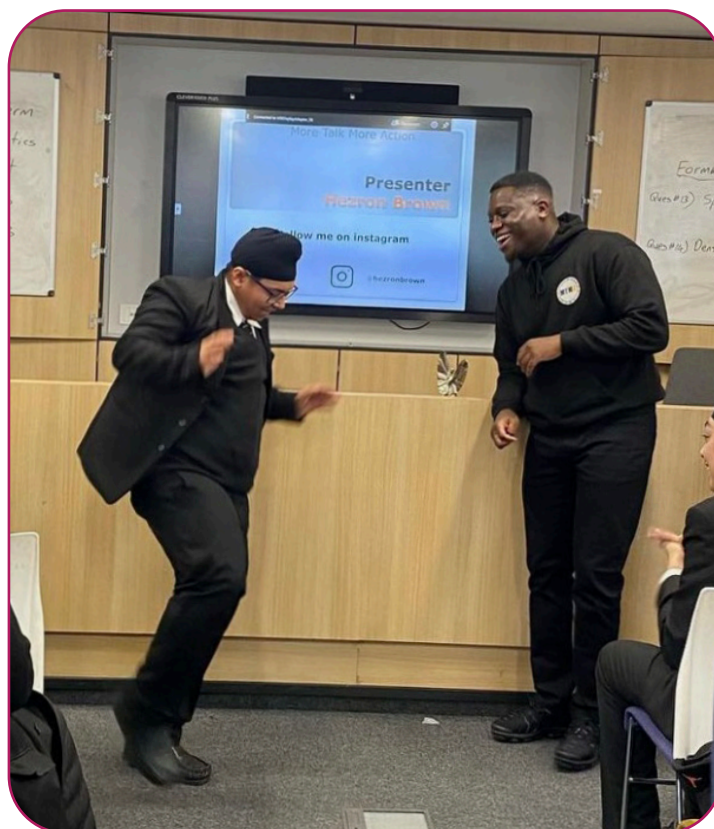


Hezron Brown Visit

Students at De Salis were visited by the truly wonderful Hezron Brown, who delivered his thought provoking lived experience assembly to our Year 9 and 10 students. Hezron tells of his journey from a homeless teenager and active gang member in Birmingham, to professional actor, Pride of Britain award winner and motivational speaker. He tells his tales with spellbinding honesty and our students were enraptured. A fantastic speaker and one who makes young people believe they can change their lives. Thank you, Hezron!



Christmas Tie Day - Wednesday 20th December

By popular request, De Salis will be hosting a 'Christmas Tie Day' on Wednesday 20th December, please note this is optional, but those choosing to wear one should make a donation of £1.00. Students should travel to college in full college uniform and bring their Christmas tie to change into once on college site. Whilst not part of the uniform, female students are welcomed to wear a Christmas tie on this occasion also.

Christmas Jumper Day - Thursday 21st December

On Thursday 21st December, we will also be hosting a 'Christmas Jumper Day.' The choice to wear a Christmas jumper is optional but those choosing to wear one should make a donation of £1.00. Students should travel to college in full college uniform and bring their jumper to change into once on college site.

Term Dates

The 2023-24 term dates are detailed on our website and can be accessed via (<https://www.desalisstudiocollege.co.uk/term-dates>).

Please check these dates as they will be particularly helpful to parents, guardians or carers planning family holidays and activities.

End of Term

The autumn term ends on Thursday 21st December. All students will be expected to attend college at the normal time of 8:45am but there will be an early phased dismissal as follows:

Year 11: 12:45pm

Year 10: 1:00pm

Year 9: 1:15pm

Academic Tutoring

Academic Tutoring appointments are currently being organised for students in Key Stages 3, 4 and Post 16 on Monday 8th and Tuesday 9th January. A separate communication to confirm these appointments will be sent out to parents, guardians and carers in due course. If you have any concerns in regard to your appointment, please contact your child's form tutor via the College reception.

Punctuality

We would like to remind parents, guardians and carers of the importance of all students having a positive start to their day by arriving at college on time. All students are expected to be in college for morning registration at time. If you receive a communication from the College that your child has been late on more than one occasion, please discuss this with them and support them so that they arrive at college on time. Students who are persistently late will be referred to the Educational Welfare Officer.

Asthma Advisory Notice

The Hillingdon Hospital Paediatric Asthma Team have requested we advise parents, guardians and carers of children who suffer from asthma to ensure their children take their preventative inhaler twice daily, as we head towards the colder months. This advisory has been published as this time of year normally proves to be the most troublesome time for asthmatics.



Week Commencing: *Monday 11th December*

MENU 3

MONDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Chilli Con Carne with Pitta Bread or Rice	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy	Halal
Meal Choice 3	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy	Non Halal
Meal Choice 4	Vegetarian Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 5	Gluten free Pork Sausages with Mashed Potatoes without Milk or Butter	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Carrots and Green Cabbage	
Dessert Choice	Orange Jelly	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
TUESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Beef Lasagne with Fresh Salad	Halal
Meal Choice 3	Beef Lasagne with Fresh Salad	Non Halal
Meal Choice 4	Vegetarian Lasagne with Fresh Salad	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 5	Minced Beef with Gluten free Pasta	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Broccoli and Cauliflower Florets	
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Mousse	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
WEDNESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Lamb Koftas with Rice and a Yogurt and Cucumber Dip	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice	Halal
Meal Choice 3	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice	Non Halal
Meal Choice 4	Chickpea and Lentil Curry	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 5	Barbecue Grilled Chicken Breast with Rice	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	French Beans and Sweetcorn	
Dessert Choice	Apple Crumble	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
THURSDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Cajun Chicken in a Ciabatta Roll with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Cajun Chicken in a Ciabatta Roll with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Roast Mediterranean Vegetables in Pitta Bread with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Cajun Chicken with Oven Cooked Potato Slices and Tomato Salsa	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Baby Carrots and Peas	
Dessert Choice	Vanilla Sponge with a Pineapple Ring and a Cherry	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
FRIDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers with Oven Baked Potato Wedges	
Meal Choice 2	Salmon and Dill Fishcakes with Potato Wedges	
Meal Choice 3	Chicken Fillet with Potato Wedges	Halal
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Fish Fingers with Gluten free Potato Wedges and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Broccoli and Mushy Peas	
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Brownie Tray Bake	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
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		

		
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Monday 18th	All Day	Gurdwara Visit
Tuesday 19th	All Day	Jack the Ripper Trip
Wednesday 20th	10:30am to 12:00pm	Achievement Assembly
	All Day	Christmas Tie Day
Thursday 21st	All Day	Christmas Jumper Day
	12:45pm	End of Term