



## British Science Week

Monday 8th March marked the beginning of British Science Week 2021. Given that the topic is "Innovation for the Future", De Salis students were more than ready to take that challenge head on and start experimenting and exploring the new and exciting paths that Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) careers offer throughout the week. Our students have been participating in the annual poster competition, where they are flexing their creative muscles to come up with new and creative ideas. The poster competition deadline is Friday 30th April; we look forward to seeing what our students create!



**Come through!**

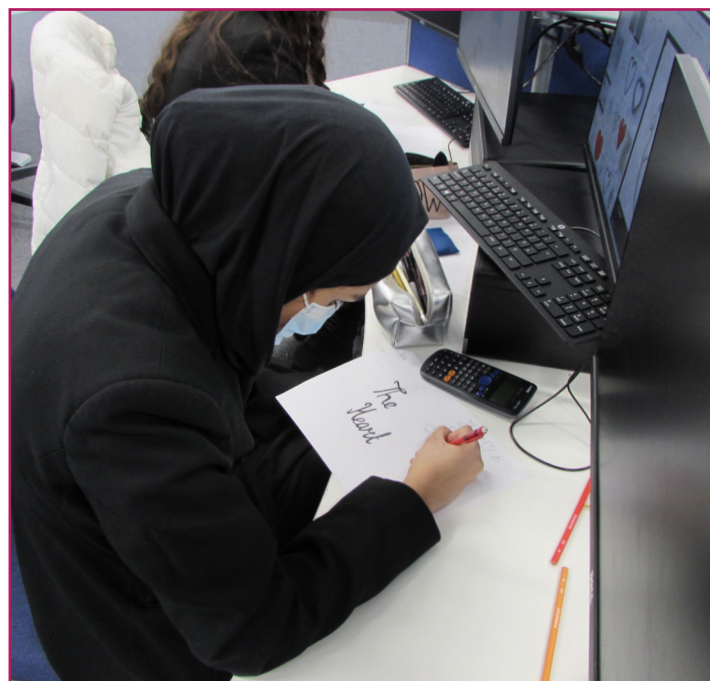
**Enjoy Science Week with us!**

You can post images and comments about your experience using the hashtags:

#BSW2021    #BSWAtDeSalis2021

And you can mention us on Twitter:

@ScienceWeekUK    @DeSalis\_Studio



## Global Recycling Day



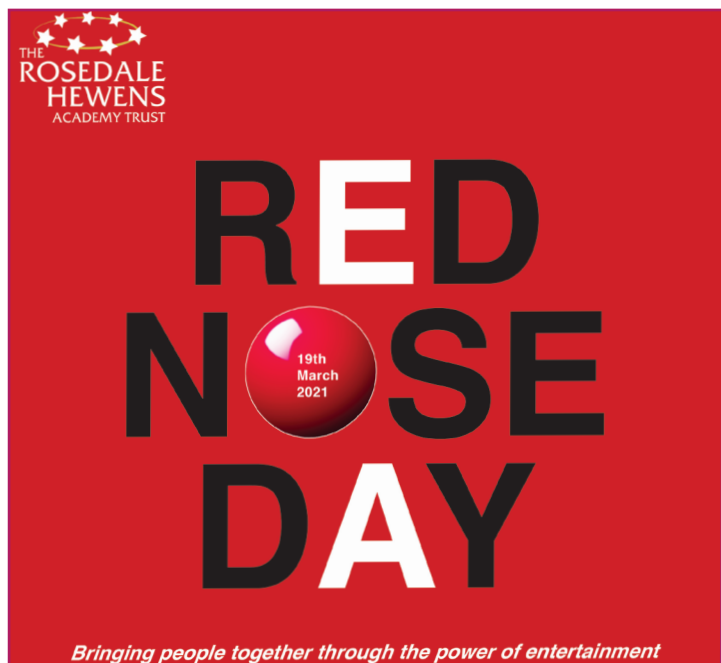
Global Recycling Day was created in 2018 in an attempt to recognise the importance recycling plays in preserving and securing the future of our planet. Students will learn the importance of recycling and how they can do their part to help save the planet.



# Registration and Consent Form for Lateral Flow Testing

Thank you to all the parents, guardians and carers for taking the time to complete the Registration and Consent Form for Lateral Flow Testing. In order for us to identify asymptomatic positive cases and help keep students and staff safe, we kindly ask those who have not yet done so to complete and submit this form as soon as possible using the attached link: (<https://trhat.co.uk/letter-covidlateraltest/>.)

## Red Nose Day



Red Nose Day will be observed this year on Friday 19th March. With the aim to bring people together through the power of entertainment, join Comic Relief this year in raising life-changing funds for children who need it the most!

## Coronavirus Self-Testing

Secondary School children will be required to undertake coronavirus (COVID-19) tests upon their return to school from Monday 8th March. As such, we have shared some relevant links below so you can familiarise yourself with self-testing for (COVID-19) both, at home and at college.

For instructions on how to test yourself for COVID-19 at home using a self-test rapid antigen test kit, as well as, how to read your result and report it to the NHS, please visit: (<https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLvaBZskxS7tzQYIVg7lwH5uxAD9UrSzGJ>). Please note, individual test kits will vary slightly, so please be sure to check the instruction leaflet in your individual kit.

The BBC have also shared a video on what COVID-19 testing looks like in schools and how schools are preparing for this: (<https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/av/education-56247715>).

Additionally, the NHS have issued a 'step-by-step guide for COVID-19 self-testing', with general guidance on how to safely test yourself and report your result: ([http://upload.reactcdh.co.uk/rosedale/uploads/document/2\\_302\\_covid-19-self-test-instruction-for-use-ifu-guide.pdf](http://upload.reactcdh.co.uk/rosedale/uploads/document/2_302_covid-19-self-test-instruction-for-use-ifu-guide.pdf)).

This will provide yet another layer of reassurance to families and staff, and build on the stringent measures already implemented around the site, including the obligatory requirements for face coverings in all communal areas and in classrooms, to ensure the safest possible return for staff and students alike.

## Quote of the Week


"Forget about all the reasons why something may not work. You only need to find one good reason why it will."  
- Dr. Robert Anthony

	<b>Week Commencing: Monday 15th March</b>
<b>MENU 1</b>	

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	Ratatouille 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>		

## Year 11 Trial Examinations

Trial examinations will take place for all Year 11 students from Monday 22nd to Friday 26th March. As we approach the period of trial examinations, it is vitally important for students to settle into regular and structured home revision to give them the best possible chance of examination success.

	<b>MARCH 2021</b>	
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Thursday 18th		Global Recycling Day
Friday 19th		Red Nose Day
Monday 22nd		World Water Day
Monday 22nd to Friday 26th	Allocated Times	Year 11 Trial Examinations