



Week Ending: Friday, 1st May 2026

@Green_MeadowPS

Dear Parents,

What an exciting week it has been at Green Meadow! Reception have been loving looking after some baby chicks. The children have been learning all about the lifecycle of a chicken and have been so gentle with their fluffy class pets!

We were delighted to welcome so many parents into school this week. We started our week with the emotional regulation workshop on Tuesday. Mrs Halliwell was delighted to see so many parents in school learning about how we can support children to regulate their emotions. On Wednesday, our friends from the King Edward VI Foundation were in school sharing information about their family of schools for parents of pupils in Year 4 and Year 5. If you weren't able to make it we have sent the information out via Arbor. We rounded off the week with the superb Year 4 assemblies. The children confidently presented their learning (in rhyme!) and sang beautifully. I feel like I'm an expert on Ancient Greece now!

This morning we waved Year 2 off for a sunny beach day at Weston-Super-Mare. We are sure they are having a lovely time and I'm pretty sure there will be a few yummy ice creams eaten during the course of the day!

Green Meadow are proud of our reputation in the local community. A few of our neighbours have been in touch this week asking school to remind parents not to block their drives when dropping off or collecting from school. We know the road gets very busy at these key points in the day but now the weather is warmer perhaps it is an opportunity to park a little further from school and get that step count up!

We have just heard the fantastic news that we have been awarded the Platinum School Games Award for the second year running. What an achievement to end the week!



Have a lovely sunny weekend!
Best wishes,
Mrs Cross and Mrs Stirrop



PE and Outdoor Learning days



PLEASE NOTE CHANGES TO PE DAYS BECAUSE OF THE BANK HOLIDAY.

Tuesday Year 2 and Year 3

Wednesday Year 3 and 1

Thursday Year 5 and Year 6

Friday Year 6 (Coach Ella) and Reception

Please wear PE kit to school on PE days.



Communication and Autism Team

Parent Carer Advice Sessions

We would like to invite you to a 20 minute one-to-one advice session with a member of the Communication and Autism Team.

For parent carers of children / young people on our CAT caseload, with a diagnosis of autism or who are on the neurodevelopmental pathway for assessment.

Date: Monday 11th May 2026

Book via the following link:

<https://www.localofferbirmingham.co.uk/product/cat-parent-carer-online-one-to-one-advice-sessions-11th-may-2026/>

Via Microsoft Teams - a link be sent to you prior to the session.



Communication and Autism Team

Parent Carer Workshop - Sensory Differences

Summer Term 2026

We would like to invite you to a CAT Parent carer workshop for parent carers who would like to increase their understanding of sensory differences and ways to support their child.

To support parent carers of children with a diagnosis of autism, or who are on the Neurodevelopmental Pathway for autism assessment.

All Birmingham parent carers are welcome

Date: Tuesday May 12th 6-7.30pm

Book via the following link:

<https://www.localofferbirmingham.co.uk/product/cat-parent-carer-workshop-sensory-differences-via-microsoft-teams-tuesday-april-28th-2026-copy/>

Sessions will take place via Microsoft Teams - a link be sent to you prior to the session.

We look forward to seeing you there





CELEBRATING GREAT LEARNING!



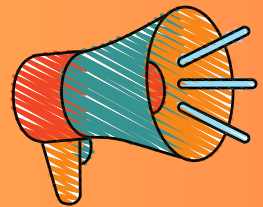
Well done to all of the children who have been practising their spelling on **Spelling Shed** this week. Our class leader board this week has in **Saturn** 1st place, **Gazelles** in 2nd and **Giraffes** in 3rd place! Well done to our whole-school top speller, **Diana** in **Saturn**, who helped her class secure top place!



A huge well done to this week's Mathletes, **Luna** in Bournville, **Yuna** in Cadbury **Raya** in Tolkien, **Daniel** in Shakespeare, **Maxim** in Mars, **Ava** in Saturn and **Finlay** in Jupiter.

Our top scoring classes were **Cadbury** and **Bournville**. Keep practising on the tasks set by your teacher to become a top Mathlete!

A huge well done to this week's **Outstanding Orators**, **C** in Leopards, **M** in Zebras, **D** in Tigers, **C** in Lions, **Lyla** in Giraffes, **Jack** in Gazelles, **Amelia** in Bournville, **Tommy** in Cadbury, **Nazik** in Shakespeare, **Sully** in Tolkien, **Jaanki** in Mars, **Darcie** in Saturn, **Kevoan** in Jupiter and **Miller** in Pluto. You have all impressed us with how well you have demonstrated your oracy skills this week.



