

Pelham Primary School

Newsletter Friday 4th October 2024



Dear Parents and Carers,

Firstly, a great big THANK YOU to all of the families who donated food, toiletries and other useful items to celebrate Harvest Festival. The Reverend Gareth Owen (Father Gareth) from St Martin's Church held an assembly on Thursday afternoon and talked about the meaning of Harvest and saying 'thank you'. All of the donations will be used by families supported by Bexley Women's Aid, a very worthwhile local charity.



This week has seen the first set of school trips for this term. Both Year 1 classes visited Hall Place, where they took part in a workshop about toys from the past. On Thursday, Year 3 visited Lesnes Abbey where they looked at Stone Age artefacts and built Stone Age shelters which were tested for water resistance.

Next week, both Year 6 classes are visiting the Tower of London and both Year 4 classes are visiting Thames Explorer at the Cutty Sark.

Our PSFA held their AGM yesterday and a new committee was elected. We still have vacancies for some Class Reps - these act as communication between the PSFA and parents in each class. If you are interested in doing this, please email pelhamadmin@illuminate minds.org

Have a wonderful weekend!

Kind regards,

Ms Anderson-Villardell

Head of School

We Dream Big

Dates for your Diary



Monday 7 th October 2024	Tuesday 8 th October 2024	Wednesday 9 th October 2024	Thursday 10 th October 2024	Friday 11 th October 2024
Year 5 Zebras and Giraffes trip to British Museum		Year 5 Learning Showcase 14.30pm Year 6 Parakeets to Tower of London	Year 6 Learning Showcase 14.30pm World Mental Health Day 'Hello Yellow' - Non-Uniform Day Year 2 Kangaroos and Koalas Aboriginal dance workshop at school Year 4 Pelicans trip Thames Explorer	Year 6 Starlings to Tower of London Year 4 Flamingoes trip Thames Explorer
Monday 14 th October 2024	Tuesday 15 th October 2024	Wednesday 16 th October 2024	Thursday 17 th October 2024	Friday 18 th October 2024
Year 1 Learning Showcase- 14.30pm	Year 2 Learning Showcase- 14.30pm	Year 3 Learning Showcase- 14.30pm	Nursery Family Fun Morning - 10.00am Reception Family Fun Afternoon - 14.00pm	Monthly SENCo Surgery 10am Year 4 Learning Showcase - 14.30pm Show Racism the Red Card Day

Attendance %



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

Caterpillars	87.16%
Bumblebees	98.44%
Ladybirds	86.67%
Butterflies	97.50%
Dragonflies	96.67%
Kangaroos	93.48%
Koalas	97%
Penguins	97.30%
Polar Bears	98%
Flamingos	93.48%
Pelicans	91.07%
Giraffes	96.90%
Zebra	94.86%
Parakeets	97%
Starlings	97.86%



