Grateley Primary School Newsletter

Friday 13th November **Issue 10**

adminoffice@grateley.hants.sch.uk
www.grateleyprimary.sch.uk
01264 889240

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

Dear parents/carers,

It has been another busy week of learning in school.

On Wednesday, we had a 2-minute silence outside on the playground following on from our Remembrance assembly last Friday.

Next week is Anti-Bullying week - we will introduce this with an assembly on Monday for all the children, followed up with a PSHE session in each class.
The children will have an opportunity to apply for the Anti - Bullying Ambassador role; I will explain the expectations of the role to the children and they can decide if they would like to apply for it.

Parent consultations will take place in week 4; please sign up on Arbor if you have not already done so.
From Monday 16th November at 10am, if your child is on the special educational needs register, you will be able to sign up for consultations with myself. You will be sent an email about this on Monday.

Mrs Hill
'We are all in this together.'

Christmas Fair

There has been a date change to the Christmas Fair. This will take place on Thursday 17th December
3.30pm- 5.00pm
A poster will be shared shortly.

Diary Dates:

Monday 23rd and Tuesday 24th November : Parent Consultations

Friday 4th December:
Christmas Movie Night – PTA event – see poster below

Monday 14th December – 2pm
KS2 Carol Service at St Leonard's church

Tuesday 15th December at 2pm
Wednesday 16th December at 9.15am
KS1 Nativity play – school hall

Wednesday 16th December:
Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper day

Thursday 17th December
Pantomime 'Sleeping Beauty', Winchester
CHRISTMAS FAIR : 3.30-5.00pm

September 2027 Yr R Show Round dates:
Friday 13th November : 1.30pm
Saturday 5th December : 10.00am

27th-29th January – Adamson Residential to Hooke Court

Autumn Term 2026:
1st September – 17th December

Spring Term 2027:
4th January – 25th March
Half term: 16th – 20th February

Summer Term 2027:
12th April – 20th July
Half term: 31st May – 4th June

INSET DAYS 2026-27
18th December
12th February 2027
7th June 2027
21st July 2027

OFSTED

Our last OFSTED inspection took place in July 2023 which means that we will expect OFSTED to visit in the Summer term of 2027.

The inspection process has changed significantly since the last inspection with the biggest changes are; that there is not an overall judgments but a score card with a judgement made for each section of the framework.
The terminology has now changed with a 'good' being 'expected standard.' There are 5 standards on the report card.

I am sharing a short You Tube clip which explains the changes and what this means for schools being inspected.
https://youtu.be/gsulVGtEv3c?is=NdBI7lYOiFWKsaQT

Clubs

Cross Country and Circuit training will start next week.

Lego- Monday lunchtime- Mrs Linwood
Choir- Tuesday and Thursday- 3.00pm- Miss Street
Circuit training- Thursday 3.45pm- 4.30pm- Mrs Hill and Ms Heaps
Football Club with Mr Stow- 3.45pm- 4.30pm
Cross Country- Friday lunchtimes at 12 noon with Mrs Hill and Miss Franklin

We will also be organising a KS1 Book Club with Mrs White and Miss Shubrook on Tuesday lunchtimes.

There will be Pokemon club every Monday lunchtime in the playground hut starting next week.

Hire our school!

If you would like to hire our hall plus indoor and outdoor facilities, including our playground, trim trail and large school field, please contact the school office for more details: 01264 889240

£20/hour for a Grateley school family
£25/hour for a non-Grateley school family

Please share this with people you may know looking to hire a space, e.g. Rainbows, Beavers, birthday parties, exercise classes, clubs.

Attendance

'Every minute counts!'

Congratulations to Darwin Class for excellent attendance this week.

Whole school for the year: 96%
Whole school for the week: 94.4%

Bear Class: 84.3%
Darwin Class: 98.9%
Adamson Class: 93.9%
Attenborough Class: 95.9%

Children in Need

Thank you for supporting our fundraising event today by the children wearing non-school uniform.

We have raised £92 for Children in Need.

PTA Movie Night

