



Dates for the Diary

Spring Term

Monday 3rd April to Friday 14th April – Easter Holidays

Summer Term

Monday 17th April – Children return to school

Tuesday 18th April – Zimbabwe Independence Day (Wear the colours of the flag)

Tuesday 18th April – Reception visiting Discover, Stratford

Wednesday 19th April – Reception visiting Discover, Stratford

Tuesday 25th April – 2D visit to Pizza Express

Friday 28th April – ARP visit to London Aquarium

Tuesday 2nd May – Year 1 visiting Barking Park

Wednesday 17th May – Banji Alexander – Author visit

Monday 22nd May – 4R & 4TH visit to Valence House

Thursday 25th May – 4G visit to Valence House

Dear Parent/Carer,

As we come to the end of our Spring Term, we conclude it by celebrating the achievers of the class award (see page 3 below) and the 140 children who have attended school and obtained 100% attendance despite the multitude of illnesses.

We held three assemblies today and were most impressed by the children's behaviour, supportive nature towards their peers and the certificate messages which the teachers had chosen to write about the recipients of the class awards. Furthermore, each assembly was accompanied by the wonderful Ukulele Club who practise with Mrs Bright before school each week.

We write to let you know that Mrs Didcock, who has fulfilled a variety of roles in school including: first-aider, midday assistant, and special support assistant, retires at the end of the Easter holidays. Mrs Didcock will be coming in to school on Thursday 27th April so that we can all say goodbye and wish her well.

This Easter break, we hope that all families have a wonderful time and remain safe. We look forward to welcoming everybody back on Monday 17th April 8:30a.m.

Michael Kaitell and Selina Frazer

Co-Headteachers








Can you spot 10 differences?

Thrive School of Excellence



Team Points

TEAM POINTS		
	Tigers	559
	Bears	390
	Wolves	506
	Sharks	525
	Komodo Dragon	586

Attendance

Congratulations to 2A in Key Stage 1 who achieved 93.09% this week and to 5A in Key Stage 2 with 94.86%

Class	Attendance %	Class	Attendance %	Class	Attendance %
RB	92.40	2D	92.70	4TH	90.79
RH	89.34	2K	86.45	5A	94.86
RR	90.59	3G	89.02	5D	90.91
1H	92.91	3T	87.64	5Y	93.00
1K	86.90	3Z	88.24	6E	92.42
1L	87.55	4G	92.51	6L	94.51
2A	93.09	4R	86.08	6N	92.91



School Uniform

School uniform can be purchased every Monday from 3:00-4:00pm in the dining hall.

Uniform can also be purchased online:

www.schooluniformdirect.org.uk/schools/product-category/schools-and-clubs/hunters-hall-primary/

Or

Telephone: 01992 763679

Email: info@schooluniformdirect.org.uk



Parent Hub

We would like all parents/carers to join us on Parent Hub.

Parent Hub is a FREE app that helps keep you up to date with what's going on at school. You'll receive messages, pictures, documents and newsletters, all in one handy place.



1. Download the Parent Hub app from your app store (iPhone or Android).
2. Create yourself an account.
3. Choose "Add a School" and enter:

@HuntersHallIPS

How to translate messages in the Parent Hub app (guidance for schools)

In the app, parents just tap the 'translate' button in the bottom right of a message.