Congratulations to our **Readers of the Week**- who get to choose their own book to take home from the world-famous Green Meadow Book Vending Machine! **E** in Zebras, **N** in Leopards, **S** in Lions, **L** in Tigers, **T'Kahiro** in Gazelles, **Amaya** in Giraffes, **Fhaiza** in Cadbury, **Jude** in Bournville, **Ellie** in Tolkien, **Mia** in Shakespeare, **James** in Saturn, **Brielle** in Mars, **Ivy** in Pluto and **Melvin** in Jupiter.

CELEBRATION TIME!

ABOVE AND BEYOND!

Well done to all the children in school who received hot chocolate nominations from their teachers for **GOING ABOVE AND BEYOND!**

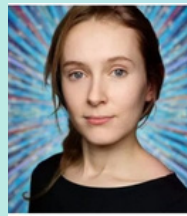
This week, an incredible 71 children from across school received nominations - that's **AMAZING!** We are all so proud of you! We hope you have your certificates displayed somewhere at home to celebrate.

House Points

A record number of house points have been awarded this week to children demonstrating our school values of **READY, RESPECTFUL** and **SAFE** and for making sure they show how helpful, friendly and supportive everyone at Green Meadow is. Well done, everyone!



252



320



213



322



223



Here

Be an Attendance

H.E.R.O.

Everyday

Ready



On time

Well done to **Gazelles** in KS1 and **Cadbury** in KS2 who are our best attending classes this week.

The most punctual classes in school this week were **Lions** who were in school on time every day to make the most of their learning time.



MENU

WE ARE ON WEEK 1 OF THE MENU!

GREEN MEADOW PRIMARY MENU				
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK 1 23/2, 16/3, 20/4, 11/5, 8/6, 29/6	MONDAY Park Sausage in Onion Gravy Veggie Sausage in Onion Gravy (V) Creamy Mash, Peas, Sweetcorn Waffle with Toffee Sauce Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	TUESDAY Chinese Chicken / Quorn (V) Curry Vegetable Samosa & Curry Sauce (V) Boiled Rice, Naan Bread, Peas & Sweetcorn Fruit Crumble Cake Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	WEDNESDAY Homemade Chicken Pie Cheese, Chive & Potato Pie (V) Roast Potatoes, Carrots, Green Beans, Baked Beans Assorted Ice Cream Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	THURSDAY Beef Pastá Bolognese Tomato & Basil Pasta Ragu (V) Fish Stars Diced Potatoes, Broccoli, Baked Beans Homemade Gingerbread Cookie Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt
WEEK 2 2/3, 23/3, 27/4, 18/5, 15/6, 6/7	MONDAY All Day Brunch All Day Veggie Brunch (V) Fish Fingers with Lemon Wedge Omelette & Hash Brown, Sauté Potatoes, Baked Beans, Sweetcorn American Pancakes with Strawberry Sauce Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	TUESDAY Sticky BBQ Chicken Sticky BBQ Quorn (V) Cheese & Onion Roll (V) Potato Wedges, Garlic Bread, Broccoli, Peas Chocolate Concrete Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	WEDNESDAY Roast Chicken with Stuffing Veggie Sausage Toad in the Hole (V) Roasted New Potatoes, Carrots, Green Beans Strawberry Jelly & Fruit Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	THURSDAY Beef /Veggie (V) Burger in a Bun Mac & Broccoli Cheese (V) Herby Diced Potatoes, Steamed Rice, Peas & Sweetcorn, Baked Beans Golden Flapjack Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt
WEEK 3 9/3, 13/4, 4/5, 1/6, 22/6, 13/7	MONDAY Park/Veggie Hot Dogs (V) with Fried Onions Fish Fingers with Lemon Wedge Sauté Potatoes, Sweetcorn, Baked Beans Raspberry Ripple Ice Cream Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	TUESDAY Chicken & Tomato Pasta Bake Herby Tomato Pasta Bake (V) Veggie Nuggets (V) Diced Potatoes, Garlic Slice, Sweetcorn & Peppers Banana Toffee Sponge Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	WEDNESDAY Roast Turkey with Sage & Onion Stuffing Herb Roasted Quorn (V) Minted New Potatoes, Carrots, Peas Strawberry Jelly Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt	THURSDAY Mild Chicken / Vegetable (V) Korma Battered Fish with Lemon Wedge Steamed Rice, Naan Bread, Spicy Potato Wedges, Sweetcorn Iced Shortbread Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt
FRIDAY BBQ Chicken & Sweetcorn Pizza Margherita Pizza (V) Chipped Potatoes, Baked Beans, Peas Strawberry Mousse Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt Cheesy Meatball Pizza Margherita Pizza (V) Chipped Potatoes, Peas, Baked Beans Iced Sponge Tray Bake Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt Pepperoni Pizza Margherita Pizza (V) Chipped Potatoes, Peas, Baked Beans Chocolate Brownie Fresh Fruit & Yoghurt				

