



Friday 15th November 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,



What an incredibly busy week, thank you to the parents, families and all the staff that turned up for groundforce day and their help with making the school look fantastic.



A big thank you to Mrs Hillman who has started our mural for us in the hall. Finally, this week we also were lucky enough to be given a piano for the school and a big thank you to the trustees and Mr Bridges who helped carry the piano into school.



We also welcomed an external visitor to look at our early reading provision; Miss Cross did a brilliant job and we were able to highlight lots of good practice. I'd like to say a big thank you to parents who made it for parents' evening it was a great opportunity to share all of your children's wonderful achievements.

Remembrance Day

We held a two-minute silence on Monday to remember the brave soldiers who lost their lives; the children were all brilliant and really respected the silence. This followed on from the children taking part in parades on Sunday in Winchcombe and at sporting events.



FOGS

Thanks to Owls (and the parents!) for a fantastic cake sale last Friday! The next cake sale will be Kingfishers (on Friday 17th January).

There are only 2 spaces left for the Christmas Wreath Workshop on 22nd November! Link to book below.

FOGS DATES FOR THE DIARY

- Friday 22nd Nov - Kids Cosy Clothes Day - £1 per child
- Friday 22nd Nov - Christmas Wreath Workshop
- Friday 29th Nov - Cups being sent home with children to decorate and fill for the Christmas Cup sale on 20th
- Friday 6th Dec - KS1 movie night - £5 per child*
- Friday 13th Dec - KS2 movie night - £5 per child*
- Friday 20th Dec - Christmas Sweet Cup sale after school - (1.30pm) - £1.50 per cup

*Bookings for after school film night will be bookable through website in a few days.

Link to book wreath workshop:

https://fogsfundraising.square.site/product/wreath_workshop/30?cs=true&cst=custom

Early Birds Update

We are able to offer Early Birds from 8am to 8:30am every morning. Please continue to pay £3 in advance on ParentPay for all sessions. There is no need to pre-book, just feel free to bring your child along on any day you need to.

Thank you

Thank you for taking the time to read the newsletter, if there is anything that you would like to contribute please feel free to email me head@gretton.gloucs.sch.uk or the office admin@gretton.gloucs.sch.uk

Mr Sallis and the Gretton Team

House Point Trophy

In our house points assembly it was very close, but our winning house this week was **Sudeley** and I look forward to wearing the **yellow** tie for the first week back week.

House Name	Previous Total Number of Discs	This Week's Result	Current Total Number of Discs	Current Position
Cleeve	4	4 th	5	=2 nd
Langley	1	3 rd	3	3 rd
Stanley	2	2 nd	5	=2 nd
Sudeley	3	1 st	7	1 st

Gold Book Nominations (15.11.24)

Robins

Pearl - for being an incredibly helpful and kind member of our class and always trying her absolute best with everything she does - you are a superstar!

Kingfishers

Year 1 - Ines for being extremely focused throughout all parts of learning, which has paid off in the progress she has made. Well done.

Year 2 - Ollie for always working hard and sharing his knowledge with other members of the class. Your exemplary behaviour does not go unnoticed and you have really stretched yourself in problem solving and reasoning in maths.

Owls

Y3 - Gwen - for always being kind, polite and always working hard!

Y4 - Belle for consistently putting 100% into everything she does and always demonstrating care and kindness towards others. Well done Belle!

Eagles

Y5 - Nuala - Showing some excellent effort all week. She spent lots of time perfecting a poem about an endangered animal

Y6 - Daisy J - persevering with her maths and developing her understanding of fractions.

Gretton Golden rules award – This term the focus is - We Show Good Manners

Robins – Natalia

Kingfishers – John

Owls – Barney

Eagles - Wren

Autumn Term 2024 Diary Dates

Weds 20 th Nov	Open Morning
Weds 4 th Dec	Open Morning
Fri 6 th Dec	'Life Education' activities
Mon 16 th Dec	Christmas performance (Robins and Kingfishers) 2:15pm
Tues 17 th Dec	Christmas performance (Robins and Kingfishers) 10am
Fri 20 th Dec	End of Term 2 for pupils (1:30pm Finish)
Mon 6 th Jan	Start of Term 3
Thurs 30 th Jan	Y6 height and weight measurements YR height, weight and vision