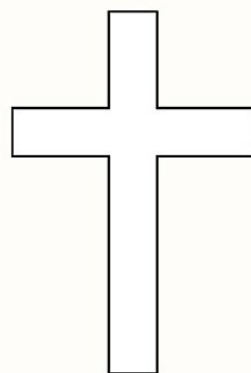


Friday News



Forward through
friendship & faith



Kind words



Kind hands



Kind actions

September

Mon 14th-Fri 25th - 6RS swimming lessons at Hillingdon Leisure Centre

Fri 25th - Macmillan Coffee Morning 9am - come along!

Wear yellow in support of DLF (£1)

Mon 28th Sep - Fri 9th Oct - 6JM swimming lessons at Hillingdon Leisure Centre

October

Mon 5th - Whole School Flu Vaccinations

Thurs 15th - Whole School Photos (Individual & Siblings)

Mon 19th - PANTS day in school

Term Dates

Academic Term starts

Mon 7 Sept 2026

Autumn half term

Mon 26th to Fri 30 Oct 2026

End of Autumn term

Fri 18th December 2026

Training Day

Mon 4th January 2027

Spring half term

Mon 15th to Fri 19th Feb 2027

End of Spring term

Thurs 25th March 2027

Summer term starts

Mon 12th April 2027

Summer half term

Mon 31st May to Fri 4th June 2027

Training Day

Mon 7th June 2027

Week 1 WC 21st September



Monday

Handmade Margherita Pizza with Wedges (GL,MI)
Vegetable Frittata with Wedges (EG,MI)

Jacket Potatoes - Cheese (MI), Beans or Tuna (FI)
Baguettes-Egg (GL,EG,SO), Cheese (GL,MI,SO) or Tuna (GL,SO,FI)
Ice Cream (MI) or Fresh Fruit



Tuesday

Chicken Meatballs with Tomato & Basil Sauce & Rice
Vegetable Biryani with Carrot & Raisin Salad (GL)

Jacket Potatoes - Cheese (MI), Beans or Tuna (FI)
Baguettes-Egg (GL,EG,SO), Cheese (GL,MI,SO) or Tuna (GL,SO,FI)
Lemon Drizzle Cake (GL,SU) or Fresh Fruit



Wednesday

Roast Chicken Breast with Potatoes & Gravy (SU)
Roasted Vegetable Loaf with Potatoes & Gravy (GL,SU)

Jacket Potatoes - Cheese (MI), Beans or Tuna (FI)
Baguettes-Egg (GL,EG,SO), Cheese (GL,MI,SO) or Tuna (GL,SO,FI)
Fruity Shortbread (GL) or Fresh Fruit



Thursday

Pastry Topped Chicken Pie With Mashed Potato (GL,MI)
Veggie Pasta Bolognese (GL,SO)

Jacket Potatoes - Cheese (MI), Beans or Tuna (FI)
Baguettes-Egg (GL,EG,SO), Cheese (GL,MI,SO) or Tuna (GL,SO,FI)
Vegan Fruit Jelly or Fresh Fruit



Friday

Breaded Fish Fingers with Chips & Beans (GL,FI)
Veggie Fingers with Chips & Beans (GL)

Jacket Potatoes - Cheese (MI), Beans or Tuna (FI)
Baguettes-Egg (GL,EG,SO), Cheese (GL,MI,SO) or Tuna (GL,SO,FI)
Dessert Bar (GL,MI,SU) or Fresh Fruit



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THIS WEEK IN WORSHIP



We have been thinking about
our school value: trust

Trust is important because it helps us act with hope and kindness. When we trust – in God, in each other, and in our own ability to do good – we make better choices that help our family, friends and neighbours.

At school, our vision and values remind us to be courageous advocates who shine light for others: trusting leads us to compassion, prayer and generosity, and helps everyone flourish.

God knows us, calls us and has a purpose
for our lives.
We trust in him, to help us to shine

Share our prayers



Dear God,

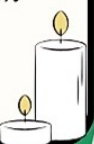
Thank you for forgiving us when we make mistakes.

Help us to say sorry when we are wrong.

Help us to forgive others when they hurt us.

Help us to remember that forgiveness can give us hope and a new beginning.

Amen.



