



March 2025 Newsletter



Please check lost property as the mountain is growing. Please name everything so we can return lost items. Please also name water bottles as lots of water bottle are dropped off via the office with no name. Thank you.



Dinner money is to be paid on/by each Monday please, for the upcoming week.



We have, again, attached the uniform expectations. As always, PE days are NOT wear what you want days. Leggings (on their own) are not part of our uniform and school skirts must be knee length. Water bottles must be clear plastic and only contain water. Book bags, please, not back packs. None of these expectations are new. We run regular nearly new uniform sales, please come along. The next event is on Monday 28th April at 2.45-3.30pm.

INSET Days 2024-25 - Wednesday 23rd July and Thursday 24th July.



Easter Bingo

Wednesday 26th March

Doors open at 5.50pm for a 6pm start. Get your ticket via the link on parent hub. This is a 'fun for all the family' evening.

(If you are having issues paying online, please contact FOG on Friendsofgriffefield@gmail.com and they will try and work something out.)

The 'Emotions Library' bookcase is available to all parents in the main reception area. You are welcome to sign out and loan any of the books for two weeks. We regularly add new books we think might be helpful.

We also have our 'Read and Share' bookcases, one for adults and one for children. These books are free to borrow or swap for a book you have finished. The Griffe Field Reading Fairy will be making a guest appearance soon - now the weather is getting warmer.

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Children are not allowed to wear jewellery (or nail varnish) to school. Simple stud earrings, an <u>inexpensive</u> watch and a Kara are allowed. Earrings and Kara must be removed (or covered) for PE and watches removed. Thank you.



Friday 4th July Save the Date!

Dates for your diary

Wed 19 March	RSE Meeting-PARENTS ONLY (Relationships and Sex Education) 5.30pm	
Fri 21 March	3W Class Assembly 9am	
Wed 26 March	FOG Event—Easter Bingo (5.30pm-7pm)	
Fri 28 March	Year 1 Easter Assembly 9am	
Wed 2/Thurs 3 April	Class photos	
Fri 4 April	Year 5 Eid Assembly	
Fri 4 April	Bling your bike (or scooter)	
Fri 4 April	Break up for Easter holiday (normal time)	
Tues 22 April	Summer term starts	
Fri 25 April	Year 2 Vaisakhi Assembly	
Mon 28 April	Uniform 'upcycling' 2.34-3.30pm (50p an item)	
Fri 2 May	RD Class Assembly 9am	
Mon 5 May	School Closed Bank Holiday	
Fri 16 May	10 Class Assembly 9am	
Fri 23 May	2S Class Assembly 9am	
Fri 23 May	Break up for half term (normal time)	
	Sport Holiday Club Tues-Fri	
Mon 2 June	Summer 2 starts	
Wed 4 June	Meeting for new Reception 2025 parents 9.15	
Fri 13 June	RB Class Assembly 9am	

Academic Year 2025-26

The children will return to school on Thursday 4th September 2025

INSET Days are: Friday 24th October 2025, Monday 2nd February 2026, Monday 1st June 2026, Wednesday 22nd July 2026 and Thursday 23rd July 2026.



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<u>Parking</u>
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The driving and parking situation around school never improves. Cars are stopping in the middle of the road and children are getting out into the traffic, parents are mounting the curb and nearly hitting pedestrians and illegal parking is making junctions dangerous. PLEASE PARK AWAY FROM SCHOOL AND SPEND 5 MINS WALKING AND TALKING WITH YOUR CHILD!