Available daily- Fresh bread / Jacket Potato with a variety of fillings / sandwich or wrap with a Hot carb option / Fresh salad cart / Fresh Fruit

ALLERGEN INFORMATION: MENU DESCRIPTIONS MAY NOT LIST EVERY INDIVIDUAL INGREDIENT. WE ARE AWARE OF THE PRESENCE OF ALLERGENS REQUIRING LABELLING, SO PLEASE ASK A MEMBER OF THE CATERING TEAM SHOULD YOU REQUIRE ANY MORE DETAILS. VEGETARIAN OPTIONS ARE INDICATED BY THE (V) SYMBOL.

COOMBS
CATERING SOLUTIONS

School meals cost £3 per day, payable via Arbor, for Years 3, 4, 5 & 6, unless you are entitled to free school meals. Please keep up to date with school meal payments each week. Please note that for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 ALL children are entitled to universal free school meals.



UPCOMING DATES FOR YOUR DIARY...

**Summer 1 Week 4
w/b 04.05.26**

**Monday, 4th May 2026
MAY BANK HOLIDAY- SCHOOL
CLOSED**

**Tuesday, 5th May 2026
Year 5 Red Ridge Residential Trip**

**Wednesday, 6th May 2026
Year 5 Red Ridge Residential Trip
Girls cricket event for invited
pupils**

**Thursday, 7th May 2026
Year 5 Red Ridge Residential Trip**

**Friday, 8th May 2026
Year 5 Red Ridge Residential Trip**

**Summer 1 Week 5
w/b 11.05.26**

YEAR 6 SATs WEEK

**Monday, 11th May 2026
Year 4 Blackwell Adventure
drop-in**

**Tuesday, 12th May 2026
Year 1 RE Trip
Year 5 Birmingham Airport Trip**

Wednesday, 13th May 2026

Thursday, 14th May 2026

**Friday, 15th May 2026
Year 6 Lickey Hills Trip**

Key Dates for the Summer Term

wb 20.04.26 Year 5 Swimming Week

20.04.26 Living Eggs arrive in Reception

21.04.26 Year 5 Red Ridge parent drop-in session in the hall

22.04.26 Year 4 present Oracy Outcomes to SLT

wb 27.04.26 Year 5 Swimming Week

28.04.26 Parent Workshop- Emotional Regulation 9am in the hall

29.04.26 King Edward VI Foundation Parent Information (Y4 and 5) in the hall 9am

30.04.26 Shakespeare class assembly in the hall 9am

01.05.26 Tolkien class assembly in the hall 9am

01.05.26 Year 2 Weston-super-Mare Family Trip

04.05.26 BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY- SCHOOL CLOSED

05-08.05.26 Year 5 Red Ridge Residential Trip

11.05.26 Unit 4 Geography and History topics start

11.05.26 Year 6 SATs week

12.05.26 Year 1 RE trip

12.05.26 Year 5 Birmingham Airport Trip

15.05.26 Year 6 Lickey Hills trip

20-22.05.26 Year 4 Blackwell Residential Trip

21.05.26 Word Cup Special Menu

25-29.05.26 MAY HALF TERM

wb 01.06.26 Year 4 Multiplication Check fortnight starts

02.06.26 Year 2 parents 'Ready for Year 3' Reading Workshop 2.45pm in the hall

05.06.25 Reception Year Group Assembly

wb 08.06.26 Year 1 Phonics Screening Check

wb 15.06.26 Enterprise Week

19.06.26 Year 6 World of Work Day

19.06.26 Enterprise Summer Fair after school

wb 22.06.26 Year 6 Swimming Week

23.06.26 Year 5 Oracy Outcome Flipped Parents' Evening

25.06.26 Year 2, 4 and 6 'I can save a life' First Aid Training

26.06.26 Speak Up! Speak Out! Speech competition

wb 29.06.26 Year 6 Swimming Week

01.07.26 Transition Day

03.07.26 Sports Day

06-10.07.26 Year 6 France Trip

14.07.26 Year 6 Leavers Assembly

15.07.26 Excelsior Olympics

16.07.26 Year 6 VIP Day

16.07.26 Seaside Special Menu

17.07.26 BREAK UP FOR SUMMER

