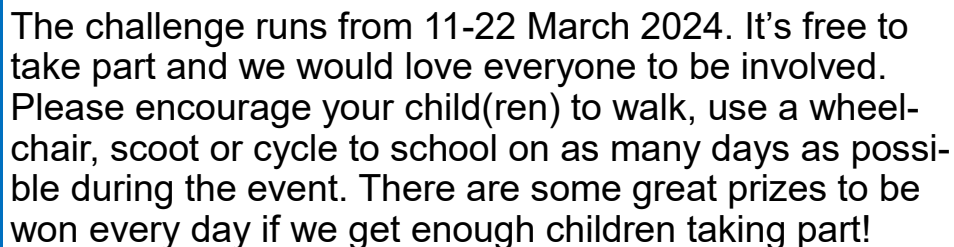




Friday 8 March 2024



It aims to inspire hundreds of thousands of children to get active on the school run, creating happier and healthier children.



Kind regards
Mr Akhtar
Headteacher

**Spring Term Second Half
2024**

Monday 11 March

IT Week

Friday 15 March
Red Nose Day

Monday 18 March
Reception classes at St
Andrews Church this
week

Monday 25 March
iRock concerts

Thursday 28 March
Last day of term—school
closes at 1.30pm
PTA: Magic Shows from
2pm

ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to Daisy Class for being our attendance winners in Reception with 97.4% attendance for the week. Congratulations to Daffodil Class for being the attendance winners in Key Stage 1 with 100% attendance, and also to Blossom and Dahlia classes who are our Key Stage 2 winners with 100% attendance each!

ALL CHILDREN IN SCHOOL UNIFORM EVERY DAY PLEASE! THANK YOU!

STAR OF THE WEEK

Reception

Bluebell Murat
Daisy Fabeha
Buttercup Adam

Year 1

Daffodil Sofi
Lilac Royaan
Sunflower Charlie

Year 2

Tulip Amyrah
Lily Affan
Poppy Perseas

Year 3

Carnation Satara
Freesia Saffiyah
Blossom Karim



Year 4

Orchid Ivaana
Dahlia Aminah

Year 5

Magnolia Lorenzo

Year 6

Iris Daniel

HEADTEACHER AWARD

Reception

Bluebell Isabella
Daisy Sabrina
Buttercup Ionis

Year 1

Daffodil Sriya
Lilac Ismaeel
Sunflower Aadhidev

Year 2

Tulip Aston
Lily Emelia
Poppy Finn

Year 3

Carnation Adrian D
Freesia Arad
Blossom Diyanah



Year 4

Orchid Ismaeel
Dahlia Malaysia

Year 5

Magnolia Alex

Year 6

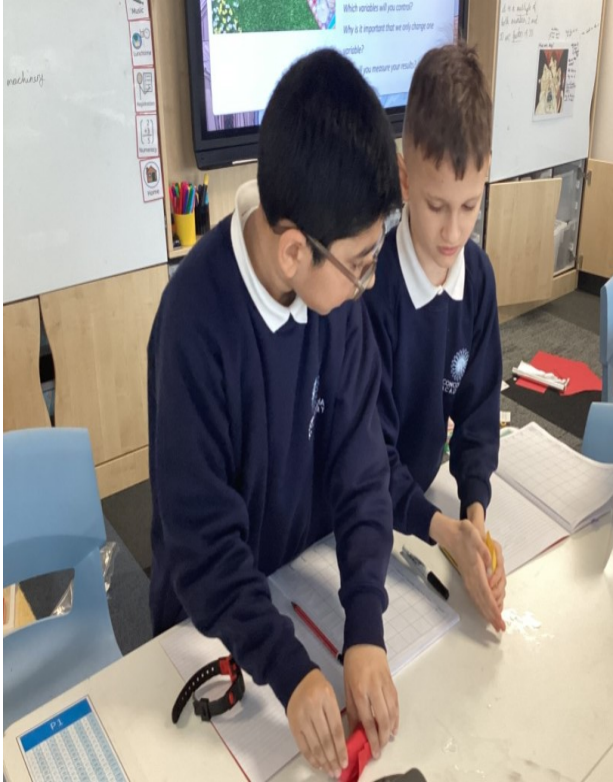
Iris Adah

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CURRICULUM CORNER – YEAR 5

In Year 5, we have been learning about the properties of materials and practising using a range of scientific vocabulary to describe them.

