

NORTHWAY NEWS

MARCH 2023



Today marks the end of the spring term already! We are so proud of the progress all the pupils are making and look forward to a sunny summer term.

We hope you have a happy and healthy two week break and we will see the children back at school on Monday 17th April.

Northway EID Extravaganza!

On Monday 24th April we would like to hold a special Eid celebration. We ask that all the pupils come to school in their best party clothes.

At the Grasvenor site the children will take part in Eid activities and fun in the classrooms.

At the Mill Hill site we would like to have an exploration of foods from different countries – we ask parents to bring in festive foods from your country which can be shared with the pupils. More info about this to come!

Family Fun Time STAY & PLAY

The next stay and play dates are:

Saturday 29th April - 2pm to 4pm

Saturday 20th May 1pm to 3pm

Families (including siblings) are welcome to use the Northway playground, to have a fun and safe place to play.

REMEMBER...

- You do not need to book – just turn up!
- Please enter the Stay and Play directly through the car park.
- Please do not eat or drink on the playground (as this is difficult for some of our children). If you would like to have something to eat or drink, a classroom will be available for you.
- All bags have to be held or stored in a classroom at all times – please do not leave bags unattended.
- If heavy rain is forecast we may postpone. Parents will be informed via text.

Changes to term dates for the Summer Term

Due to the Kings Coronation, there is an additional bank holiday this year on Monday 8th May – NO SCHOOL that day.

PARENT GROUP UPDATE

Parents (as part of our Friday Parent Support Group) attended one of Northway's Friday assemblies.

It was a busy, fun and enjoyable event, and gave the parents an opportunity to see how we try to integrate all the children into the Northway community and into a busy environment!

Parents were also given the opportunity to meet with our Parent Governor who is keen to start up a Parent Teacher Association at Northway. There were a lot of excellent ideas that came up and it was lovely to see such enthusiasm. There is going to be a meeting on Friday, 19th May 2023 to put all their plans into action. Please get involved.

We have a core of really good parents at both Northway sites who make everyone welcome and we would love you to get involved with our school community.

Look out for the new Parents Support Programme for next term. We have some good topics coming up!

An extra special well done to our Northway School Dance Club who performed to a huge audience at the Arts Depot in North Finchley.

They were fantastic and got the biggest cheer of the night! The dancers performed a lively dance to 'Waka Waka', which we hope to show at an assembly soon 😊