

Dear Grange Community,

Well done - we have worked hard, made progress and thrived this half-term and we are well-placed to have a good rest (full of reading I hope!) and come back for the final half-term of the 2021-22 academic year. This is our last chance for the final push of progress this academic year.

This is why I am making a plea for good attendance!

The first rule of success is ....to SHOW UP!

### **Attendance really matters because:**

Knowledge and skills build and develop. Learning takes place over time and teachers and educators plan lessons at Grange carefully to assist this process.

I really felt that today because of my own personal experience.

I love music especially classical music and I have a positive attitude towards it. This year I decided to join the Year 5 once a week, violin lessons.

I did well until I missed some in October when I had Covid and then I resumed them again but missed lessons in the Spring term.

I have managed a few lessons this half-term.

Today I attended the violin lesson.

The teachers are brilliant and they plan the lessons superbly. They are extremely knowledgeable.

I managed to keep up with the class but at a few points I found it really difficult and that was because I had missed lessons in between.

I realised that attendance really matters.

When our children are trying to learn knowledge and skills they really need to be at school every day and when they miss lessons, it makes it much harder for them to keep up.

Learners really need routines, regularity and good attendance to have a chance to excel. Please keep that in mind and do your best to get our children of Grange to school every school day.

At the moment our attendance is under 94% which is not good enough. That means children missing too much learning.

Obviously illness happens but over the year it should be above 95%.

I look forward to seeing you all back after the half-term because we the staff of Grange, are going to be relentless in our pursuit of good progress for every child of Grange in every lesson and every day.

Have a great half-term!

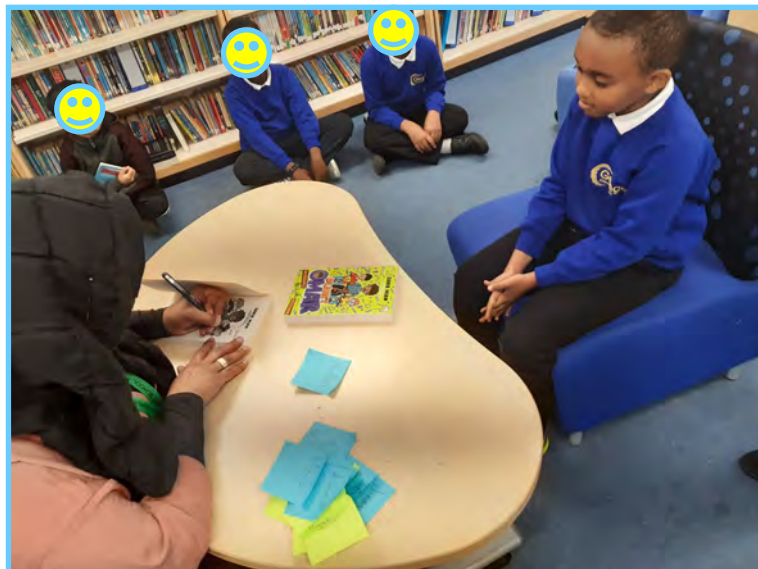
Mr Kerbel

Headteacher

Grange Primary, Harrow

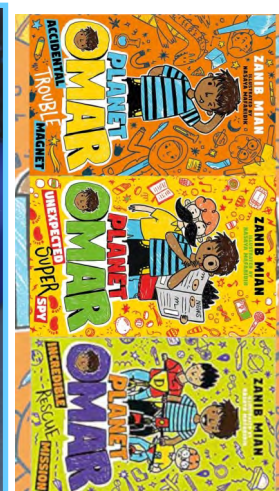


# ZANIB MIAN AT GRANGE!



Zanib Mian, author of "Planet Omar", came to visit us on Wednesday! She read us a snippet of one of her books and some lucky students even got their books signed!

Zanib even said she might name a future character after one of our Year 5's... Watch this space!

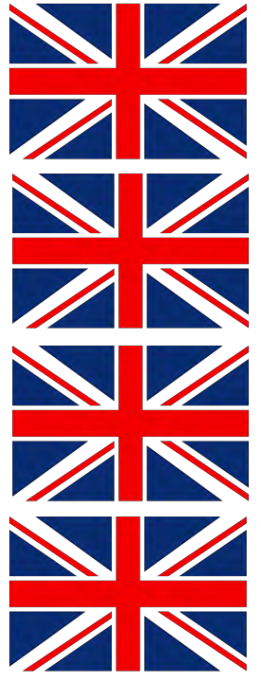


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# JUBILEE PICNIC LUNCH!





