



Important Information:

PE Days:

Please look carefully at the timetable below as some year groups PE days have changed for the next half term.

Monday	Year 6 Reception Owls and Rabbits
Tuesday	Year 5
Wednesday	Year 4 Year 2
Thursday	Year 3 Year 1
Friday	Nursery morning Nursery afternoon

Parent Meetings:

We would normally have face-to-face meetings with parents this term to discuss how your child is progressing and review their next steps in learning. However, due to COVID restrictions this is not possible.

Next term your child's class teacher will be sending you an invitation to join a meeting virtually or via the telephone. We will ensure that your child has taken some photographs of their work in class and placed these on their Dojo portfolio so that you can share in their success

School Reports:

In December, you will receive your child's first school report. We send these to parents via email so please can you inform the class teacher if there is a preferred email address for us to use.

ART Awards

We are still celebrating the children's success through our core values of **Achievement**, **Resilience** and **Trust**. Unfortunately, we are unable to hold assemblies where we share the successes of your child/children. I will continue to send photographs of the children with their awards home to families and children will celebrate their success with their classmates and teacher in their classroom.

Remembrance Day:

Harrow Gate will be taking part in acts of remembrance on **Wednesday 11th November**.

Poppies will be available for the children to buy and wear. All donations will go to the Royal British Legion.



Lest We Forget.

FIVE TO THRIVE
weekly calendar

Each video is around 5 minutes long, so these are quick and fun activities to engage with!

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
ACTIVITY	Connect	Take Notice	Get Active	Be Curious	Give
Joe's Morning Move	5 minute morning energiser with Joe	5 minute morning energiser with Joe	5 minute morning energiser with Joe	5 minute morning energiser with Joe	Bring in your pennies and save your energy for...
Video	Joe Wicks and Dr. Radru kick off wellbeing week chatting about connection and friendship	Take part in a journaling activity to learn about how taking notice of how you feel and your surroundings can really support your wellbeing	Join Joe Wicks interviewing a very special PE teacher to find out about how getting active can make you feel great!	We hear from our friends at Blue Peter all about about how being curious and trying new things can boost your mood!	Join in with Joe's Ultimate Feel Good Friday! Donate £1 or £2 to come to school dressed up and join in on a very special challenge!
Resources					

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Children in Need:

Friday 13th November. The theme this year is '5 to Thrive'. We will take part in 5 activities over the week and end with a fundraising event on the Friday. More information to follow.



Christmas Concerts:

Unless restrictions are lifted, we will be unable to celebrate Christmas with school performances.

We will be ensuring that all children at Harrow Gate experience the magic and significance of Christmas. To enable families to join us we will be recording the children singing, performing and celebrating to create a virtual Christmas Concert.

More information to follow.

**Christmas parties will take place in our COVID year group bubbles.*



School Uniform Reminder:

Full school uniform policy applies to **all** children:

Red jumper / cardigan

White shirt / polo shirt

Grey or black trousers / skirt

Red gingham summer dress

Black school shoes - **NO BRANDED TRAINERS**

As the weather is changing, please ensure your child has a winter coat.

NAME IN ALL JUMPERS AND COATS! Please help us to reunite all children with their lost items by putting their name in their clothes.

PE KITS

All children from Reception to year 6 will be expected to come to school ready in the correct kit on PE days.

Children are to come to school in:

White polo shirt – **NO** T- shirts with pictures

Black / grey tracksuit bottoms – **NO** Stripes or large logos

Red / Black shorts – under their tracksuit or in a bag

BLACK trainers – **NO** white sole, branding, coloured marks.

They are to wear their school red jumper / cardigan on top.

Final Message:

Thank you so much for all your support this term. It has been so wonderful to have all the children back in the school and learning together. All of the children have been very sensible in following our COVID rules.

We will continue to follow government guidelines to minimise the risk of COVID to all staff and children. We will update you with any changes as and when they occur. Please keep an eye on the school story on the Dojo.

Have a lovely half term week. See you all on 2nd November.

1. Wash your hands with soap and water (sing Happy Birthday twice)



2. Use hand sanitiser



3. Catch it Bin it Kill it



4. Only use your own resources



5. Try to stay a distance from others