Menu

New Menu
coming
soon

WEEKLY MENU

LET'S SAVE THE WORLD TOGETHER

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK 1					
15TH APR . 13TH MAY	Cheese & Tomato Prawnhead 1.7 V Sweet Potato & Bacon Pie VG Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Baked Potato Wedges, Peas, Carrots Peach Cumble 1 VG & Custard 7 Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG, Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Beef & Onion Pie 1 Cheesy Pasta Twiss 1.7 V Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 New Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables Strawberry Mousse 7, Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Roast Chicken & Gravy Bean Chilli with Baked Tofu in Chips 1 VG Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Rustic Roast Potatoes, Broccoli, Sweetcorn Carnifide Cookie 1.7, Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Chicken Fajitas 1.4 Tomato Soughead 1 VG Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Rice, Cauliflower, Carrots Tropical Pancake 1.7.9 & Berry or Chocolate Sauce Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG, Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Margherita Pizzo 1.3, 2.9 V Salmon Pasta 1.7.9 Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Chips, Peas, Baked Beans, Carrot Sticks Oaty Biscuit 1.15 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG
17TH JUNE . 15TH JULY	Chicken Pie 1 Pesto Pasta Bake 1.7 V Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 New Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables Ice Cream 7, Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	BBQ Pulled Pork Loaded Wedges Hearty Tomato Pesto Pasta 1 VG Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Sweetcorn, Courgettes Chocolate Pudding 1.9 & Chocolate Sauce 7 Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG, Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Roast Chicken & Gravy BBQ Vegetable Burrito 1 VG Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Rustic Roast Potatoes, Cabbage, Carrots Fruit Jolly VG, Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Moonrind Cheese 1.7 V Vegetable Hot Pot 1.6 VG Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Carrots, Green Beans, Garlic Bread 1.3, 2.9 Peach Sponge 1.9, Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Fish Fingers 1.8 Cheese & Spinach Prawnhead 1.7 V Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Chips, Peas, Baked Beans, Cakeslaw 9 Ginger Biscuit 1 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG
2ND SEPT . 30TH SEPT	Sweet Chicken Curry Cheesy Pasta 1.7 V Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Rice, Seasonal Vegetables, Hearty Bread 1.3, 2.9 Apple Cumble 1 VG & Custard 7 Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG, Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Sausage Roll 1.6 Quorn Sausage & Gravy 1 VG Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Mixed Potato, Baked Beans, Broccoli Bonoma & Tofee Cake 1.7.9, Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Roast Pork & Gravy Samosa Puff 1 VG Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Rustic Roast Potatoes, Green Beans, Carrots Crispy Cake 3.7, 1.6, Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Margherita Pizzo 1.3, 2.9 V Loaded Cajun Bean Wedges VG Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 New Potatoes, Sweetcorn, Peppers Lemon Drizzle Cake 1.9, Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Chicken Bites 1 Summer Fritata 2.9 V Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Chips, Peas, Baked Beans, Cucumber Sticks Corned Cookie 1.7 Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG
WEEK 2					
22ND APR . 20TH MAY	Jerik Chicken Tomato & Herb Pasta 1 VG Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Sunshine Rice, Cauliflower, Carrots Ice Cream 7, Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Singapore Noodles 1.3, 1.6 VG Cheese & Bean Wrap Pocket 1.7 V Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 New Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables Jam Tart 1.6 VG & Custard 7, Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Roast Chicken & Gravy Vegetable Hot in The Hole 1.7.9 V Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Rustic Roast Potatoes, Cabbage, Peas Fruit Jolly VG, Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Perne Bolognese 1 Rice & Bean Burrito 1 VG Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Baked Wedges, Green Beans Sweetcorn, Garlic Bread 1.3, 2.9 Beetroot Cake 1.9, Mr Mourish Biscuit 1 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG	Fish Fingers 1.8 Vegetable Pasty 1 VG Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7.8.9 Chips, Peas, Baked Beans, Cakeslaw 9 Vegan Bownie 1 VG Yoghurt 3.7, Fruit Pots VG
24TH JUNE . 22ND JULY					
9TH SEPT . 7TH OCT					
WEEK 3					
25TH APR . 3RD JUNE					
1ST JULY . 16TH SEPT					
14TH OCT					
WEEK 4					
6TH MAY . 10TH JUNE					
8TH JULY . 23RD SEPT					
21ST OCT					

3 OPTIONS

LOOK OUT FOR OUR THEMED DAYS!

1. Wheat Gluten 2. Cuscutones 3. Soybean 4. Nutseed 5. Sesame 6. Sunflower 7. Milk 8. Fish 9. Egg 10. Peanuts 11. Molluscs 12. Coelenterates 13. Nuts 14. Legumes 15. Salt Gluten 16. Dairy Gluten

KEY:
VG - Vegan V - Vegetarian

AVAILABLE DAILY:
Selection of Solids 9, Non-meat Bread 1, 3, 7, 9
Some of our schools may use pre-prepared potatoes or vegetables on occasions. These may contain sulphites and cereals. Please discuss with your manager.

A clearer version is on the school website <https://www.pelhamprimary.org/school-meals-menu/>

Information / Reminders



All pupils are expected to wear school uniform at Pelham

A reminder of the uniform

Nursery Children — grey skirt / trousers / joggers, white polo shirt, royal blue sweatshirt / cardigan, white / grey socks, grey tights, black trainers.

Reception to Year 6 — white polo shirt, white blouse or white shirt, royal blue cardigan or sweatshirt (school logo preferred), dark grey/black school trousers (long or short) or grey skirt, thick black or grey tights (winter), white / grey socks, black shoes with sensible heels, suitable for school environment .

Boots or trainer type shoes must not be worn

As the weather gets colder and wetter, please ensure the children have suitable clothing / coats as we play outside in all weathers.

Please ensure that each item of school uniform is named, including their shoes, trainers, book bags and lunch boxes.

Thank you

Labels for Uniform

Buy your name labels from Stikins (<https://www.stikins.co.uk>) using the reference 15587 and Pelham PSFA receives 30% commission.

Information / Reminders



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

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Pelham Primary School



Reception 2025

Tour Dates

Is your child due to start school in September 2025?

Come and visit our fabulous, friendly, inclusive school. Speak to our staff and children, view our amazing learning environments and have a tour of our extensive school grounds.

Daytime tours

Wednesday 6th November
& Wednesday 8th January
9.30-10.30am

Evening tours

Thursday 28th November &
Thursday 9th January
5-6pm

Saturday tours

Saturday 23rd November &
Saturday 11th January
10-11:30am

For more information or to book a place please contact:

pelhamadmin@illuminate minds.org

0208 303 6556

PSFA PRESENTS

SPOOKY DISCO

THURSDAY 17TH OCTOBER

£3 PER TICKET

THIS INCLUDES A BAG OF CRISPS,
UNLIMITED SQUASH/WATER

RECEPTION -2.00-2.45

YR 1&2 - 3.00-4.00

YR 3&4 - 4:15-5.15

YR 5&6 - 5:30-6.30

GLO STALL

SWEET STALL

GLITTER BODY ART

CANDY FLOSS

TICKETS OUT NOW!

www.pta-events.co.uk/pelhampsfa