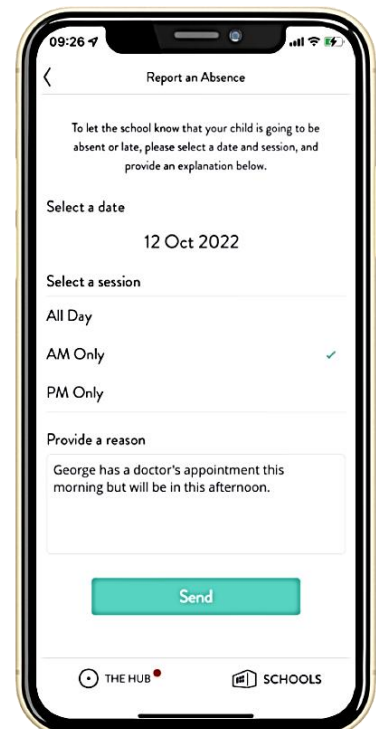
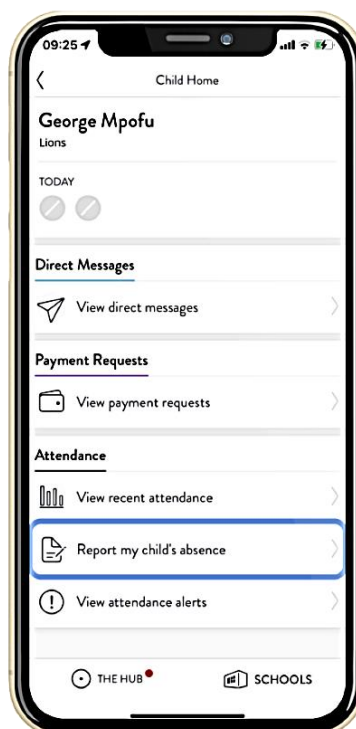
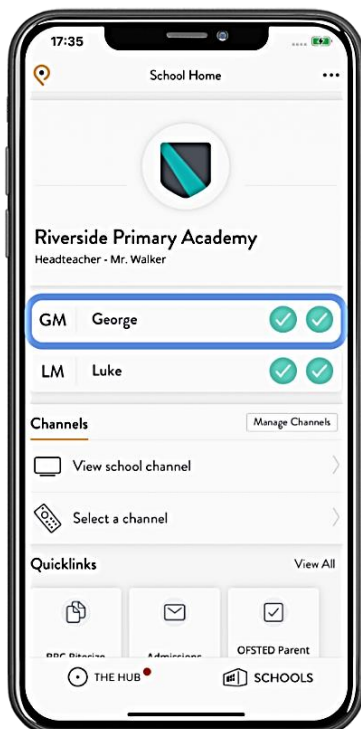
This applies to old messages, as well as new ones.

To find out more, click the link below for a useful guide.

<https://support.parenthub.co.uk/hc/en-us/articles/6172951020689-How-to-translate-messages-in-the-Parent-Hub-app>



Reporting absence



End of Term Class Certificates March 2023

Class	Name	Reason
RR	Aylin-Teodora Margina	For consistently working hard and showing excellent progress.
RH	Esli Kasrati	For making excellent progress in her learning.
RB	Anastasia Zala	For making progress in all areas of learning.
1L	Olivia Thomas	For improvements in writing and reading.
1K	Jada McKay	Jada always tries her best, whatever we are doing.
1H	Eric Constanciuc	For always trying his best and never giving up when something becomes hard.
2K	Isabel Lauder	For persevering and rising to any given challenge.
2D	Ekaterina Buraga	For always being polite, ready to learn and working hard.
2A	Nahla Ikota	For her consistent participation in lessons and comedic persona.
3G	Skye Gosby	Improved confidence in Maths, Reading and Writing.
3T	Sheza Imran	Continuous hard work and effort.
3Z	Erikas Raskauskas	Persistent determination and effort to try his best in everything he does.
4TH	Riley Pace	For always displaying positive attitude towards everyone and towards his learning.
4G	Mahdi Ahmed	For a positive change in attitude towards his learning in all subjects.
4R	Waziha Mehek	For always trying her best in all areas and for being helpful.
5A	Sijmon Sein	For continued hard work and excellent attitude to learning.
5D	Alex Cardoso	For always being polite and working hard.
5Y	Lilly Marston	For being a great role model, always working hard and very kind to her peers.
6E	Stephen Kemp	For his engagement and contribution in all subject areas.
6L	Rahima Sanni	Showing effort and pride in her academic life.
6N	Aaliyah Adegoke:	For her dedication to making progress across the curriculum!
ARP	Siyanna Rayhat	Being a good role model and always trying her best.

Coming Soon: Meet Banji Alexander!

Hunters Hall has the exciting opportunity to meet London teacher and author, Banji Alexander, who will be visiting our school on the 17th May next half term!

Click here to learn more about his book, Lockdown Looms!

<https://banjialexander.com/banji-in-the-media>

MEET Banji Alexander

AUTHOR OF
LOCKDOWN LOOMS
REGGIE'S BIRTHDAY PARTY



WEDS
17TH MAY

VISIT: WWW.LOCKDOWNLOOMS.COM

CELEBRATED AUTHOR, BANJI ALEXANDER WILL BE VISITING OUR SCHOOL ON WEDNESDAY 17TH MAY, TO TALK ABOUT HIS VERY SPECIAL BOOK AND TO SIGN COPIES!
WHAT QUESTIONS DO YOU HAVE FOR HIM?

PRE-ORDER BOOKS VIA THE SCHOOL, FOR £10!



What is bullying?