## THIS WEEK'S READING CHAMPIONS!

# This week's reading champions!



Gloria, Klee



Ansh, Holmes &  
Martina-Denisa,  
Beckham



Sophie, Seacole



Diraj, Mandela



## This week's runner ups!



Shreyas, Klee  
Zayan, Klee  
Abigail, Klee



Ranuki, Seacole  
Thanasheeri, Nightingale  
Ghalla, Seacole



Haniya, Parks  
Dinura, Parks  
Deeksha, Parks

# END OF HALF TERM QUIZ!

Participant Names			Score
1	 Alan Turing Class		74900 (90%)
2	 Tubmanshire		71600 (88%)
3	 Brilliant Beckham		68370 (82%)
4	 Mysterious Mandela		66260 (81%)
5	 The Citizens of Seacolia		64350 (85%)
6	 Powerful Parks		64150 (78%)
7	 Happy Holmes		63430 (82%)
8	 Clever Klee		62560 (78%)
9	 Magnificent Matisso		62290 (85%)
10	 Malala		58910 (77%)
11	 Extraordinary Ennis		57540 (77%)
12	 Great Greta		48040 (73%)
13	 Lightningale (Yr5)		47790 (70%)
14	 Royal Rumi		41580 (63%)





# Safer Schools Police Workshop



PC Kubik will be coming into Grange to give Police workshops to Year 5 & Year 6.

*When?*

~~Wednesday 25th May - Year 6~~

&

Wednesday 8th June - Year 5

He will be talking about what the police do, personal safety, online safety, and much more!



# IMPORTANT: PACKED LUNCHES

If your child is having a packed lunch, please provide it in a secure box or bag with nothing breakable. Your child should be provided with food that is easy to eat and nutritious.

The School has a Healthy Eating Policy and sweets, nuts, chocolate and fizzy or canned drinks must **not** be included in the packed lunch. Water and milk are provided for all children at lunchtime, so a drink is not needed unless you wish to provide one.



## IMPORTANT REMINDER: CLASSROOM BIRTHDAY TREATS

Please note that all birthday celebration items to be brought in only if PRIOR arrangements have been made with the school office. All foods must be pre-packaged and store bought. **Please do not send cakes, cupcakes, doughnuts, biscuits or sweets (these will be sent back home).** Some healthy snack ideas are popcorn, crackers, pre-packaged fruit, bananas, satsumas, raisins.

We are strongly encouraging families to send non-food items on birthdays. Instead of edibles, please consider sending something for the children to enjoy such as pens, pencils, erasers, markers, notepads, stickers, bookmarks, matchbox cars, tops, whistles, bubbles, a game for the classroom, or a classroom book.

*Please remember to call the school office or pop in if you would like to send in any birthday treats for your child's class.*



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# Year 2 Open Morning

**Wednesday 8th June between 8:45-9:15am**

On Wednesday 8th June between 8.45-9.15am, the Y2 classrooms will be opened up for parents/carers to come into class and look at your child's books and work so far this year.

This is an opportunity for you to see the work your child has been taking part in since September. Teachers and educators will be present in class. Please bear in mind that they may not be able to answer parents'/carers' questions as they will still be supervising the class.

Please wait on either the playground or on the pathway near the main office and wait for a member of SLT to walk you in to the classrooms.

Welcome



# PLATINUM JUBILEE AT GREENHILL LIBRARY!

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Celebrate the Platinum Jubilee with storytellers  
Cat & Hutch live at Greenhill Library!  
Tuesday 31st May 2022



**11:00am**

### **The Case of the Missing Royal Knickers**

Calling all Junior Detectives!

The Royal Knickers have gone missing and we need your help to find them!

An interactive storytelling show for families with children aged 8 & under.

**Free! Book via Eventbrite:**

[harrowlibraries.eventbrite.co.uk](https://harrowlibraries.eventbrite.co.uk)



**2:30pm**

### **Crowns and Corgis Drama Workshop**

Join Cat & Hutch for interactive drama workshop, inspired by the book 'Our Queen Elizabeth: Her Extraordinary Life from the Crown to the Corgis'

For families with children aged 7-11.

**Free! Book via Eventbrite:**

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**Greenhill Library** Perceval Square, College Road, Harrow HA1 1GX



# Collect your **FREE** pre-packed meal

## When

Every Sunday from 11:30am to 1:30pm

## Where

Grange Primary School

Furness Road Entrance, HA2 0RJ

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Can we ask a favour? We're trying to raise money for a photocopier and we have a target of £1,200.