This week we showed courageous advocacy by starting a busy school week with a positive attitude, working hard, and persevering through every challenge.

MESSAGES



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU!

Jasani in 3AH - 8 years old!

Sreesha in 1LZ - 6 years old!

Naviraj in Reception - 5 years old!

Ruby-Rae in 4FA - 9 years old!

Samyuktha in 1LD - 6 years old!

Kanishka in 2KH - 7 years old!

Sudhan in 5RR - 10 years old!

Miss Hossen!



SAFEGUARDING



Safeguarding is a priority at our school, and we are committed to ensuring that all children feel safe, supported and valued.

Should you ever have any concerns, or need advice, please speak to Mr Small, our Designated Safeguarding Lead, or contact MASHon 01895 556644.

Ofsted

This week has been an exceptionally busy one for our school as we welcomed the Ofsted inspection team. I would like to take this opportunity to sincerely thank all of our parents and carers for your continued support, encouragement and partnership throughout the process.

Visits such as these provide an opportunity to showcase the wonderful things that happen in our school every day, and we were immensely proud of our children. As always, they demonstrated positive attitudes to learning, excellent behaviour and a genuine enthusiasm for their work. The inspectors enjoyed speaking with pupils and seeing the many ways in which they contribute to our school community.

We appreciate the thoughtful responses and feedback provided by parents during the inspection. Your support plays a vital role in the success of our school and is greatly valued.

Thank you once again for your ongoing support. We look forward to sharing the outcome of the inspection with you when we are able to do so.

Thank you for being part of our school community.



BREAKFAST CLUB!



Don't forget that St Matthew's offers a **free** Breakfast Club from **08:15 every day** to all children from Reception to Year 6.

Children can choose from a selection of toast, cereal, yoghurt or fruit.

For our families who need earlier childcare, the doors will be open from **07:45 each day**, with a charge of **£1 per day** via Parent Pay.

Did you know our school website can be translated into a range of languages?



 Social Media



Simply click the world icon on the right-hand side of the home page and select your preferred language!

LATEST NEWS



Class of the week!



Each week, children across the school earn points for demonstrating positive behaviour, including using good manners, being kind and helpful, listening well, and participating in lessons. At the end of the week, the class with the most points win an extra break time!

Upper School - 1st place 4EM 813 points!
Lower School - 1st place 1LD 780 points!

This week's attendance for Early years

Nursery	RCB	RSH
	85.9%	90.7%

Whole School Attendance



Whole school attendance from the start of the academic year is **92.1%**.

For the week beginning **Monday 7th September 2026**, whole school attendance was **91.9%**.

Our school target is 96%.



This week's attendance for Lower School

1LD	1LZ	2KH	2MG	3AH	3RT
91.7%	95.4%	90%	94%	92.9%	97.6%

Merit Certificate Awards



RSH	Naomi	3RT	Yegor
RCB	Alejandro	4EM	Arianna
1LZ	Zainab	4FA	Ivy
1LD	Gowtham	5LR	Mickey
2KH	Albie	5RR	Kavin
2MG	Arabella	6RS	Jaedon
3AH	Jaidon	6JM	Harjot

This week's attendance for Upper School

4EM	4FA	5LR	5RR	6RS	6JM
93.6%	93%	86.9%	92.9%	95.2%	85.5%

HALL OF FAME



Nyra, Lilly and Jasmine impressed Mr McCarthy in Wellbeing this week by working collaboratively to create the tallest free standing tower in their class!



A huge well done to Yuvaan in SLR who won a Gold AND Silver medal for Team GB in Germany in Martial Arts! Incredible!



Well done to Zofia in Miss Z's class for her fantastic writing this week!

COFFEE MORNING

**MACMILLAN
CANCER SUPPORT**

**HELP TO RAISE MONEY FOR THOSE
LIVING WITH CANCER**

**ENJOY A CUP OF
COFFEE AND A SWEET
TREAT**



**WHEN?
FRIDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER AT 9AM - 9.30AM**

**WHERE?
SCHOOL HALL**

MAKE, BAKE, OR DONATE!

STOP BY FOR TEA, COFFEE, CAKES AND GOOD CHAT!

Friday 25th September

NON-UNIFORM DAY

to support the
Daniella Logun Foundation

A charity raising money for
those living with childhood cancer.

