Weekly Newsletter Friday 17th April 2026

Dear families,

Welcome back to the Summer term; we all hope you had a restful and relaxing Easter break. This week, we've been learning about Science experiments in our theme week – I hope the children have been coming home telling you about the things they've learned. We are also setting up for a busy half term, with Year 6 SATS, St Barnabas choir concert, Poetry slams, our Holi colour run, and more!

Next week we have our parents' evening – massive apologies again for the lateness of us sending out appointment details. The teachers are all looking forward to letting you know how the children have progressed this year, and what still to work on this term.

We also welcome Mrs Arran, our new SRP Leader, who started this week. She will be setting up the Nest (working title for our SRP), and helping me with recruitment and organisation ahead of our September opening. Exciting times here at Grange!

Have a lovely weekend, Mr Maloy

Important Dates	
Monday 20th April	St Barnabas Choir Joint Schools Rehearsal at Fielding Primary School. 9.15 am – 12.00 pm
Wednesday 22nd April	**Parents' evening – school closes at 1:30pm**
Thursday 23rd April	St George's Day Ealing Book Festival Oracy project – 14 of our children chosen to perform their poems!
Friday 24th April	Spring celebration dress up - £1 for the Grange Guardians' fundraising
Monday 27th April	St Barnabas Choir Joint Schools Rehearsal at Grange Primary School. 9.00 – 11.15 am
Friday 1st May	Year 6 Taiko Drumming Workshop. 9.00 – 11.00 am
Monday 4th May	**Bank Holiday – school closed**
Thursday 7th May	Black families' forum 9am After school St Barnabas rehearsal until 4.30 pm
Friday 8th May	**PTA HOLI COLOUR RUN!!**
Week of 11th May	Year 6 SATS week
Wednesday 13th May	Owl Class trip to the Science Museum!
Thursday 14th May	Sparrow Class trip to the Science Museum! Year 4 Orchestra workshop 9 - 11am
Week of 18th May	Poetry slam week!
Monday 18th May	Visiting poet – Valerie Bloom! St Barnabas Choir all day rehearsal Concert at St Barnabas Church. 7.00 – 8.00 pm. (Performers need to arrive at 6.40 pm)
Wednesday 20th May	Robin Class trip to the Science Museum!
Thursday 21st May	Year 4 Theatre performance 11am Reception children hearing tests
Friday 22nd May	Year 5 Music workshop 9am – 10:15am Poetry Slam final!! School closes for half term

Tuesday 2nd June	School re-opens
Thursday 4th June	Year 6 Thorpe Park trip!
Week of 8th June	Phonics Screening Check Week Year 4 Multiplication Check week
Friday 12th June	Guitar Concert 2:15 – 3pm
Wednesday 24th June	Sports Days am – Years 3 and 4, pm - Reception
Thursday 25th June	Sports Days am – Years 5 and 6, pm – Years 1 and 2
Friday 26th June	Ealing high schools transition day **Windrush Day – with after school events!**
Tuesday 30th June	Year 6 Citizenship Scheme trip
Friday 3rd July	Year 2 Trip to the Wetlands Centre Year 4 Triathlon
Monday 6th July	Year 4 Orchestra concert - Cecil Sharpe House, 1.30 – 2.30 pm
Friday 10th July	End of Year reports sent out
Saturday 11th July	**PTA SUMMER FAIR!**
Monday 13th July	Year 6 BBQ and disco 4:30pm
Wednesday 15th July	Year 6 Production 7pm
Thursday 16th July	Year 6 Production 7pm
Friday 17th July	Year 6 Leavers assembly 2pm Last day of term!

Next week is Week 1 of our cycle

Our Rules

Ready **Respectful** **Safe**

Our Values

Compassion **Honesty** **Respect** **Confidence** **Curiosity** **Resilience**

Our Learning Attitudes

Creativity **Enquiry** **Problem solving** **Independence** **Collaboration** **Risk taking**

You said… we did

We love to hear your suggestions. There is a real-life box next to the new "You said… we did" display in the main Reception foyer, and also an **online Google suggestion box** available here: https://forms.gle/aVCVkNcH8bvN6CHE7

House Points

1st Place	Dragon House	17,750
2nd Place	Mountain Hare House	13,936
3rd Place	Unicorn House	13,876
4th Place	Lion House	13,741

House points are awarded for exceptional work, great behaviour, and showing our School Values. The winners each term get special events and prizes!

GRANGE PRIMARY SCHOOL PADLET

A website just for Grange Primary School Parents and Carers all about:

-Mental Health
-Wellbeing
-Safeguarding
-SEND
-E SAFETY
-Advice and Support
-WORKSHOPS!