We carried out a scientific enquiry to investigate thermal insulation by wrapping ice cubes in different materials and observing how long it took for each ice cube to melt.

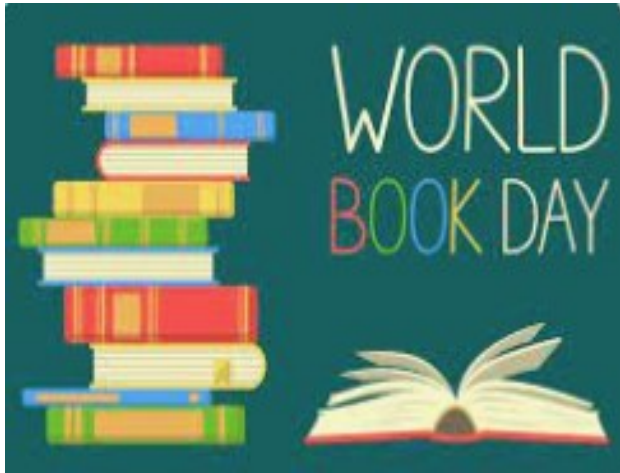


WORLD BOOK DAY

What an amazing day! The children looked absolutely fantastic and blew us away with the creativity of their costumes! Thank you to all the parents and carers who supported the children in creating such wonderful costumes.

The World Book Day dance work shop was phenomenal and the children danced to a range of music from well-known musicals and books, such as Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, Hairspray and Wicked! Not only that, but all children took part in a drama performance within their class, inspired by books that they have or are reading at the moment. We were blown away with some of the talent! The children also had the opportunity to design a book cover suited to a book of their choice.

All of these activities really showed the passion our children at Concordia Academy have for reading and their love for books. We look forward to celebrating next year!



COMMUNITY— EASTER HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

Havering's Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) Easter Programme 2024 is OUT!

The Holiday Activities and Food Programme (HAF) is a funded initiative that provides fun activity and food provision for children aged reception to year 11 who are eligible for BENEFIT RELATED Free School Meals during the Easter, Summer and Christmas Holidays.

The programme is designed to support families on a lower income, or children who are considered to be vulnerable. Children who attend a HAF club will have access to a full range of activities and will receive a healthy nutritious meal. School holidays can be a pressure point for some families due to increased costs and reduced incomes. Therefore, some children are more likely to experience 'unhealthy holidays' in terms of nutrition and physical health. This is where the HAF programme can help support those families and children to access local fun healthy activities and food during the school holiday periods. This not only provides the opportunity for children to enjoy the activities on offer and be fed with a nutritious meal, it also supports families financially during this period.

To have access to the funded sessions you MUST be eligible for benefit related free school meals (BRFSM) and have made an application through Havering, regardless of your child's age as not all children in KS1 are eligible even though they receive a meal at school usually. A referral for vulnerable families who do not meet the benefit related free school meals criteria, can be made via your school and/ other services. Once referred and eligibility is confirmed you will be given a unique voucher code via your referrer to access booking your funded place on a HAF programme (BRFSM eligibility do not need a code to book). Eligibility checks will be completed to confirm your funded place post programme booking registration with HAF providers.

Every eligible child can access up to 16 hours of funded activities this Easter Holiday! For more information or to view and book the funded places available this Easter please visit our webpage where the Easter HAF programmes and activities are listed www.havering.gov.uk/HAF. You can also follow us via our Facebook page @HAFHavering for updates.

If you are unable to attend your booked HAF session, please inform the provider so they are able to offer the funded place to another child who would greatly benefit from this opportunity. If no contact is made they will assume you no longer want the place and will offer it out to another child.

See the poster on the next page for further details.

Holiday Activities and Food Easter Programme (HAF)



FUNDED HOLIDAY FUN ACTIVITIES AND FOOD!

Supporting families
during the Easter Holiday

Monday 1 April to Friday 12 April 2024



Trampoline
Park



Ice
Skating



Arts
and
Crafts



Activity
Camps

Sport



Cooking

- **Funded** places for children to enjoy up to 16 hours of fun activities and nutritious food over Easter school holidays.
- Children who live in Havering, aged reception to year 11, can benefit from this fantastic programme.
- There are a number of exciting activities and camps you can join.
- HAF is funded by the Department for Education.

Please visit www.havering.gov.uk/HAF for more information and for the list of activities

