



Green Meadow Primary School

Week Ending:
Friday 24th September 2021

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Dear Parents,

Happy Friday, everyone. I'm delighted to say that it's been another positive week at school. One of the highlights of my job is to share children's learning and see the work they are doing in class. This week, I met with all class teachers to have pupil progress meetings. During these, we have set aspirational targets for all of the children in school. As a school we are all committed to supporting everyone to achieve these targets and be the best they can be. The partnership between home and school is such an important one and we appreciate the support that you also provide by encouraging your child to read daily and complete their home learning as this makes such a difference. We truly can achieve great things when we work together to support the children in school. On this note, we are planning a number of parent workshops throughout the term, starting with Reception and Year 1 in the first instance to support you to support your child's learning at home and you will receive details about these shortly. These workshops are always popular and well attended and previous feedback has shown that you find them highly informative and enjoyable so please sign up when you receive your invites.

And finally, thank you to all of you who have signed up for after school clubs which start next week with Mr Brookes. Look out for the letters which are being sent home to tell you if your child has a place. These are fully subscribed now but we will be launching new clubs over the coming weeks ready for next half-term.

Have a great weekend, everyone.
Miss Arrowsmith

Excelsior Vision

All our schools to be outstanding and beacons of equality, from where pupils aspire and succeed in a safe, innovative, vibrant learning community.

Dates for your Diary 2021:

☺ **Monday 27th Sep**
3.30-4.30pm
After school clubs begin:

Mon Year 2 Multiskills
Tue Year 1 Multiskills
Thu Year 3/4 Basketball
Fri Year 5/6 Football

☺ **Wednesday 29th Sep 10am -12pm**
Year 6 Maths Workshop
with Dr J Carmesin
(Birmingham University)

☺ **Tuesday 5th Oct 8.45-9.15am**
Reception Phonics
Workshop with Parents

☺ **Tuesday 19th Oct**
Nasal Flu Vaccination for
all pupils



If your child is unable to attend school for any reason please call the school office on 0121 475 4505 or contact us via Arbor to inform us. We must have contact from you every day if your child is absent from school.

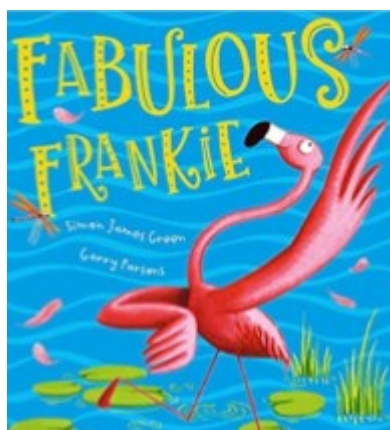
Failure to inform school of your child's absence will result in your child receiving an unauthorised absence mark.

NO OUT SIDERS

'All different, All welcome'

Ask your child to tell you about the stories behind these pictures and how they link to British Values.

KS1 Picture



KS2 Picture



COVID-19 VIRUS SYMPTOMS

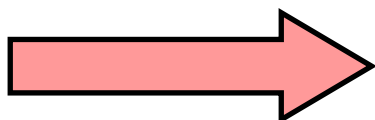
If your child displays any of the below symptoms we would advise getting a PCR test done to see if your child has Covid-19. This can be done by calling 119 or by clicking on the following link :

[Get a free PCR test to check if you have coronavirus \(COVID-19\) - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](https://www.gov.uk/get-a-free-PCR-test-to-check-if-you-have-coronavirus)

Please contact the school office if your child receives a positive result using either a LFD or a PCR test.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Symptoms to look out for



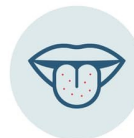
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LOSS OF
TASTE

THIS SCHOOL IS A



AAttendance

Whole school attendance this week **91.5%**

Attendance figures for Monday 20th—Friday 24th September 2021

Registration Form	Present R/C: Marks	Auth. Absent R/C: Marks	Unauth. Absent R/C: Marks	Late R/C: Marks
Form LEOPARDS	87.9%	6.7%	5.4%	3.6%
Form ZEBRAS	94.4%	5.6%	0.0%	3.4%
Form LIONS	85.7%	8.7%	5.6%	1.9%
Form TIGERS	80.6%	18.5%	0.9%	1.1%
Form GAZELLES	95.1%	4.1%	0.7%	2.4%
Form GIRAFFES	97.3%	2.7%	0.0%	3.9%
Form BOURNVILLE	93.7%	4.6%	1.7%	0.9%
Form CADBURY	94.7%	4.1%	1.1%	0.8%
Form SHAKESPEAR	89.7%	3.8%	6.5%	1.3%
Form TOLKIEN	93.8%	4.7%	1.6%	0.8%
Form MARS	95.5%	2.3%	2.3%	1.2%
Form SATURN	88.7%	8.4%	2.9%	1.2%
Form JUPITER	90.9%	4.4%	4.8%	0.4%
Form PLUTO	91.3%	7.5%	1.2%	0.0%

Attendance Matters



Each week, our target for attendance is **97%** or above. This week's whole school attendance was **91.5%** which is lower than we'd hope for but we understand that children may have seasonal colds.

The classes with the best attendance and punctuality will be celebrated each week and children and classes will be awarded with certificates and class prizes.



Congratulations to **Mars** class this week who are the overall attendance heroes with **95.5%**. Well done to **Pluto** who were also the most punctual classes all week with no late marks!

Let's see if we can all get here on time, every day next week! Remember that gates are open at 8.30am and closes at 8.50am so that everyone is in class ready for learning on time.

Be an Attendance



Here

H.E.R.O.

Everyday

Ready

On time





Welcome to the wonderful world of Mathletics. Your child will have now brought home their personal login for Mathletics, an amazing tool for online learning. We will set tasks for the children to complete and there are points and trophies to be won. Good luck Mathletes.






Hot Chocolate Friday!

Well done to the 102 children in school who have gone above and beyond and received hot chocolate nominations this week.

Six children with nominations were picked from the hat to enjoy their chocolate treat with Miss Arrowsmith today.



Running Totals:

				
Clare Balding	Mo Farah	Stephen Hawking	J.K. Rowling	Steven Spielberg
1663	1077	1453	1208	1537

Lunchtime Arrangements

Monday 27th – Friday 1st October 2021

☺ Hot dinners and a selection of sandwiches will now be available for all year groups every day.



WEEK 2 MENU

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Pork Sausage Or Quorn Sausage Jacket Potato & Cheese or Beans Assorted Sandwiches	Fish Fingers Omelette Jacket Potato & Cheese or Beans Assorted Sandwiches	Roast Chicken <i>In gravy</i> Fish Fillet Jacket Potato & Cheese or Beans Assorted Sandwiches	Sausage Roll or Cheese Roll Jacket Potato & Cheese or Beans Assorted Sandwiches	Margherita Pizza Fish Fillet Jacket Potato & Cheese Assorted Sandwiches
Pommes Beans	Herby Diced Potatoes Sweetcorn	Duchess Potatoes Mixed Veg	Wedges Carrots	Chips Beans
Flapjack Fruit / Yoghurts	Chocolate Crunch Fruit / Yoghurts	Chocolate Cracknell Fruit / Yoghurts	Iced Buns Fruit / Yoghurts	Ice Cream Fruit / Yoghurts