Together
we can
make a
difference



Wear something
YELLOW!

We are asking for
donations of **£1.**

100% of the money raised
will go to DLF.

For more information, please visit

[The Daniella Logun Foundation \(DLF\)](https://www.thedaniellalogunfoundation.org/)

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The
Daniella Logun
Foundation



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September 2027

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www.hillingdon.gov.uk/schooladmissions

Closing date for applications is Saturday 31 October 2026



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LONDON

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DANIELLA LOGUN FOUNDATION

FAMILY FUN DAY!

**SATURDAY,
26 SEPTEMBER 2026
1PM - 6PM**

Children Enter Free
Adult - Entry Donation - £2.50

Uxbridge High School,
111 The Greenway,
Hillingdon UB8 2PR

September is
Childhood Cancer Awareness Month
#CCAM. All proceeds will go
towards supporting children with
cancer and their families.
Thank you.

07760 411 888
www.thedaniellalogunfoundation.org

QR Code: @DANIELLAGUN

Remembrance

Mother Nature Science

OCTOBER HALF-TERM STEM HOLIDAY CAMP

Week A: Mon 19 to Fri 23 Oct 2026 (5 Days)
Week B: Mon 26 to Fri 30 Oct 2026 (5 Days)

Small, Structured STEM Classes
Safe, Fun, Social, Active and Educational
For All Boys & Girls Aged 5-11 Yrs
The No.1 Holiday Camp - as Voted by You

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BEST HOLIDAY CAMPS
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Information: Autumn Half-term October 2026
In this spooky 5-day Holiday Science Activity Camp, your children enjoy lots of premium fun, hands-on, chemistry, biology and physics STEAM activities and special demonstrations with take home experiments (see below).

Dates:
Week A: Mon 19-Fri 23 Oct 2026 (5 days)
Week B: Mon 26-Fri 30 Oct 2026 (5 days)
*Check online for which weeks are running at your Location
*Times: 9am - 3:30pm (6.5hrs)
Extended Hours: 8:30am; latest collection 4pm
- simply add when booking online
*Open to Children: aged 5-12 years
*Locations: across Greater London (look right-)

Halloween Science! - New 2026 Activities

Day 1: Atomic Monsters!
Getting To Know You!
Viral Viruses!
Pumpkin Life Cycle!
Haunted House!
Day 2: Gory Genes!
Earle Eruptions!
Spooky Slime!
Witch's Cauldron!
Day 3: Trick or Treat!
Blood Making!
Skelly, the 3D Skeleton!
Witchcraft Illusions!

Day 4: Witchcraft Science!
Flying Bats!
Spooky Spider Webs!
Broom Zoom!
Day 5: Toot & Trouble!
Brain Building!
Manic Bone Hand!
Dancing Franken-Worms!
and many, many more cool science demonstrations, experiments, games and games!

Haunted School Venues this Halloween serving:

NW London
• Barnet
• Brent
• Camden
• Ealing
• Harrow
• Hillingdon
• Westminster

NE London
• City of London
• Enfield
• Haringey
• Islington
• Tower Hamlets
• Waltham Forest

SW London
• Kensington
• Hammersmith and Fulham
• Hounslow
• Kingston
• Merton
• Richmond
• Sutton
• Wandsworth

Book online at:
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Parent Testimonial:
"Science camp has inspired my child to learn more and he adores it, which says a lot about the teaching. It was incredibly reassuring to know he was in good hands. Highly recommend it. We will definitely be back for more!"

Did You Know?
we also do
THE BEST
BIRTHDAY PARTY
EVER!

See online for full list...

Something for everyone:

1. Marvel & Disney Photo Booth
2. Princess Academy
3. Pauline Quirk Academy & more
4. Rides, Games, Arts & Craft
5. Free Toys & Balloon Centre
6. Cake & Bake Stall
7. Hot/Cold Food Refreshments
8. Commercial Stalls
9. Live DJ & Dance Area
10. Bouncy Castles
11. Hair Boutique
12. Nail Parlour
13. Wellbeing Therapists
14. More Kids Character Mascots
15. Sweets & Candy Floss
16. Bouncy Castles
17. Face Painting
18. Business Stalls
19. Ice Cream & Burger Van

**More Fun! Fun!!
Fun!!!**

Remembrance

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