Grange Primary School Ealing

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Attendance Super League

Weekly Results: Week 1 Summer Term 2026

Team	%	Vs	%	Team
Falcon	96.8	Vs	94.7	Last year's %
Kestrel	95.6	Vs	93.8	Sparrow
Owl	97.4	Vs	94.9	Pipit
Robin	92.7	Vs	89.8	Penguin
Pelican	98.2	Vs	97.4	Kittiwake
Sandpiper	93.2	Vs	98.7	Swallow
Pintail	88.7	Vs	94	Finch
Kingfisher	95.5	Vs	94.3	Starling
Swift	94.9	Vs	95.3	Swan
Skylark	94.8	Vs	93.8	Flamingo
Teal	92.1	Vs	95.1	Buzzard

Attendance Super League!

Team Name	Played	Won	Lost	Drawn	Points
Owl	26	17	5	4	55
Pelican	26	16	6	4	52
Robin	26	14	10	2	44
Sandpiper	26	13	9	4	43
Starling	26	13	9	4	43
Pintail	26	12	8	6	42
Teal	26	12	8	6	42
Finch	26	13	10	3	42
Swan	26	11	8	7	40
Kingfisher	26	13	12	1	40
Falcon	26	12	12	2	38
Kittiwake	26	10	9	7	37
Buzzard	26	11	11	4	37
Swift	26	10	11	5	35
Swallow	26	10	12	4	34
Penguin	26	10	14	2	32
Flamingo	26	9	15	2	29
Pipit	26	8	14	4	28
Skylark	26	8	15	3	27
Kestrel	26	8	15	3	27
Sparrow	26	6	18	2	20

Year 4 had a Culture Day this week. It was a vibrant celebration of diversity, with children arriving in wonderful traditional dress and proudly sharing outfits from around the world.

Throughout the day, pupils sampled delicious foods from a variety of cultures, sparking curiosity and conversation about different traditions. This was a great start to their new English topic, where they will be exploring stories from different cultures.

Artist of the Week

Artist of the week is Arthur Da Silva, from Y3 Kingfisher, who created amazing bubble art using colour chalks on black paper.

Well done Arthur!

Friday 24th April 2026

Dress up day for a Spring celebration.

Everyone can wear bright colours to represent Spring.

Bring in £1 to join in.

The Grange Guardians would like to raise money for our school. We look forwards to seeing you shine in your bright colours.

FRIDAYS
18:00-
19:30
GIRLS HARD BALL
SUNDAYS
10:00-
11:30
ALL JUNIORS
ACTONIANSCRICKET.COM
ALL STARS CRICKET
8 WEEK PROGRAMME FOR 5-8 YEAR OLDS
FOR GIRLS & BOYS AGES 5-17
APRIL-SEPT + SCHOOL HOLIDAY CLUBS
100+ MATCHES ORGANISED
20+ QUALIFIED ECB COACHES
FREE CLOTHING AND CRICKET BALL FOR NEW MEMBERS
ONE FREE DAY AT SUMMER CRICKET CAMP
ACTONIANS CRICKET CLUB
PRIVATE GROUND OPPOSITE GUNNERSBURY PARK!
NEW PLAYERS ALWAYS WELCOME!
JUNIOR CRICKET
CLIFFORD.PILE@NTLWORLD.COM

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Drug and Alcohol Service

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EDIBLES
Small Bite, Big Consequences

What are they?

Edibles look like snacks or drinks but they are drugs.
They can look like and smell like cakes, sweets or chocolate but they contain cannabis, (THC) tetrahydrocannabinol and may contain other harmful chemicals too. They're sometimes called gummies or bites.
It's important to know they are drugs and carry the same consequences.

How can I spot edibles?

Edibles don't have the same look or smell as cannabis. They are advertised on social media and can be easier to distribute than other types of drugs as they look like normal food products.
Their packaging can be very similar to genuine branded products.
Look closely for wording about THC or cannabis.

What are the risks?

They are unregulated so their effects are unpredictable.
One edible could be the same strength as a joint, or more, and can contain other dangerous or illegal substances too.
Edibles look like regular snacks so could be ingested by younger children or pets by mistake.
It can take 1-3 hours for the drug to take effect, so it's easy to overdose if the initial amount isn't felt to be taking effect.
Possessing or supplying (selling or giving to others for free) edibles is illegal in the UK because cannabis is a Class B drug this can result in a criminal record or prison sentence.

Advice & Guidance

- **Have open conversations with your children so they understand the risks and know how to access support.**
- **Seek medical advice by calling 111 or 999** if you're concerned about overdose.
- If you're worried about your child using substances, **contact CGL Southwark to get free confidential support about alcohol and drugs** for young people, parents & carers.
  - Phone: **020 3404 7699**
  - Email: **Southwark.YoungPeople@cgl.org.uk**
- For confidential information and advice about drug use, please visit: **www.drugsand.me**