17TH MARCH

## WEEK THREE

- 18TH NOVEMBER
- 16TH DECEMBER
- 20TH JANUARY
- 24TH FEBRUARY
- 24TH MARCH

## WEEK FOUR

- 25TH NOVEMBER
- 30TH DECEMBER
- 27TH JANUARY
- 3RD MARCH
- 31ST MARCH

## FRIDAY

Fish Fingers 1,8  
 Cheese & Tomato Puff 1,7,V  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Chips, Peas, Baked Beans, Coleslaw 9  
 Ginger Biscuit 1,15 VG  
 Yoghurt 3,7  
 Fruit Pots VG

## THURSDAY

Chicken Arabiatha Pasta 1  
 Biryani Balls in a Curry Sauce 1VG  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Seasonal Vegetables  
 Chocolate & Vanilla Cake 1,7  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

## WEDNESDAY

Roast Turkey & Gravy  
 Falafel Burger 1,5 VG  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Rustic Roast Potatoes or Jollof Rice  
 Cauliflower, Broccoli  
 Fruit Jelly VG  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

## TUESDAY

Beef Stew & Dumpling 1  
 Pesto Pasta Bake 1,7,V  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Herby Bread 1,3,7,9, Green Beans, Carrots  
 Apple Crumble 1VG & Custard 7  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Fruit Pots VG

## MONDAY

Cheese & Bean Lasagne 1,3,4,7,9,V  
 Sweet Potato & Chick Pea Curry VG  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Rice, Sweetcorn, Peppers  
 Rice Pudding & Syrup 7  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Fruit Pots VG

Salmon Fish Cake 1,7,8  
 Margherita Pizza 1,3,7,9,V  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Chips, Peas, Baked Beans, Carrot Sticks  
 Jaffa Biscuit 1VG  
 Yoghurt 3,7  
 Fruit Pots VG

Macaroni Cheese 1,7,V  
 Rice & Bean Burrito 1VG  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Baked Wedges, Green Beans, Cauliflower  
 Fruit Loaf 1,3,7,9  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

Roast Chicken & Gravy  
 Vegan Sausage Roll 1VG  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Rustic Roast Potatoes or Jollof Rice  
 Cabbage, Sweetcorn  
 Chocolate Crispy Cake 1,3,7,16  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

Mild Chilli 4  
 Pesto & Pea Penne 1,7,V  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Rice, Seasonal Vegetables  
 Toffee Apple Pudding 1VG & Custard 7  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Fruit Pots VG

Chicken & Sweetcorn Pie 1  
 Herby Tomato Pasta Twists 1VG  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 New Potatoes, Carrots, Peas  
 Ice Cream 7  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Fruit Pots VG

Sausages 1,6  
 Quorn Sausage 1VG  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Chips, Peas  
 Baked Beans, Roasted Onions  
 Apple Piejack 1,15 VG  
 Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

Sweet Chilli Chicken Noodles 1,3,16  
 Potato & Vegetable Cake  
 with Tomato Sauce VG  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Garlic Bread 1,3,7,9, Seasonal Vegetables  
 Cinnamon Roll 1,3,7,9  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

Savoury Mince & Yorkshire Puddings 1,7,9  
 Samosa Puff 1VG  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Rustic Roast Potatoes, Cabbage, Peas  
 Fruit Jelly VG  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

Cheese & Onion Pinwheel 1,7,V  
 Spaghetti Vegetable Bolognese 1VG  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 New Potatoes, Green Beans, Carrots  
 Syrup Sponge 1VG & Custard 7  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Fruit Pots VG

Katsu Chicken Nugget 1  
 Cheesy Pasta Bake 1,7,V  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Rice, Sweetcorn, Peppers  
 Chocolate Whip 7  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Fruit Pots VG

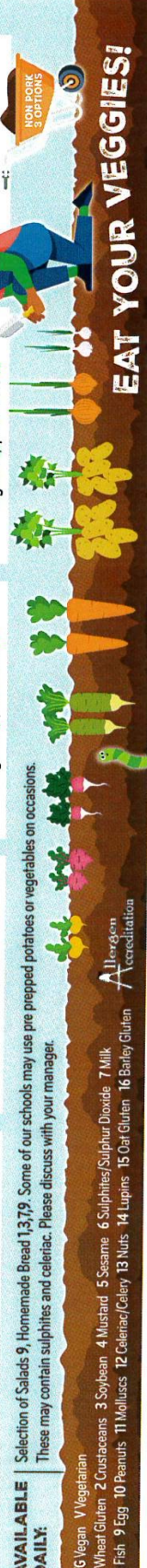
Fish Fingers 1,8  
 Bruschetta 1,7,V  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Chips, Peas, Baked Beans, Coleslaw 9  
 Coconut Cookie 1,7  
 Yoghurt 3,7  
 Fruit Pots VG