Bullying is when a person is hurtful or unkind to someone else, on purpose and more than once. Bullying can be done by one person or by a group of people. A useful way to remember bullying is:

SEVERAL TIMES ON PURPOSE

Bullying can be repeatedly:



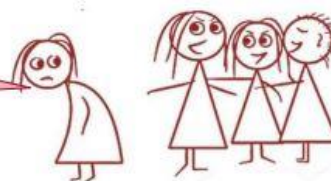
- Hitting or saying you are going to hit someone.
- Touching someone when they don't want to be.
- Calling someone names, teasing, using rude language or saying nasty things about someone to them or to other people.
- Stealing or damaging someone else's belongings.
- Ignoring someone on purpose or leaving them out and encouraging others to do the same.
- Sending hurtful or unkind texts, emails or online messages to someone or about someone.



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Bullying can be about:



- Race or ethnicity
- Religion or belief
- Family and culture
- Sexist bullying, which is bullying someone because of their gender. For example, because they are a boy or girl, or saying they are acting 'like a boy' or 'like a girl'
- Homophobic or biphobic bullying, this is saying unkind or nasty things because someone is a lesbian, gay or bisexual, or because you think they are, or because they have two mums or two dads. It is also calling someone lesbian, gay, bisexual on purpose to be unkind or nasty to them, for example 'you are so gay!'
- Transphobic bullying. This is saying unkind things because someone is Trans, or because you think they are trans, or being nasty about trans people (someone who feels the gender they are given as a baby doesn't match the gender they feel themselves to be).
- Special educational needs or disability
- What someone looks like
- Where someone lives

Ramadan FASTING



Fasting is when muslims don't eat or drink from sundown till dawn.

HUH?

If you ever hear Ramadan miubarak it means - Happy Ramadan and Ramadan Kareem roughly translates to Have a generous Ramadan

Food



Foods that people often eat in Ramadan are Dates, Soups, Kebabs and yellow



5 Facts!



1. Children do not have to fast until the age of 14
2. Most muslims try to read the whole of the Quran
3. If your travelling you do not have to fast
4. More than 1.6 billion muslims celebrate Ramadan
5. Fasting in polar regions can be trick as there can be up to 22 hours of daylight



By Rahges, Rahima & Dacine

Reception Developing Vocabulary Workshop

Thank you to everyone who was able to attend the Reception Developing Vocabulary Workshop delivered by Miss Caisey. It was lovely to see so many of you there.



The following link is to the presentation: <https://www.huntershallprimary.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/03/Developing-Vocabulary-Workshop-2023.pdf>

Year 3

Year 3 have been learning about the Hindu religion. They have a yearly festival called Holi. Typically, this falls in March, near the spring equinox. Holi marks the start of Spring and is a colourful event which involves paint throwing. Year 3 celebrated Holi by paint throwing. "That was so much fun!" said the children.





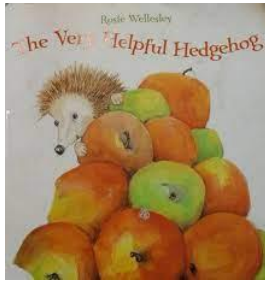
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Reading for Pleasure Matters at Hunters Hall

Ever got stuck when choosing a book to buy or borrow from the library?
Ever wondered what your teachers, family or friends like to read?
Well, our new weekly book review section is just what you need!
Here are Miss Liburd's recommendations:



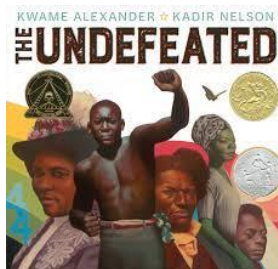
Reading interest: 4-8

'The Very Helpful Hedgehog' by Rosie Wellesley tells the story of a lonely hedgehog and his unlikely friendship with a donkey. It always makes me laugh when I read the part where an apple gets stuck on the hedgehog's back!



Reading interest: 8-12

Graphic novelist Kazu Kibuishi creates a world of terrible, man-eating demons, a mechanical rabbit, a talking fox, a giant robot---and two ordinary children on a mission! Sometimes it's good to read a book without too many words and to use your imagination to 'read' the pictures and put voices to the characters.



Reading interest: 10-adult

'The Undefeated' by Kwame Alexander is a moving poem about black Americans. Although it's best read with an adult, it's a book about courage with an ending that offers hope. It was actually written in 2008 when Barak Obama became the first black president – a fantastic day in history.





Are you a parent or carer?

Does your child or young person have an EHCP plan?

We want to invite you to take part in our survey. To access it, please scan the QR code below.

