

Interfaith Week Assembly Highlights



Last week at Parkside, we celebrated Interfaith Week, a time dedicated to promoting understanding and cooperation between people of different faiths. It's a wonderful opportunity to learn about and appreciate the diverse religious traditions that enrich our community. This year's theme, "Stronger Together," emphasises the power of unity and collaboration in building a harmonious society.



Christianity: We learned about the teachings of love and compassion from the Bible, and how these values guide daily life.

Islam: Students shared the beauty of the Five Pillars of Islam and the importance of community and charity in their faith.

Hinduism: We explored the rich tapestry of Hindu traditions, including the significance of festivals like Diwali and the principles of karma and dharma.

Sikhism: Our Sikh students enlightened us about the core values of equality, service, and the teachings of Guru Nanak.

It was a wonderful opportunity to learn from each other and celebrate the diversity that makes our community so special. Let's continue to embrace and respect all faiths, fostering a culture of understanding and unity.



College Uniform – Winter

Our college uniform provides students with a sense of community and pride for their college. It also supports positive behaviour for learning. Therefore whilst it is important during the winter months for your child to keep warm and wear coats, scarves, hats, gloves and even boots travelling to and from college, correct uniform must be worn once on the college campus. Please support your child in meeting the expectations of uniform by ensuring that correct uniform is worn under their winter garments and that they bring their shoes to change into if they wear boots travelling to and from college. Thank you.

High School Musical Production @ The Rosedale

Hewens Academy Trust

Join us for a memorable family experience this December as the The Rosedale Hewens Academy Trust presents High School Musical! Get ready to experience our talented students bring this well known and loved musical to life on stage. Don't miss out on this fantastic opportunity to support our young performers and enjoy a night filled with music, dance, and fun. Our students are delighted to be performing on 3 consecutive dates, Tuesday 3rd December, Wednesday 4th December and Thursday 5th December. The shows start at 7pm, and we welcome you to join us for drinks and concessions from 6:30pm. The show will be located at Rosedale College. Tickets are now available to purchase via iPayimpact. Grab your tickets now and prepare for a memorable evening!

[<https://www.therosedalehewensacademytrust.co.uk/high-school-musical-production>]

Attendance

We would like to remind parents, guardians and carers that research shows there is a clear link between the attendance rate of students and their level of attainment. Please support your child to attend regularly by ensuring that any medical or other appointments are organised out of college hours. The expectation of the governing body is that all students will achieve a minimum annual attendance rate of 96%. The only circumstances in which absence from college will be authorized are when your child is too ill to attend or permission for leave of absence, due to exceptional circumstances, has been received from the Principal.

Quote of the Week

'No one is perfect. That's why pencils have erasers.'

Wolfgang Riebe

	Week Commencing: Monday 2nd December
	MENU 1

MONDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Lamb Curry with Rice	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Teriyaki Chicken with Rice	Halal
Meal Choice 3	Teriyaki Chicken with Rice	Non Halal
Meal Choice 4	Baked Jacket Potato with Various Fillings	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 5	Gluten free Chicken Goujons with Potatoes and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Sweetcorn and Green Beans	
Dessert Choice	Strawberry Ice Cream and Fresh Strawberries	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
TUESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Spaghetti Bolognese	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Tandoori Chicken Breast with White Rice	Halal
Meal Choice 3	Tandoori Chicken Breast with White Rice	Non Halal
Meal Choice 4	Patatouille Spaghetti	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 5	Bolognese with Gluten free Pasta	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Carrots, Peas and White Cabbage	
Dessert Choice	Jam Sponge	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
WEDNESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Tuna Pasta Bake	
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice	Halal
Meal Choice 3	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice	Non Halal
Meal Choice 4	Macaroni Cheese	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 5	Lightly Spiced Chicken Breast with Rice	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Broccoli and Cauliflower Florets	
Dessert Choice	Lemon Tart	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
THURSDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Mexican Chilli Mince Wraps	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Roast Turkey with Onion Gravy, Roast Potatoes and Stuffing	Halal
Meal Choice 3	Roast Turkey with Onion Gravy, Roast Potatoes and Stuffing	Non Halal
Meal Choice 4	Cauliflower and Broccoli Cheese Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 5	Turkey Escalope with Potatoes and Gluten free Gravy	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Mushy Peas and Sweetcorn	
Dessert Choice	Strawberry Jelly	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
FRIDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers with Oven Baked Potato Wedges	
Meal Choice 2	Tomato Pasta Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 3	Gluten free Fish Fingers with Gluten free Potato Wedges and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Baby Carrots and Peas	
Dessert Choice	Fresh Fruit Salad	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
<i>Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day. Homemade Soup of the Day and Baked Jacket Potato with Filling, are available daily</i>		

	<h2>December 2024 to January 2025</h2>
December	
Wednesday 18th	Christmas Jumper Day
Thursday 19th	Year 9/10 Beck Theatre Trip (selected students)
Friday 20th	Term Ends (early dismissal)
January	
Monday 6th	Staff Training Day
Tuesday 7th	Academic Tutoring Day
Wednesday 8th	Term Begins