



GRIFFE FIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL
November 2019
NEWSLETTER



Christmas Dress Up Day
on Friday 13th December
in return for a donation for the tombola stall at our Christmas Fayre.
So dig out that reindeer jumper, elf costume, or Santa hat
& come and join in the fun.
Please bring your donation in that morning.



Nursery and Reception - a donation of chocolate Year 3 and 4 red or gold coloured items

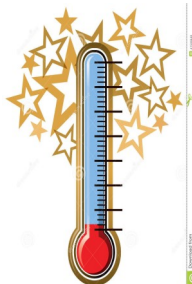
Year 1 a donation of sweets

Year 5 and 6 'Christmas things'

Year 2 a donation of bubble bath, toiletries or other smellies

Thank you for signing up for Parent Hub, we are on 96% take up (please sign up if you haven't already.) We will use Parent Hub for most of our communication with you. Parent Hub will be used to share reminders, important information, eg. if trips are late, newsletters as well as information about the curriculum.

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Gazebo Totalizer
Target £5000



Snowy, cold weather usually takes us by surprise! The decision to close is made between 7-7.10am. We then swoop into action, we will contact you via Parent Hub, put a notification on the school website and change the answer machine message (Option 4). Please don't call the school answer machine before 7.30am as we need the line free to be able to change the message. If we can't access the line we can't change the message. We will only close the school if there is no other option.

Total to date—£1742.85

Thank you for all the Aldi stickers, we have completed the poster. Fingers crossed!



Griffe will be participating in Children In Need on Friday 15th November. Children may come to school dressed in something spotty for Pudsey, (or something Pudsey related) in return for a £1 donation towards the charity. Class 6D will lead assembly on that date too.



Reception 2019 applications for school places can be made online www.derby.gov.uk/primary or by telephone 642730
The deadline for applications (to the LA not school) is January 15th 2020.

Derby Lions Christmas Appeal
We will be supporting this annual Christmas appeal. Derby Lions ask you to send in a tin of food or packet of non-perishable food or drink. Please send donations into school by Friday 29th November.
Thank you

Polite reminder ☺ . Dogs are not allowed on the school grounds. I am a dog owner and dog lover but dogs are sadly not allowed to come to school. Thank you.



Our flute teacher, Mrs Smith, has places available please call her for additional information, tel 07904124042

We have a number of children in school who have severe nut allergies. We do not serve nut products in our school dinners and would ask that parents do not send whole nut products in their child's packed lunch. Thank you.

DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

'Family Assemblies' are held at 9.05am every Friday. Families and Friends of the school are always welcome. Presentations, such as Merit Awards, are made at Family Assemblies.

Fri 15th Nov	6D-Children In Need Assembly
Mon 18th Nov	Well-Being Workshop 2.30pm Year 4
Tues 19th Nov	Well-Being Workshop 2.30pm Reception
Wed 20th Nov	Well-Being Workshop 2.30pm Year 1
Thurs 21st Nov	Well-Being Workshop 2.30pm Class 5C
Fri 22nd Nov	Well-Being Workshop 2.30pm Class 5HW
Fri 22nd Nov	4H Class assembly
Mon 25th Nov	Well-Being Workshop 2.30pm Year 3
Wed 27th Nov	Well-Being Workshop 2.30pm Year 2
Thurs 28th Nov	Well-Being Workshop 2.30pm Year 6
Fri 29th Nov	6F Class Assembly
Wed 11th Dec	Afternoon and evening Key Stage 1 Christmas nativity production
Thurs 12th Dec	Afternoon Key Stage 1 Christmas nativity production (details to follow)
Fri 13th Dec	CHRISTMAS FAYRE
Wed 18th Dec	9.30am Reception Christmas nativity show (details to follow)
Fri 20th Dec	Break up for Christmas break (normal time)
Griffe Field holiday club Thursday 2nd Jan and Friday 3rd Jan	
Mon 6th Jan 2020	Spring term starts
Fri 17th Jan	3M Class Assembly
Tues 21st Jan	Reception bedtime story evening (details to follow)
Fri 24th Jan	Year 6 Chinese New Year Assembly

Griffe Field Holiday Club

Our own holiday club, run by our own sport coach, for just Griffe Field children was a great success at half term. We will be running the following holiday clubs during the rest of this academic year.



Christmas holiday-Thurs 2nd, Fri 3rd Jan 2010
Feb half term Mon 17th –Fri 21st Feb (whole week)
May half term Tues 26th—Fri 29th May (Monday is a bank holiday)
Summer Mon 27th – Fri 31st July (whole week)
Mon 3rd Aug– Fri 7th Aug (whole week)



Please let us know if any of your contact details have changed including address, telephone number and mobiles.