There will be a price draw for survey participants! We will be giving away two supermarket vouchers worth £20 each, make sure to enter your contact details. If you have any questions please contact us info@healthwatchbarkinganddagenham.co.uk or 0800 298 5331



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Dagenham

Special Ticket Offer



WEST HAM WOMEN  LIVERPOOL WOMEN

Sunday 2 April 5pm

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**SPECIAL £1
TICKET OFFER**
BUY YOURS TODAY



Limited number of £1 tickets available. Tickets allocated on a first come, first served basis.

New Dinner Menu - w/c Monday 17th April

MONDAY

Burger in a Bun
Halal Burger in a Bun
Quorn Southern Fried Burger in a Bun
Skin on Wedges (V)(VG)
Sweetcorn (V)(VG)

Jacket Potato with
Baked Beans, Cheese or Both

Cheese or Tuna Roll

DESSERT

Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Ice cream with Fruit Salad (V)

THURSDAY

Roast Chicken with Gravy (RT)
Halal Roast Chicken with Gravy (RT)
Roasted Vegetarian Pastry
Roast Potatoes (V)(VG)(RT)
Carrots & Green Beans (V)(VG)
Yorkshire Pudding (V)

Jacket Potato with
Tuna, Cheese or Both

Cheese or Tuna Roll

DESSERT

Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Banoffee Cake
(V)(O)(FR)(FT)(RS)



(V) Vegetarian (H) Halal (O) Organic (RT) Red Tractor (FR) Free Range (VG) Vegan (FT) Fair Trade (RS) Reduced Sugar

TUESDAY

BBQ Chicken with Rice (RT)
BBQ Halal Chicken with Rice (RT)
Golden Topped Macaroni & Cheese
Broccoli (V)(VG)

Jacket Potato with
Tuna Sweetcorn Mayonnaise

Cheese or Tuna Mayonnaise Roll

DESSERT

Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Cherry Bakewell Cookie (V)(O)(FT)(RS)

PLANET EARTH WEDNESDAY

Vegetarian Cheese & Tomato Pizza
Salmon Pastry Parcel with New Potatoes
Garlic Bread (V)
Sweetcorn & Coleslaw (V)

Jacket Potato with
Cheese, Coleslaw or Both

Egg or Cheese Roll

DESSERT

Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Yogurt with Fruit Cocktail (V)

FRIDAY

Crispy Coated Fish Fingers
Vegetarian Nuggets
Oven Baked Chips (V)(VG)(RT)
Peas or Baked Beans (V)(VG)

Jacket Potato with
Cheese, Baked Beans or Both

Cheese or Egg Roll

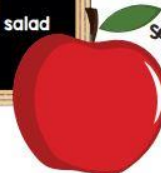
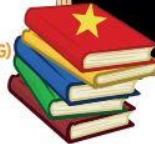
DESSERT

Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Fruit Jelly (V)

17.04 - 08.05 - 05.06 - 26.06 - 17.07 - 04.09 - 25.09 - 16.10

HUNTERS HALL PRIMARY SCHOOL LUNCH MENU SPRING/SUMMER 2023 WEEK 1

Fresh drinking water
Seasonal fresh fruit
Low Fat yogurts
Fresh baked bread
Locally sourced seasonal salad
or crudites bar.



MONDAY

Sausages & Mash
Halal Sausages & Mash
Vegetarian Sausages & Mash
Onions (V)(VG)
Gravy
Peas (V)(VG)

Jacket Potato with
Cheese, Baked Beans or Both

Cheese or Tuna Roll

DESSERT

Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Fruit Sauce Topped Waffle (V)

THURSDAY

Roast Chicken with Gravy (RT)
Halal Roast Chicken with Gravy (RT)
Vegan Sausage Roll
Roast Potatoes (V)(VG)(RT)
Carrots & Green Beans (V)(VG)
Yorkshire Pudding (V)

Jacket Potato with
Tuna, Cheese or Both

Cheese or Tuna Roll

DESSERT

Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Carrot Cake with Frosting
(V)(O)(FT)(RS)



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TUESDAY

Mexican Chilli Chicken Taco Boat (O)
Halal Mexican Chilli Chicken Taco Boat
Cheesy Pasta Bake
Savoury Rice
Broccoli (V)(VG)

Jacket Potato with
Cheese, Tuna Mayonnaise or Both

Cheese or Tuna Mayonnaise Roll

DESSERT

Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Fruity Flapjack with Custard (V)(O)(FT)(RS)

PLANET EARTH WEDNESDAY

Vegetarian Enchilada
Vegetarian Cheese & Tomato Pizza
Garlic Bread (V)
Coleslaw & Sweetcorn (V)

Jacket Potato with
Cheese, Coleslaw or Both

Egg or Cheese Roll

DESSERT

Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Yogurt with Fruit Cocktail (V)