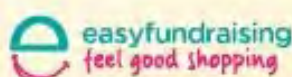
It's not always easy to ask for donations these days, so we've started using easyfundraising, a really clever website that turns your online purchases into free donations for us, at no extra cost to you.

It means you can help us reach our target really easily - simply shop with any of over 6,000 online retailers including Amazon, Argos, John Lewis, ASOS, Booking.com, eBay, Boden, and M&S, and when you make a purchase, the retailer will send us a free donation. It's as simple as that!

Please visit our new easyfundraising page at [https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/grangeprimaryschool-harrow/?utm\\_campaign=raise-more&utm\\_content=en-e3](https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/grangeprimaryschool-harrow/?utm_campaign=raise-more&utm_content=en-e3) and click 'support us' - we really do need your support.

More information can be found on our school website - <https://www.grange.harrow.sch.uk/funds-for-school>

Thank you!

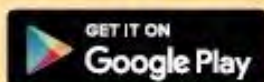


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## COVID VACCINES FOR 5-11 YEAR OLDS

The Covid- 19 Roving Team are managing the roll out of vaccines for 5-11 year olds in Harrow.

Vaccinations are being offered at Stanmore Park Children's Centre, 2 William Dr, Stanmore HA7 4FZ.

**This is a walk in service, and no appointments are necessary.**

Vaccination Times: 4pm - 7pm

This is a family offer, so this is being offered to children 5-11yrs alongside their parents/legal guardians as well as 12+ upwards and adults.

Please find the scheduled dates below:

- Monday 30th May
- Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> May

Patients can also search on [www.nhs.uk](https://www.nhs.uk)



# DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



## SCHOOL CALENDAR

Monday 30th May - Friday 3rd June	Half term
Monday 6th June	Children return to school
Tuesday 7th June	Year 3 open morning
Tuesday 7th June	Y5 Nightingale & Lister Opera Project
Wednesday 8th June	Year 2 open morning
Wednesday 8th June	Year 5 Police Workshop
Thursday 9th June	Year 5 open morning
Friday 10th June	Year 4 Science Museum Trip
Tuesday 14th June	Y5 Nightingale & Lister Opera Project
Tuesday 14th June	Y5 Seacole Opera Project
Wednesday 15th June	Year 4 Song Fest 7:00pm.
Thursday 16th June	Whole School Class Photo Day
Tuesday 21st June	Y5 Seacole Opera Project
Friday 24th June	Y5 Nightingale & Lister Opera Project
Tuesday 28th June	Year 5 Shakespeare Festival
Tuesday 28th June	Nursery Induction Meeting 2pm
Thursday 30th June	Reception Induction Meeting 10am

## AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Y3- Y5	Gardening— <b>DISMISSED VIA WELBECK ROAD</b>	Monday 3.15-4.15pm
Y3-Y4	Basketball	Tuesday 3.15-4.15pm
EYFS-KS1	Gymnastics	Tuesday 3.15-4.15pm
Y1-Y3	Football	Wednesday 3.15-4.15pm
Y6	Writing— <b>DISMISSED VIA WELBECK ROAD</b>	Wednesday 3.15-4.00
Y5-Y6	Basketball	Thursday 3.15-4.15pm
Y3-Y6	Dodgeball	Friday 3.15-4.15pm

## After School Extra Curricular Clubs

Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4
25 Apr - 29 Apr	2 May - 6 May	9 May - 13 May	16 May - 20 May
Week 5	Half Term	Week 6	Week 7
23 May - 27 May	<b>30 May - 3 Jun</b>	6 Jun - 10 Jun	13 Jun - 17 Jun
Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11
20 Jun - 24 Jun	27 Jun - 1 Jul	4 Jul - 8 Jul	11 Jul - 15 Jul

Please note that **ALL** clubs are dismissed via **Furness Road** unless stated otherwise. Please call the school office if you have any questions.

## GOVERNING BODY MEETINGS

Wednesday 8th June 6.30-8.30pm	Resources Committee
Wednesday 29th June 6.30-8.30pm	CASC Committee
Wednesday 13th July 6.30-8.30	Full Governing Body

If you send your child to a club which you have not yet paid for, please make a payment on ParentPay so they can continue to attend the club.

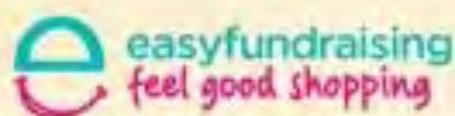
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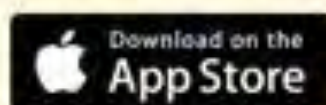
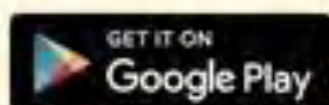
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