Bolognese Penne Pasta 1  
 Cheesy Cajun Wedges 4,7,V  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Cauliflower, Broccoli  
 Jam & Vanilla Cake 1VG  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

Roast Chicken & Gravy  
 Chinese Tofu wrap 1,3,16 VG  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Rustic Roast Potatoes or Jollof Rice  
 Green Beans, Carrots  
 Ice Cream 7  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

Chicken Curry  
 Tomato Spaghetti 1VG  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Rice, Seasonal Vegetables  
 Banana Loaf 1VG & Chocolate Custard 7  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Fruit Pots VG

Margherita Pizza 1,3,7,9,V  
 Meatfree Meatballs in Tomato Sauce VG  
 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9  
 Rainbow Pasta 1VG, Sweetcorn, Peppers  
 Strawberry Mousse 7  
 Mr Nourish Biscuit 1VG  
 Fruit Pots VG



**AVAILABLE DAILY:** Selection of Salads 9, Homemade Bread 1,3,7,9. Some of our schools may use pre prepped potatoes or vegetables on occasions. These may contain sulphites and celestiac. Please discuss with your manager.

VG Vegan V Vegetarian  
 1 Wheat Gluten 2 Crustaceans 3 Soybean 4 Mustard 5 Sesame 6 Sulphites/Sulphur Dioxide 7 Milk  
 8 Fish 9 Egg 10 Peanuts 11 Molluscs 12 Celenaec/Calery 13 Nuts 14 Lupins 15 Oat Gluten 16 Bailey Gluten  
 A allergen accreditation

SPROW WITH US  
**NOURISH**



## World Book Day

Celebrating The World of Horrid Henry  
by Francesca Simon

**Thursday 6th March 2025**



**HORRID HENRY'S GREEDY BURGER  
WITH BOGEY KETCHUP <sup>1,5,6</sup>**  
(Beef Burger)



**MOODY MARGARET'S MISERABLE MORSELS <sup>1 V6</sup>**  
(Vegetable Nuggets)

**MISS BATTLE-AXE JACKET POTATOES  
WITH A CHOICE OF TOPPINGS <sup>7,8,9</sup>**



**RUDE RALPH'S ROASTED NEW POTATOES**



**PERFECT PETER'S VIRTUOUS MEDLEY OF VEGETABLES**

**MUM'S MIXED SALAD**



**SOUR SUSAN'S BISCUITS <sup>1 V6</sup>**



**THE PURPLE HAND GANG'S  
ULTIMATE SECRET CHOCOLATE CAKE <sup>1 V6</sup>**



**DAD'S FRUIT POT <sup>V6</sup>**

Key: **V** Vegetarian **V6** Vegan  
Allergen code: **1** Wheat Gluten **2** Crustaceans **3** Soybean **4** Mustard **5** Sesame **6** Sulphites/Sulphur Dioxide  
**7** Milk **8** Fish **9** Egg **10** Peanuts **11** Molluscs **12** Celiac/Celery **13** Nuts **14** Lupins **15** Oat Gluten **16** Barley Gluten



Pelham Primary School

Nursery 2025

Tour Dates



Is your child due to start  
Nursery in 2025?

Come and visit our **engaging, friendly and inclusive** Nursery. Speak to our staff and children, view our amazing learning environments and have a tour of our extensive outside space.

### TOURS

Tuesday 28th January  
9.30am

Thursday 27th February  
2.30pm

Wednesday 5th March  
9.30am

Wednesday 12th March  
5.00pm

**BOOK YOURS NOW**

For more information or to book a place please contact:

[pelhamadmin@illuminateminds.org](mailto:pelhamadmin@illuminateminds.org)

0208 303 6556

## APPLYING FOR NURSERY

Children born between 1 September 2021 and 31 August 2022 will be due to start in Nursery in September 2025.

Closing date is  
**Sunday 6th April 2025**

Apply online at

[https://www.bexley.gov.uk/  
services/schools-and-  
education/nursery-schools/  
starting-nursery](https://www.bexley.gov.uk/services/schools-and-education/nursery-schools/starting-nursery)



## MHST WEBINAR

## BOUNDARIES & ROUTINES



Following the success of our first webinar and having taken on board the feedback, our next webinar will focus on boundaries and routines. Please see the eventbrite link below to sign up:

[https://www.eventbrite.com/  
e/1251005243359?aff=oddtcreator](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/1251005243359?aff=oddtcreator)

This will take place on the 5th March at 6pm online.

If you would like to speak to a  
member of the school leadership  
team please email

[pelhamadmin@illuminate minds.org](mailto:pelhamadmin@illuminate minds.org)