FRIDAY

Jumbo Breaded Fish Finger
Vegetarian Cheese & Tomato Flan
Oven Baked Chips (V)(VG)(RT)
Peas or Baked Beans (V)(VG)

Jacket Potato with
Cheese, Baked Beans or Both

Cheese or Egg Roll

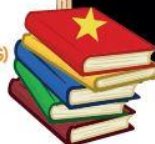
DESSERT

Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Fruit Jelly (V)

24.04 - 15.05 - 12.06 - 03.07 - 11.09 - 02.10

HUNTERS HALL PRIMARY SCHOOL LUNCH MENU SPRING/SUMMER 2023 WEEK 2

Fresh drinking water
Seasonal fresh fruit
Low Fat yogurts
Fresh baked bread
Locally sourced seasonal salad
or crudites bar.



New Dinner Menu cont...

MONDAY

Beef Lasagne (O)
Halal Beef Lasagne
Chunky Vegetable Curry with Rice
Broccoli (V)(VG)
Jacket Potato with
Baked Beans, Cheese or Both
Cheese or Tuna Roll
DESSERT
Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Flavoured Milkshake with Melon (V)

TUESDAY

Peri Peri Chicken with Savoury Rice or Noodles (RT)
Halal Peri Peri Chicken with Savoury Rice or Noodles (RT)
Vegetarian Quorn Thai Noodles
Sweetcorn (V)(VG)
Jacket Potato with
Tuna Sweetcorn Mayonnaise
Egg or Cheese Roll
DESSERT
Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Chocolate Beetroot Brownie (V)(O)(FR)(FT)(RS)

PLANET EARTH WEDNESDAY

Vegetarian Cheese & Tomato Pizza
Roasted Vegetable Pasta Bake
Garlic Bread (V)
Sweetcorn or Coleslaw (V)
Jacket Potato with
Cheese, Coleslaw or Both
Egg or Cheese Roll
DESSERT
Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Yogurt with Fruit Cocktail (V)

THURSDAY

Roast Chicken with Gravy (RT)
Halal Chicken with Gravy (RT)
Roasted Vegetable Slice
Roast Potatoes (V)(VG)(RT)
Carrots or Green Beans (V)(VG)
Yorkshire Pudding (V)
Jacket Potato with
Tuna, Cheese or Both
Cheese or Tuna Roll
DESSERT
Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Zesty Orange Sponge with Custard
(V)(O)(FR)(FT)(RS)

01.05 - 22.05 - 19.06 - 10.07 - 18.09 - 09.10

HUNTERS HALL
PRIMARY SCHOOL
LUNCH MENU
SPRING/SUMMER 2023
WEEK 3

Fresh drinking water
Seasonal fresh fruit
Low fat yogurts
Fresh baked bread
Locally sourced seasonal salad
or crudites bar.

FRIDAY

Breaded Fish Fingers
Roasted Vegetable Flan
Oven Baked Chips (V)(VG)(RT)
Peas or Baked Beans (V)(VG)
Jacket Potato with
Cheese, Baked Beans or Both
Cheese or Egg Roll
DESSERT
Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter (V)(VG)
Fruit Jelly (V)



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Zimbabwe Independence Day - 18th April 2023

Don't forget to wear the colours of the Zimbabwe flag on Tuesday 18th April for Zimbabwe's Independence Day.

It's on Tuesday 18th April 2023

Zimbabwe Independence day

please wear Green yellow Red

Black

Green is for the plants
yellow is for minerals gold diamond.
Red is for blood that was shed during the war
Black is for majority of black people

Maybe if you could bring some money it could help the school

Zimbabwe is a beautiful independence is very important marvellous food. In Zimbabwe Banana are good. In Zimbabwe apple are sweet in Zimbabwe Beautiful Palaces in Zimbabwe Elephants are pe Zimbabwean People torture

Information about Zimbabwe

Zimbabwe has beautiful rivers it has amazing food and beautiful animals and its neighbour's will want to live and go to. please wear the colour Green Black yellow Red or if your have Africa clothes wear them please.

Zimbabwe's independence day is coming up it's gonna fun with our gang be learning more Zimbabwean culture you can learn like history about it.

Hunters hall primary school

Independence Day Zimbabwe



Thames Chase Spring Fayre



Sunday, 16 April 2023

10am – 3pm

Join us for our annual Spring event.
Celebrate the heritage of our local landscape at Thames Chase Forest Centre.

