

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2024



Happy Diwali to all our families who celebrated over the half term.

### Wintery Weather – NO COAT NO PLAY

Despite the unseasonably warm weather, we are now in November and so children need to bring a coat to school for break and lunchtimes. Children will not be able to go out to play if they do not have a coat, as of Monday.

### Parent /Teacher Meetings – NEXT MONDAY and TUESDAY

We have had an amazing response to the sign up for meetings with class teachers next week – if you haven't booked, please do so using the link on Class Dojo to make your appointment!



### Anti- Bullying Week and Odd Socks Day

Next week is the national Anti-Bullying week and the children will be learning more about how to stand up to bullying and speak out during their PSHE lessons and assemblies this week. The Odd Socks Day is designed to be fun! It's an opportunity to encourage people to express themselves and celebrate their individuality and what makes us all unique! There is no pressure to wear the latest fashion or to buy expensive new socks. All we are asking is that children wear odd socks to school on **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November**.



### Children in Need Day – Friday 15th November

We love raising money for the BBC Children in Need appeal, as we know the money raised goes directly to great causes for children and supports Stormbreak the charity whose programme we use in school to support children's mental health and wellbeing. Children can come in spotty clothes as well as odd socks in exchange for 50p

### GET AHEAD in EYFS

2:45 PM - 3:15 PM Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> November

The EYFS team would like to invite parents/carers of children in our Nursery and Reception class to a special GET AHEAD session. Here we will look at ways to help your child make the best progress and hints and tips to improve their learning. It will be an informal session. Not to be missed!!



## NO NUTS!

A polite reminder that school is a NUT FREE ZONE – this includes noisette fillings in wafer biscuits as well as nut spreads and nuts. Please be vigilant when creating your child's packed lunch or sending in sweets for birthdays.



*Crazy Hair Day to raise money for the chickens – Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> November*  
More information to follow on Class Dojo



## Rainbow Hamper Day – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2024

Our Rainbow Hamper raffle is hugely popular and helps to raise invaluable funds for the school. Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2024 will be a non-uniform day and instead of money donations we are asking each class to create a colour coded hamper that can be won at this year's Christmas Fair. We would like the hampers to be full of a variety of items so please use your imagination when shopping or searching through the cupboards at home – items don't have to be large or expensive. Some ideas are non-Perishable festive food items, biscuits, chocolates, crackers, a bottle, candles or a beauty item with a wrapper in the correct colour. REMEMBER NO NUTS!

EYFS – Red

Year 1 – Green

Year 2 – Blue

Year 3 – Purple

Year 4 – Silver

Year 5 – Gold

Year 6 – White

Please bring in an item of your allocated class colour on or before Friday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2024. Boxes will be in each classroom for your donations, all of which will be gratefully received. As always, thank you in advance for your generosity and support. We are looking forward to seeing you on the 6<sup>th</sup> of December and hopefully you might win!



# NEWSLETTER 2024



Hogarth Academy

## Class Dojo

We hope you are enjoying using Class Dojo as our communication app, thank you to everyone who has signed up, we will no longer be using Marvellous Me to send out any messages as of today. Miss Cooper is making sure everyone is signed up so please come and find her to get your log in code, if you are still not on board.

## End of School collecting children

Children cannot be collected from school by anyone under 16 year of age and if someone different is collecting your child, you must inform the office before 3.15pm to ensure the message gets to the class teacher in a timely manner. Our priority, as always is your children's safety.

## Dairy Dates

Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Children in need day - see newsletter for more information
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Let's Get Ahead Meetings for EYFS parents 2.45pm
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> Nov	Crazy Hair Day - more information to follow on Dojo
Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Rainbow Hamper Donation Day and non-uniform day
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Christmas Fair PTA - more details to follow
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Key Stage 2 Christmas Production Performance for Y4, Y5 and Y6 Two tickets per family per performance will be made available 2/12/2024 9.30am and 2.30pm
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> Dec	EYFS Christmas Concert two tickets per family per performance. Tickets will be available 2/12/24 9.30am performance and 2.00pm performance
Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Christmas Jumper Day
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Christmas Performance for Children in Y1, Y2 and y3 see below for times two tickets per family per performance 9.30am or 2.30 pm tickets available 2/12/2024
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Dinner Day - please let the office know if your child would like to have school hot meal on this day.
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Party Day - non uniform day
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	9.00am GOLD AWARD ASSEMBLY School closes for Christmas 3.30pm

Thank you,  
Sarah Lee  
Headteacher