



## Royal Observatory

Planning a trip to the Royal Observatory in Greenwich is like setting off on an adventure through time and space. The Royal Observatory, is not only an architectural marvel but also a historic institution that has played a pivotal role in shaping how we understand the World. Founded in 1675 by King Charles II, the Observatory remains a testament to the legacy of astronomical discovery and is a must-visit destination for anyone interested in Science, History, or simply a day of exploration.

Inside the Royal Observatory, the Astronomy Centre offers an immersive experience for visitors of all ages. This interactive exhibit provides a deep dive into the Science of the Stars, Space, and Time. From digital projections of the cosmos to fascinating displays of meteorites, the Centre brings space exploration to life.



On Monday 4th November, students from De Salis enjoyed an unforgettable Discovery Day at the Royal Observatory. The day began with an interactive workshop titled The Solar System and Beyond, where students met real astronomers and delved into the mysteries of space. For their next activity, students participated in a spirited debate about whether a civilian traveling to space should be called an astronaut or a space tourist, with each side sharing passionate points. Students then explored the Space Gallery, marvelling at breath-taking images captured from distant galaxies. The highlight of the day was the mesmerising planetarium show, which took students on a captivating journey through the Solar System and beyond.



## Appropriate Footwear

Students wearing appropriate footwear in college is essential, not only to comply with our published expectations in terms of uniform, but also to avoid inappropriate footwear such as boots and open toe sandals in college. Obviously, if the weather is inclement, it is sensible for students to wear boots to and from college. However, they must change into black shoes on arrival. The Rosedale Hewens Academy Trust cannot accept any liability in circumstances where issues emerge due to inappropriate footwear. Your support in this matter is appreciated.

## Anti-Bullying Week - Odd Socks Day!

This years theme for Anti-Bullying week is 'Choose Respect'.

'Andy and the Odd Socks' band, have partnered up with the Anti-Bullying Alliance this year again for Odd Socks Day and Anti-Bullying Week.

As proud patrons, they are excited to promote acceptance, understanding, and respect. This message represents everything their band stands for celebrating diversity, acceptance, and including everyone. We need your help to spread this message on Odd Socks Day, buy attending college on Tuesday 12th November, in odd socks!

Andy and the Odd Socks are excited to share their song 'Choose Respect' this year, which we hope will inspire kids everywhere to embrace respect. Last year, over 5 million children participated in Odd Socks Day. Let's beat that record this year! Odd Socks Day is a fun and simple way to raise awareness.

Andy and the Odd Socks are ready to rock out again, and help spread the message of respect far and wide. So lets put on our odd socks and choose respect together on Tuesday 12th November. Let's make this year's Anti-Bullying Week unforgettable!

Please head over to our website for more information.



## Week Commencing: Monday 11th November MENU 2

MONDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Lamb Patty with Mediterranean Vegetables, Pitta Bread and Yoghurt Dip	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Beef Meatball Pasta Bake	Halal
Meal Choice 3	Beef Meatball Pasta Bake	Non Halal
Meal Choice 4	Potato and Cheese Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 5	Meatballs with Gluten free Pasta	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Cauliflower and Broccoli Florets	
Dessert Choice	Strawberry Mousse with Fresh Strawberries	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
TUESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Breaded Chicken Fillet with Boiled New Potatoes	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Lamb Koftas with Rice and a Yogurt and Cucumber Dip	Halal
Meal Choice 3	Lamb Koftas with Rice and a Yogurt and Cucumber Dip	Non Halal
Meal Choice 4	Creamy Pasta Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 5	Lamb Patty with Rice	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Peas and White Cabbage	
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Sponge	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
WEDNESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Beef Meatballs in a Tomato Sauce with Spaghetti	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Carbonara with Spaghetti	Halal
Meal Choice 3	Chicken Carbonara with Spaghetti	Non Halal
Meal Choice 4	Guorn Mince Balls in a Tomato Sauce with Spaghetti	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 5	Baked Jacket Potato with Salad and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Sweetcorn and Green Beans	
Dessert Choice	Fruit Tarts	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
THURSDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes, Stuffing and Onion Gravy	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes, Stuffing and Onion Gravy	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetable Tart	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes and Gluten free Gravy	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Roast Carrots and Green Cabbage	
Dessert Choice	Vanilla Cheesecake	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
FRIDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with Oven Baked Potato Wedges	
Meal Choice 2	Beef Casserole with Rice	Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetable and Cheese Pasta Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Fish Fingers with Gluten free Potato Wedges and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Vegetables	Peas and Sweetcorn	
Dessert Choice	Apple Pie	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		

## Term Dates

The 2024 to 2025 term dates are detailed on our website and can be accessed via (<https://www.desalisstudiocollege.co.uk/termdates>). Please check these dates as they will be particularly helpful to parents, guardians or carers planning family holidays and activities.

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Monday 11th	World Kindness Week
Tuesday 12th	World Philosophy Day
Friday 15th	Photograph Day
	GCSE Readiness Parents, Guardian and Carers Evening