- **FREE heritage book talks 10.30-11.30am**
- **Make a mini scarecrow**
- **Sunflower seed planting**
- **Orchard blossom walks in partnership with Forestry England, 1pm-2pm**
(suggested donation £3 per person)
- **Craft stalls, plus demonstrations of local traditional crafts**
- **Food by The Giggly Pig company**
- **Drinks and refreshments provided by The Beanery**



For more information call 01708 642970 or visit the Thames Chase Forest Centre, Pike Lane, Upminster RM14 3NS.
Email: enquiries@thameschase.org.uk
Website: www.thameschase.org.uk
Thames Chase: Charity no. 1115627 Company no. 5687558.





HUNTERS HALL PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Telephone: 020 8270 4768

Email: office@hunters-hall.bardaglea.org.uk

Nursery Intake September 2023

Nursery places available for 3 and 4 year olds.

15 and 30-hour places available – please enquire.

Begin your child's education with a compassionate, dedicated knowledgeable, Nursery Teacher.

The best way to prepare your child for school. We provide the ideal start to your child's educational learning journey.

AM Session

8:30am – 11:30am



PM Session

12:15pm – 3:15pm

Please contact the school office by telephone or email to register.

Barking & Dagenham Easter Holiday Programme

This Easter

Each activity includes a healthy lunch

Get involved in healthy and fun activities

From sports and dancing to arts and crafts and Easter egg hunts there is something for everyone!

Open to children and young people aged 5 to 16 – FREE if they are eligible

Booking is essential on all activities, so book early to avoid disappointment.

To find out more and to book a place, visit lbbd.gov.uk/free-holiday-activities

#HAF2023
Parents and carers may be eligible for tax-free childcare with some providers. This provision is free for children and young people who live or go to school in Barking and Dagenham and are eligible for benefits related free school meals.

Department for Education

Barking & Dagenham

Take part in an Easter holiday to remember in Barking and Dagenham

Location	Venue	Dates	Age Group
IG11 7HW	Everyone Active: Abbey Leisure Centre, Bobby Moore Way, Barking	3 April to 6 April	8 to 12
RM10 7FH	Everyone Active: Becontree Heath Leisure Centre, Althorne Way, Dagenham	11 April to 14 April	5 to 7
RM10 7FH	Everyone Active: Becontree Heath Leisure Centre, Althorne Way, Dagenham	11 April to 14 April	8 to 12
RM8 3BB	Ballerz: Valence Primary, Bonham Road, Dagenham	3 April to 6 April	5 to 11
RM8 3BB	Ballerz: Valence Primary, Bonham Road, Dagenham	11 April to 14 April	5 to 11
IG11 8JA	Ballerz: Northbury Close, Barking	3 April to 6 April	5 to 11
IG11 8JA	Ballerz: Northbury Close, Barking	11 April to 14 April	5 to 11
RM10 7YP	DABD: Pembroke Gardens, Dagenham*	3 April to 5 April	5 to 18
RM10 7YP	DABD: Pembroke Gardens, Dagenham*	11 April to 13 April	5 to 18
RM10 8UR	Learning Hive: John Perry Primary School, Charles Road	3 April to 6 April	5 to 12
RM9 6UU	Inspire Minds Through Sports: St Peter's Goresbrook Road Dagenham	3 April to 6 April	5 to 11
RM9 6UU	Inspire Minds Through Sports: St Peter's Goresbrook Road Dagenham	11 April to 14 April	5 to 11
RM10 9JS	Inspire Minds Through Sports: William Ford, Ford Road, Dagenham	3 April to 6 April	5 to 11
RM10 9JS	Inspire Minds Through Sports: William Ford, Ford Road, Dagenham	11 April to 14 April	5 to 11
IG11 0FU	Sportworks: Riverside School, 40 Thames Road, Barking	3 April to 6 April	8 to 16
IG11 0FU	Sportworks: Riverside School, 40 Thames Road, Barking	11 April to 14 April	8 to 16
IG11 8TA	The Explore The Wild Easter Programme: Outdoor Bowls Pavilion, Barking Park, Longbridge Road, Barking	3 April to 6 April	7 to 11
IG11 9AG	Premier Education: Manor Junior School, Sandringham Road, Barking	3 April to 6 April	5 to 12
IG11 9AG	Premier Education: Manor Junior School, Sandringham Road, Barking	11 April to 14 April	5 to 12
RM9 4BL	Premier Education: Roding Primary School, Cannington Road, Dagenham	3 April to 6 April	5 to 12
RM9 4BL	Premier Education: Roding Primary School, Cannington Road, Dagenham	11 April to 14 April	5 to 12
RM8 3EX	Ultimate Vision Sports: Grafton Primary School, Grafton Road	3 April to 6 April	5 to 11
IG11 7JA	Ultimate Vision Sports: Gascoigne Primary School, The Shaftesbury	3 April to 6 April	5 to 11
IG11 7JA	Ultimate Vision Sports: Gascoigne Primary School, The Shaftesbury	11 April to 14 April	5 to 11
IG11 7FP	Ultimate Vision Sports: Ripple Primary School, Westbury Site, 225 Ripple Road	11 April to 14 April	5 to 11
RM10 7HX	Ultimate Vision Sports: William Bellamy Primary School, Frizlands Lane	11 April to 14 April	5 to 11
RM9 6NH	Malearn: Thomas Arnold Primary School, Rowdowns Road	3 April to 6 April	5 to 11
IG11 0FU	Malearn: Riverside Primary School, Renwick Road, Barking	11 April to 14 April	5 to 11
RM9 4UN	Dancing Decades: Jo Richardson Community School	3 April to 6 April	8 to 11
RM9 4UN	Dancing Decades: Jo Richardson Community School	3 April to 6 April	12 to 16
RM9 5YX	Future Youth Zone, 201-225 Porters Avenue, Dagenham	3 April to 7 April	8 to 12
RM9 5YX	Future Youth Zone, 201-225 Porters Avenue, Dagenham	10 April to 14 April	8 to 12
RM6 5NJ	N.E.W.S.T.A.R.T. Extravaganza - Food Is Fun: Marks Gate Community Hub, Rose Lane, Romford	5 April to 6 April	5 to 12
RM6 5NJ	N.E.W.S.T.A.R.T. Extravaganza - Food Is Fun: Marks Gate Community Hub, Rose Lane, Romford	12 April to 13 April	5 to 12
RM9 4UN	Healthy Hammers @Westham United Foundation: Jo Richardson School, Castle Green, Gale St, Dagenham	3 April to 6 April	12 to 16
RM10 8TR	Ackee Tree LTD: Dagenham Parish Hall, Exeter Road, Dagenham	3 April to 6 April	12 to 16
RM10 8TR	Ackee Tree LTD: Dagenham Parish Hall, Exeter Road, Dagenham	11 April to 14 April	12 to 16
RM10 1DN	Ultimate Vision Sports: Robert Clack Leisure Centre, Gosfield Road	3 April to 6 April	12 to 16
RM10 9QH	Dancing Decades: Dagenham Park Church of England School, School Road, Dagenham	3 April to 6 April	8 to 16
IG11 9BY	Hope For Humanity: St Thomas More Catholic Church, 514 Longbridge Road, Barking	3 April to 6 April	5 to 11

