



CONCORDIA
ACADEMY

NEWSLETTER

Friday 15 March 2024



Dear Parents & Carers,

The PTA have organised a professional magic show on the last day of term!

We will have a professional magician come to the school and, once children have been dismissed, lead two magic shows.

Tickets can be bought via Squid so if you would like your child to go then purchase a ticket as soon as you can. Food and drink will also be available to purchase on the day.

Have a good weekend, all.

Kind regards

Mr Akhtar
Headteacher



AMIGO'S MAGIC SHOW



The PTA is very pleased to inform all students & parents that professional magician Simon Rosselli, of Amigo's Magic and World-Famous Magic Circle, will be presenting his Family Magic & Comedy Show at our school!

The shows will take place on Thursday 28th March 2024, in the School Hall.

1st Show - 2:30pm to 3:30pm
2nd Show - 4pm to 5pm

Tickets are available on Squid

Child ticket - £5 child ticket includes:
Adult ticket - £2 chocolate bar & bunny copter toy

Food and drink will be available to purchase on the day.
Pocket Money toys will be sold too

Entry to the school premises will be via the Jubilee Park gate and the hall doors will open 30 minutes prior to each show. Dismissal from the event will also be from the Jubilee Park gate.

Any queries please contact us on PTA@concordiaacademy.co.uk

Key Dates

Spring Term Second
Half 2024

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 dismissal times:
1pm—Reception/Y1/Y2
1.10pm—Y3/Y4
1.20pm—Y5/Y6
Easter 10p Roll
PTA: Magic Shows from
2pm

ATTENDANCE

Congratulations to Bluebell Class for being our attendance winners in Reception with 92.1% attendance for the week. Congratulations to Daffodil Class for being the attendance winners in Key Stage 1 with 98.8% attendance, and also to Blossom Class who are our KS2 winners with 98.1% attendance.

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

STAR OF THE WEEK

Reception

Bluebell	Baraa
Daisy	Amal
Buttercup	Mattias

Year 1

Daffodil	Dylan
Lilac	Briyarnah
Sunflower	Ava

Year 2

Tulip	Logan
Lily	Alina
Poppy	Moazzam

Year 3

Carnation	Faith
Freesia	Lilian
Blossom	Yusra



Year 4

Orchid	Eesa
Dahlia	Izma

Year 5

Magnolia	Taline
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Year 6

Iris	Matias
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HEADTEACHER AWARD

Reception

Bluebell	Javel
Daisy	Harris
Buttercup	Aaisha

Year 1

Daffodil	Milan
Lilac	Nouh
Sunflower	Reis

Year 2

Tulip	Ilayda
Lily	Adem
Poppy	Summer

Year 3

Carnation	Muhammad
Freesia	Kai
Blossom	Dominik



Year 4

Orchid	Sofia K
Dahlia	Harper-Rose

Year 5

Magnolia	Arin
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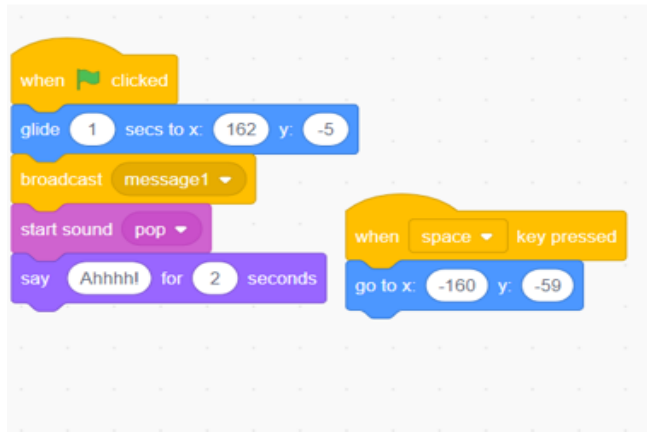
Year 6

Iris	Alba
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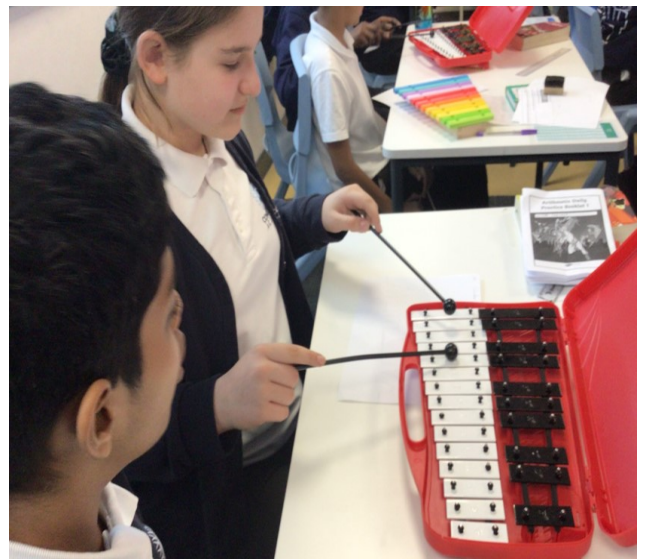
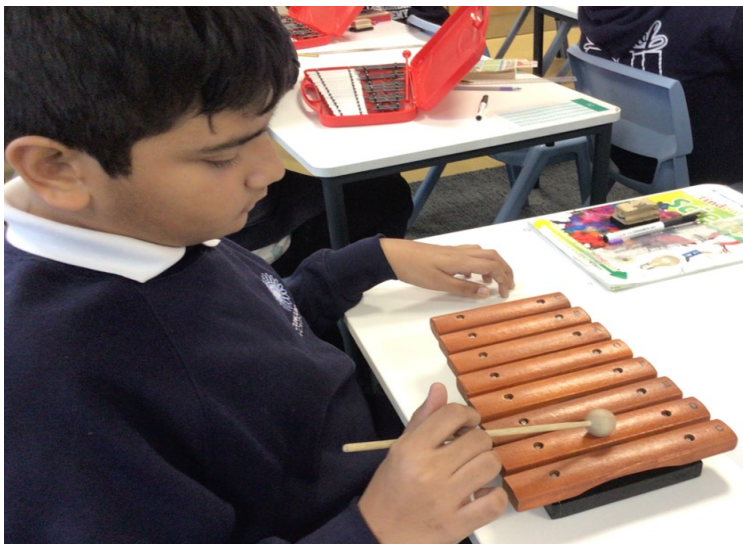
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CURRICULUM CORNER – YEAR 6

This week, Year 6 have been learning how to create an animation using Scratch. They were able to debug codes and create their own to eventually create a story involving a haunted house!



Year 6 have also been working hard in their music lessons! They used percussion instruments to create their own performative piece, experimenting with pitch, dynamic and texture. Some children even became conductors for the lesson!



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



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

