



Grateley Primary School Newsletter

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'A school where everyone becomes a lifelong learner and realises their potential.'

Dear parents/carers,

The children have had a super week back at school. They have been settling into their classes and getting to know each other and the adults.

Ms Heaps delivered our first back to school celebration assembly and Bear class received the Head teacher awards for their first full week at Grateley, Adamson class received the dustpan and brush award for keeping their classrooms organised and tidy and Mr Thomas received the Bootcamp award for always following the Grateley expectations.

We have invited the year 6 children to consider a Head Pupil position and if they are interested they can write a statement. This can in the form of a statement, letter, poster etc. by Friday 26th September.

Have a super weekend!

Mrs Hill.

Chill

'We are all in this together.'

Diary Dates:

30/9/25- Parent drop in
3.30pm- 4.30pm

02/10/25 – Harvest Festival @
2.30pm

Yr R Sep 26 Open Days:

Saturday 11/10/25 @ 10am

Wednesday 22/10/25 @ 10am

Thursday 13/11/25 @ 1.30pm

Christmas

16/12/25 Yr R/KS1 Nativity @
9.15am

16/12/25 – KS2 Carol Service @
2pm

17/12/25 Yr R/KS1 Nativity @
2pm

19/12/25 – Christmas lunch
and Christmas jumper day

Friday 19th December – school
breaks up for Christmas @
3.30pm

09/05/26 – Yr 3 + 4 sleepover in
school hall

27/06/26 – Year 5 sleepover at
school field

Grateley School Car Boot Sale

We are going to be holding a car boot sale on
Saturday 27th September at the school field.

The Head of the PTA (Hannah Nicel) will be
taking bookings so please register your interest.

Tea/coffee/ BBQ will be on offer during the
event.

Further details will be sent shortly.



Attendance:

'Every minute counts!'

Congratulations to all the children for fantastic attendance this week!

Current attendance percentages are:

Whole school for the year: 98.6%
Whole school for the week: 99.3%

Bear Class: 100%
Darwin Class: 99.2%
Adamson Class: 100%
Attenborough Class: 100%

Website

Exciting news!!!!

The new website is up and running and looks fabulous.
Please have a look. We are still working on some pages so please be patient.

Home Learning

Home Learning will begin next week. It will be on Google Classrooms for all children. All the children have been individually linked to their class so you should now be able to get onto Google Classroom through your child's log on. Check your child's reading record book for the log on. Please notify us if this is not stuck in the record book.

Amazon Wish list:

A HUGE thank you to the Allinson family, the Marks family and the Rowell family who have bought some of our texts from the Amazon wish list.

The books have been planned into our reading and writing curriculum and are rich texts linked to the learning outcomes. We greatly appreciate any support from you.

https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/1N8XDK3RRIKGN?ref=wl_share

Clubs:

There will be lunch clubs organised during Autumn 1, Autumn 2 and Spring term.

The Autumn 1 clubs are:

Choir (Yr 3- Yr6) - Friday lunchtime with Ms Heaps.

Pokémon Club (All children) - Monday lunchtime only with Miss Bartley.

Dance Club (Yr 3- Yr6) – Tuesdays at 2.30pm with Mrs Linwood, Mrs Franklin and Miss F-T.

Cross Country (Yr 3- Yr6) - Wednesday lunchtime with Mrs Hill.

These will start week commencing 15th September. Many children have already signed up to club/s and can continue to do so next week.

Parent Drop in:

On Tuesday 30th September there will be a parent drop in after school from 3.30pm-4.30pm. This will be for you to pop in and talk to the class staff about how your child has settled in and an opportunity to look at your child's learning so far.

Harvest Festival: 2nd October, 2.30pm

We hope you will be able to support our Harvest Festival as generously as last year. All items donated will be given to the Andover Foodbank. More information is attached.



School Vegetables:

We have a surplus of freshly grown vegetables available for parents / local community to purchase. These will be placed outside the school over this weekend. Please leave a donation for the PTA in the honesty box – thank you!

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PRIMARY SCHOOL
NEW YEAR RECEPTION
SEP 2026

A SCHOOL WHERE
EVERYONE

BECOMES A LIFELONG LEARNER AND
REALISES THEIR POTENTIAL



- SMALL CLASS SIZES
- VILLAGE COMMUNITY
- ENGAGING CURRICULUM
- HIGH EXPECTATIONS

- WEEKLY WELLY WALKS
- OFSTED 'GOOD'
- RICH LEARNING ENVIRONMENT
- HAPPY, SAFE CHILDREN



BOOK A VISIT FOR ONE OF OUR OPEN
SESSIONS:

- SATURDAY 11/10/25 AT 10AM
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