*These activities are specifically designed for children and young people with special needs and disabilities

HAF Programme

Free holiday activities – Holiday Activities and Food Programme

The Holiday Activity and Food (HAF) Programme is open to children and young people who live or go to school in Barking and Dagenham and are eligible for benefit related free school meals. (Children living in households on income-related benefits such as universal credit and who are eligible for free school

There are lots of different free exciting activities available for children and young people aged 4 to 16, from Reception to Year 13. Children and young people can enjoy a range of activities from swimming to mindfulness, theatre to cookery workshops and much more.

Activities will be available from Monday 4 until Friday 14 April 2023

We will provide free nutritious meals each day. Spaces are limited

If you have any questions, please contact us at HAFprogramme@lbbd.gov.uk.

For wider activities for all families, please visit <https://www.lbbd.gov.uk/free-holiday-activities>

HAF is funded by the Department of Education

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Any family who is looking to make changes together to be healthier and happier can request a free place. HENRY is ideal for families who are looking to eat better, become a healthier weight, be more physically active or those who are looking for support with family life.

Who is HENRY for?



Is there a cost?

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There is no cost for parents to attend. On completion families will receive 5 x Free leisure vouchers for weekly use of **Swim, Soft play & Junior gym** activities.

To sign up to HENRY programme please scan the QR code and complete the registration form



FREE SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES AVAILABLE

Easter is almost here and what better way for the kids to spend their holiday than taking part in exciting activities and making new friends?

It can be tough for parents finding things to occupy children during the holidays, that's why Barking and Dagenham council are hosting a variety of sports and activity camps. Attending a camp is a great way for children to get outside and enjoy the fresh air, learn new skills and mingle with kids outside their immediate circle. It's a growing experience that will make them better people one day, with brighter memories of their school holidays.

Who is the programme for: Young people and children who live or go to school in the area

Activities will be available from Monday 4 until Friday 14 April 2023

Please visit <https://lbbd.gov.uk/newme-healthy-lifestyles> and select the schools out tab for full programme list and booking information

Free Easter Camp for FSM Eligible Students



For students eligible for Free School Meals

FREE EASTER CAMP



Awesome partners

Limited spaces on a first come, first serve basis!

