



HODGE HILL GIRLS' SCHOOL

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Ref: Sad/RKa

8th March 2024

Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s),

Re: Ramadan 2024

It will soon be the start of Ramadan and we appreciate that this is a significant and special time in the year for our staff, Muslim students and their families.

Lunchtime Updates

With many students fasting, there is the opportunity for students in receipt of **Free School Meals** to collect a packed meal to take home at the end of the school day. If your child is eligible for Free School Meals and you would like them to receive a packed meal during Ramadan, please complete the form no later than **Sunday 10th March 2024**, as we need to let our catering staff know how many meals to prepare in advance. Please either scan the QR code below or follow this link <https://forms.office.com/e/VGhHZPGgAs> to complete the form.

School Life

Our multi-faith prayer room will be available as usual to students and staff at lunchtimes. Furthermore, we have additional resources such as games, colouring and quiz activities available for use during break times. We fully support students at this time; however all students are expected to continue to participate in all aspects of the curriculum and school life.

Ramadan Rewards

Students who achieve 100% attendance during Ramadan will have the chance to win **one of 15 Aldi gift cards** worth **£30** each. We will be selecting 3 random winners from each year group.

Community Iftari

The school will be hosting our very first free community Iftar on **Thursday 14th March 2024**. This has been a very popular event and we look forward to seeing many of our students and families there.

Eid-ul-Fitr

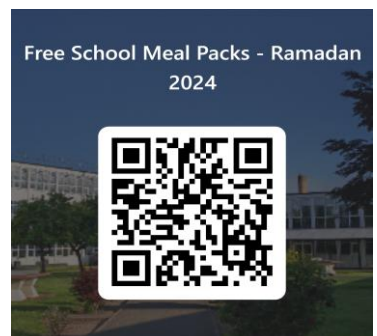
As Ramadan begins on or around Monday 11th March 2024 and will end on or around 9th April 2024 (depending on the new moon), Eid-ul-Fitr is expected to fall on either Tuesday 9th or Wednesday 10th April 2024. We will write to you closer to the time about Eid arrangements.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all of our community Ramadan Mubarak from all the staff at Hodge Hill Girls' School.

Yours sincerely,

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