



Friday 6th February 2026



Dear Parents and Carers,

Children's Mental Health week 9th-13th February

This year's theme, "This Is My Place," encourages children to explore and reflect on where they feel safe, valued, and able to be themselves.

Monday 9th February

COME AS YOURSELF Day - Children are invited to come to school wearing something which makes them feel most comfortable, confident, and like they truly belong — whether that's cosy clothes, cultural dress, favourite colours, or something totally unique. Celebrate what makes you, you!

Friday 13th February

WEAR YOUR SCARF TO SCHOOL DAY - Children are invited to 'wear a scarf to school' over the top of their school uniform. Our PSHE curriculum follows a programme called SCARF. SCARF represents our values for children of Safety, Caring, Achievement, Resilience and Friendship. We can't wait to see the array of scarves on show in support for children's wellbeing.

Parking

Please can I ask for your support in sensible parking at drop-off and pick-up. It is imperative that you avoid the zig-zag lines and the pavement opposite the school as these both present risks to our children and families. Thank you for your understanding and please be considerate of adults who remind you of these rules when you are in a rush and may have forgotten.

Gloucestershire Parent Carer Forum presents:

SEND Information Fair



Monday 9th February, 2026
10:00am-2:00pm



Leonardo Hotel Cheltenham,
Gloucester Rd, Cheltenham
GL51 0TS



Guest speakers from
Education, Health and
Social care



40+ suppliers providing
information, guidance,
advice and support

**Book
Now**



Sensory friendly area



Drop in help clinics by
SENDIASS,
EHCP Casework Team,
Social Care and Early
Help Team

APPLICATIONS ARE NOW OPEN FOR JUNIOR BAKE OFF

Aged between 9-15 and love to bake?
We'd love to hear from you!

WWW.APPLYFORJUNIORBAKEOFF.CO.UK



APPLICATIONS CLOSE 15TH MARCH 2026

Christ Church Gretton



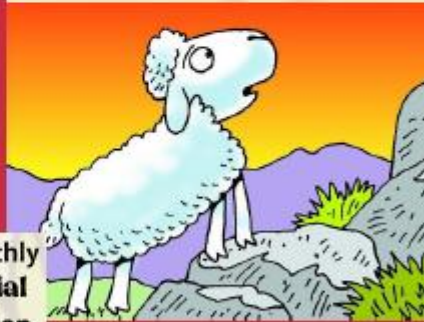
Second Sunday Special

Faith & fun for every age

**Sunday 8th February
4.00pm**

Was Jesus
just talking
about sheep
or is there
more?

Discover the story of
the lost sheep!



Join us for our new monthly
Second Sunday Special
at Christ Church Gretton.
A time of fun worship
together for the whole
family with craft, stories,
songs & games.
Stay for tea and cake!



Village News



The poster features the GRCC logo (Community Action in Gloucestershire) and the DAISI logo (Digital Accessibility, Inclusion, Support & Innovation). The title is 'Gretton Hub Digital Support Session'. Below the title, it says 'We want to know what your digital support needs are!' and 'We can help you with...'. A list of services includes: NHS app support, information on scams and staying safe online, accessing and organising emails, keeping in touch with friends and family through devices, and accessing the internet. A central orange box lists the dates: 11th January, 8th February, and 8th March, from 10am-12:30pm. The location is Gretton Village Hall, Gretton, Nr Winchcombe, Gloucestershire, GL54 5EP. At the bottom, it provides contact information for Digital Triage: 07454 066116 or digital@grcc.org.uk, and social media handles @daisi_project.

Nut Policy

We are a nut free school; this is really important to keep some of our community safe. Can I remind you that this includes pesto which does contain nuts. If staff are aware of something in a lunch box, then this may be sent home but we will inform you of this. Thank you for your understanding.

Early Birds

We are able to offer Early Birds from 8am (Please don't try before 8am) to 8:30am every morning. Please pay £3 in advance for all sessions via ParentPay. 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

Weekly House Points

In our house points assembly it was very close, but our winning house this week was **Stanley**

House Name	Previous Total Number of Discs	This Week's Result	Current Total Number of Discs	Current Position
Cleeve	4	4th	5	4th
Langley	5	2nd	8	=2nd
Stanley	5	1st	9	1st
Sudeley	6	3rd	8	=2nd

Gold Book Nominations (06.02.26)

Robins

Ben - for his excellent efforts and independent writing in drawing club. Well done Ben!

Kingfishers

Y1 - Natalia for great improvement in reading. It is really lovely to see Natalia sounding words out independently and reading more words on sight, and we are super proud of her!

Y2 – Jude for working incredibly hard to write a Recipe for a Happy Home. Jude used imperative verbs, adjectives and sequencing words to make his recipe informative and descriptive.

Owls

Y3 - Juno has written an amazing story based on our class text. Her use of figurative language and the success criteria = fabulous! Well done and keep up the creative thinking.

Y4 - Florence (Flo) has written a fantastic story too. She has used the skills explored during the writing unit with great authorial intent. We have been so proud of the work she's produced, even when she felt a little bit 'under the weather'.

Eagles

Y5 - Sydney - For developing her independence in maths and for always working hard to improve in every lesson.

Y6 - Will - For working really hard to create his own narrative version of The Lost Thing, taking time out of his own weekend to type it up.

Gretton Golden rules award – This term the focus is - We Listen Carefully

Robins – Alfie
Kingfishers – Seren
Owls – Anoushka
Eagles – Henry

2026 Diary Dates

Monday 9th February – Children Mental Health Week begins
Come as Yourself Day

Thursday 12th February – Cross Country Race 5

Friday 13th February – Wear Your Scarf to School Day
Stanley Valentine's Cake Sale

Thursday 5th March – Cross Country Fun Run
World Book Day

Monday 16th March – Parents' Evening Week

- o Monday 16th – Eagles – 1pm – 4.30pm
- o Tuesday 17th – Kingfishers – 1pm – 4.30pm
- o Tuesday 17th – Owls – 1pm – 4.30pm
- o Wednesday 18th – Robins – 1pm – 4.30pm
- o Monday 23rd – All classes 3.30pm – 5.30pm