- Basketball
- Yoga
- Competitions
- Drama
- Soccer School
- Sublime Science
- Arts & Crafts
- Zoolab

A fun-filled week of activities

Check out our events!

How to register

It's simple, just click the button to get started!

Register



learninghive.co.uk
info@learninghive.co.uk
0207 112 8658



Mental Health Support Team



Who are we?

We are four Education Mental Health Practitioner (EMHP), offering early intervention for young people with mild to moderate difficulties.

Our team work closely with young people, parents, and school staff to think together about ways to improve mental wellbeing within your school environment

Who do we work with?

Parents or Carers of pupils from reception to year 6 with mild-moderate levels of:

- **Anxiety** (e.g. fears, phobias, feeling panicky)
- **Challenging behaviour** (e.g. struggling to follow rules, temper tantrums, difficulty following requests)

Whole classes or year groups (delivering assemblies and workshops)



Aims of our Team

- Provide early psychological support
- Support the school's whole-school approach to wellbeing
- Signposting to specialist service

For more information please speak to your mental health lead or get in touch MHST.BD@nelft.nhs.uk



BREAKFAST CLUB



Our breakfast club is open term time only Monday to Friday, 7:45 to 8:30am.

No booking is required, you can turn up on the day and pay.

The charge is **£3** per day, you are required to accompany your child into our breakfast club and stay with them until they have been marked in on our daily register.

You are required to have the correct money for payment.

Please note that payments in advance are non-refundable and non-transferable therefore if you choose to pay in advance and your child does not attend you lose that money.



WANTED

SECOND HAND UNIFORM

DONATIONS NEEDED

A big thank you to everyone who has previously donated. We always need more good quality second hand uniform items. Has your child grown out of theirs? Please donate to the school and come along to one of our sales for bargain replacements!

Winter coats and shoes also welcome.

Please bring any donations in a bag to the school office.



Thank you



DHP Scheme

Are you struggling to afford your rent payments?



Do you have rent arrears?

Do you need help with a deposit?

Help is available through the London Borough of Barking and Dagenham's Discretionary Housing Payment (DHP) scheme

Visit <https://www.lbbd.gov.uk/benefits-and-support/discretionary-hardship-support/discretionary-housing-payments-dhp>

To find out more and apply online

You must be in receipt of Housing Benefit or Universal Credit housing costs to qualify for a DHP



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Household Support Fund

Are you struggling with the rising cost of living?



Do you have utility debts?

Help is available to support the rising cost of living for energy & utility costs, food and other emergency need through the London Borough of Barking and Dagenham's Hardship schemes

Visit <https://www.lbbd.gov.uk/benefits-and-support/discretionary-hardship-support/hardship-payment-schemes/household-support-fund> to find out more and apply online



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MINI ROCKERS

FOR RECEPTION TO YEAR 2

Fun and inclusive in-school rock and pop band lessons, for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. No experience or instrument required.



ROCK HEROES

FOR YEARS 3 AND 4

Fun and inclusive in-school rock and pop band lessons, for Years 3 and 4. No experience or instrument required.



ROCK ICONS

FOR YEARS 5 AND 6

Fun and inclusive in-school rock and pop band lessons, for Years 5 and 6. No experience or instrument required.

<https://www.rocksteadymusicschool.com/info-for-parents>

- ✓ **Learn to play in a band**
Learning an instrument should be fun. Your child can choose from the electric guitar, keyboard, drums or vocals and enjoy playing in a happy, supportive environment with their friends.
- ✓ **Lead by real musicians**
Your child's music teacher should also be their role model. Which is why all Rocksteady Band Leaders are carefully chosen, extensively trained musicians who know how to inspire a life-long love of playing music.
- ✓ **In school time**
Lessons are 30 minutes long and take place in school time with all instruments provided, making it hassle-free for parents.
- ✓ **From first notes to favourite songs**
The Rocksteady Programme is for all children aged 4-11 and is proven to progress musicianship, confidence and teamwork skills with no prior experience necessary.
- ✓ **With regular live performances**
Playing on stage is a huge confidence booster. With termly concerts at school assemblies, your child will be able to show off their progress to friends, teachers and parents with the rest of their band.
- ✓ **And happily affordable**
Rocksteady is one of the most hassle-free ways to learn an instrument on a rolling subscription that you can cancel at any time. It's risk free too – cancel in the first month and you'll get a full refund.

Call 0330 113 0330