

Head of School Weekly Parents Newsletter



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Messages:

- We are holding a 'Tech' drop in / coffee afternoon on Thursday 6th October at 3:15 in the hall. Our Digital Leaders will be on hand to show you the technology we use and answer any questions you may have.
- It's that time of year again where you need to decide which secondary school your Y6 child will go to. Here's the information we have regarding open evenings at local secondary schools:
<https://greentopschool.co.uk/transition-open-evening-events-for-current-y6-children/>

Next Week:

Monday - Bank holiday - school is closed - [Blog post](#)

Tuesday - Reception family learning, 2pm in the hall - [Blog post](#)

Wednesday - EYFS Storytelling day - wear your PJs for school! - [Blog post](#)

Friday - Staff day 1 - school is closed

Monday - Staff day 2 - school is closed

Here are our dates for autumn 1 term:

<https://greentopschool.co.uk/autumn-1-dates-for-your-diaries/>

Shout outs:

I'm very impressed with home learning in year 5!

<https://greentopschool.co.uk/crew-myers-awesome-home-learning-%f0%9f%92%ab/>



Beautiful Work:

This week we had visitors from a school in India. They loved our school and were very impressed with our ambassadors:



Blog of the week:

Crew bears in Reception:

<https://greentopschool.co.uk/reception-crew-wallace-adventure-bear/>

<https://greentopschool.co.uk/receptioncrew-jones-meets-biscuit/>

<https://greentopschool.co.uk/reception-crew-carsters-crew-bear/>



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Expedition:

Year 1 and 2 have loved doing research this week using the ipads. They have read about different styles of castles, as well as the names of parts of a castle. They have created great anchor charts for us to put on our expedition display to help us with our writing next week. The children have also loved our dress up day and banquet...they looked amazing. Thanks so much for your support!

Year 3/4 have enjoyed learning about evacuation as part of our history case study for our expedition 'How does war change lives?' We started our learning with a visit to the church pretending to be evacuees which was great fun! We have since learnt more about the evacuation process and how children would have felt being evacuated; we were surprised to learn that some children enjoyed it! We have immersed ourselves into our new text The Lion and the Unicorn and are looking forward to reading more about Lenny's adventures as an evacuee.

Crew:

Our phase community crew meetings have taken shape this week and incorporated our Out of this World award! Children, staff and parents have absolutely loved it! Thank you for keeping the award a secret! Who will get the award next?

<https://greentopschool.co.uk/ks1-community-meeting/>

<https://greentopschool.co.uk/reception-children-are-out-of-this-world/>

<https://greentopschool.co.uk/year-3-4-phase-meeting-assembly-howl-point-winners-14-09-22/>

<https://greentopschool.co.uk/year-3-and-4-phase-community-crew-meeting-yellow-jumpers/>

<https://greentopschool.co.uk/y5-y6-ootw-phase-assembly/>

Message from 'The Friend's of GT':

Our Autumn disco 'Witches and Wizards' will take place on Wednesday 12th October!

Our next coffee morning:

Macmillan coffee morning and afternoon
30.09.2022 - in the hall
8:30 - 9:30 and 2:00 - 3:00
Donations of buns and cakes are welcome!

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Weekly lunch menus:

<https://greentopschool.co.uk/dinner-menu/>



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Reminders:

- Doors will continue to open from 8:30am and will be closing them at 8:45am so that we can start our crew sessions on time. It is important that children arrive at school on time everyday.
- Should you wish to access our sunset club this week, you can book by contacting Mrs Dewsnap: sunset@greentopschool.org. Please include the following details: name, teacher, any allergies/dietary requirements, days required and a Contact number. Sunset club runs from 4pm to 5:30pm daily at £5 per day which should be paid in advance via ParentPay.

More beautiful work:

