

Head of School Weekly Parents Newsletter



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Messages:

- Thank you to everyone who attended the Y3/4 family learning this week. It was a great outdoor task that engaged everyone in the 'challenging' escape room style activity! It was great to see everyone working together!
<https://greentopschool.co.uk/class-11-family-learning-%f0%9f%8c%8b/>
- Have you seen the beautiful video showing the Y3/4 book signing celebration last week? Check it out on the blog:
<https://greentopschool.co.uk/year-3-4-world-war-2-book-launch-%e2%9a%aa%f0%9f%94%b4%f0%9f%94%b5/>
- Check out our Coronation celebration video
<https://greentopschool.co.uk/green-top-celebrates-king-charles-coronation/>

Next Week:

Y2 SATs week (2)

Monday - Coffee Morning in the hall 8:30 - 9:30

Friday - school closes for half term - clubs and sunset will run as normal.

Here are our dates so far for Summer 1 term:

<https://greentopschool.co.uk/summer-1-diary-dates/>

Summer 2 dates will be shared after the holiday.

Attendance shout outs:

WOW!!!

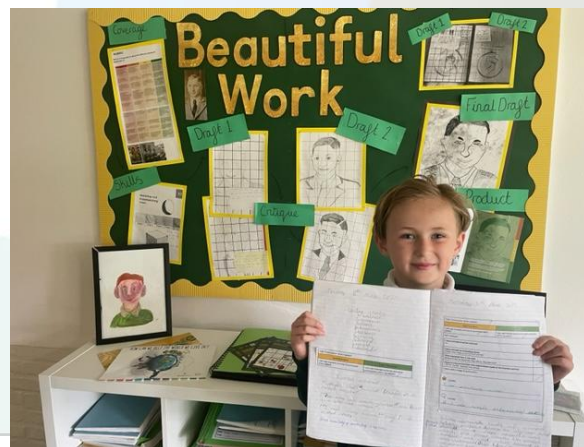
Our attendance winners for last week were:

**Brew Jackson, Crew Ambler, Crew Mumby,
Crew Good, Crew Wallace and Crew Jones**

Well done - great work!!

It's so good to see that our attendance is improving!

Beautiful Work:



Blog of the week:

Everyone loved their visit from the Trolleybus Museum in Sandtoft!

Look at these excited faces...

<https://greentopschool.co.uk/nursery-bus-visit/>



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Expedition:

In EYFS this week the children have been exploring different materials to make models and art of vehicles. The children were very lucky to have experts visit from the Trolleybus museum and it has inspired many things including our maths!

Last week, children in Y6 completed their SATs tests for SPaG, Reading and Mathematics. They were so resilient and completed them with a motivated and 'can-do' attitude. We are proud of their efforts! Writing will continue to be a focus into Summer term 2.

Y5 continue to be immersed in their mining expedition. They have worked hard to produce narrative poems based on a young trapper boy's experience of the mine.

Crew:

In Crew this week the children have been thinking about their 'work hard' HoWLs. How they can make their work even better and can work independently. The children have also enjoyed finding out many facts about healthy eating and have made pledges to eat more fruit and vegetables and drink more water!

In Y5/6 children have used crew sessions to share their successes in recent written pieces. They had the opportunity to share their work and talk about their next steps. Additionally, Y6 wrote 'thank you' postcards to staff who helped us during SATs week to ensure that it ran as smoothly as possible.

Message from 'The Friends of GT':

We will be announcing the date of our summer disco soon!



Our next coffee afternoon:

Our coffee afternoons have finished for the Spring term. We will be changing to a 'coffee morning' next half term! These will take place 8:30 - 9:30 on a Monday. **Our next coffee morning in the summer term will be Monday**



22nd May.

Where possible we will have food surplus and a uniform bank. Pop in for a coffee and to see what we have available.

Weekly lunch menus:

Our new summer menu has landed!!!

We are very excited about the summer menu, take a look at what is to come after the holiday's!

[DINNER MENUS wc 17 April 2023.pdf](#)

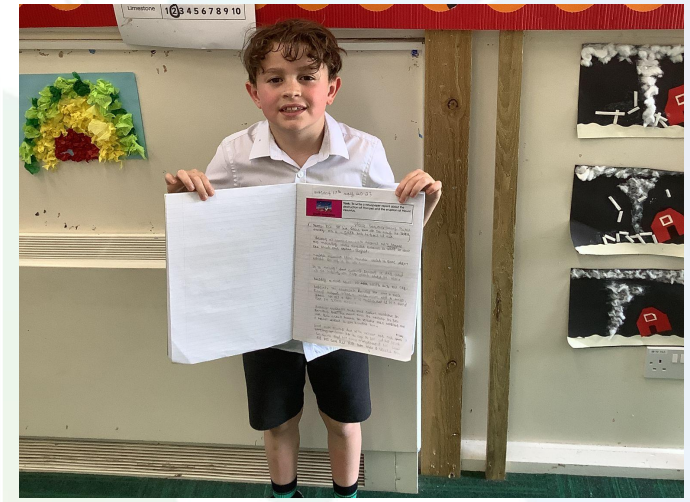
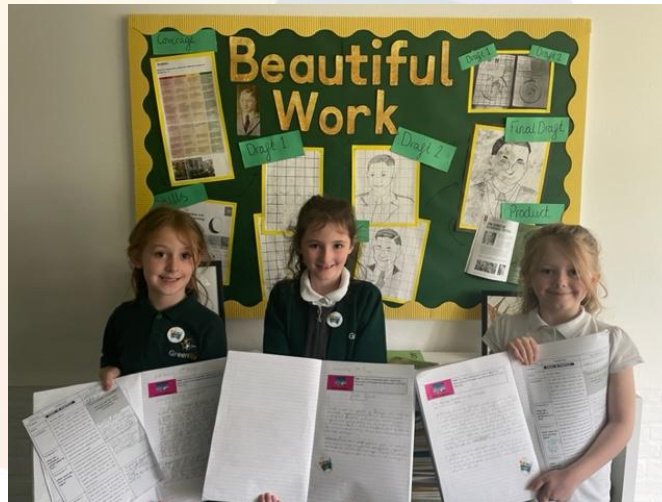
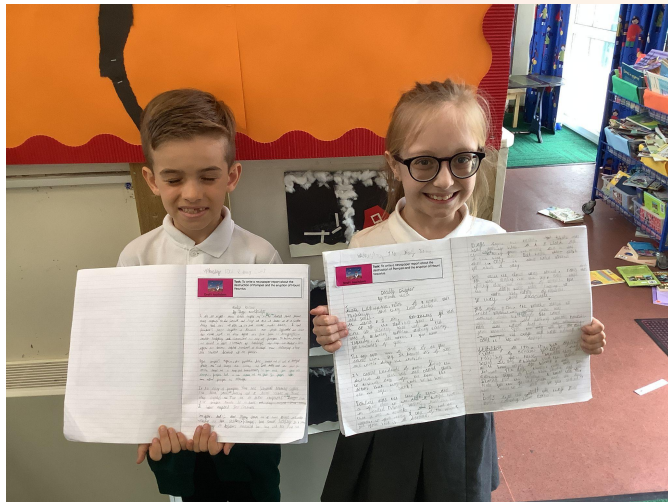


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More beautiful work - Year 3 writing!



Reminders:

- Doors will continue to open from 8:30am and we 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.
- Please find information regarding **attendance**:  [UKHSA-should-I-keep-my_child_off_school_guidance-A3-poster RL.pdf](#)
- **Water bottles should contain 'water'!** We are happy for the children to bring in their bottles but we will only allow them to be used if they contain water. A cup will be provided if not. Can I also take this opportunity to ask that Prime drinks are left at home.
- **False nails** - for many reasons around health and safety we cannot allow children to wear them for school. PE, playtimes, sporting events and swimming will be affected if children have false nails.
- Can I remind everyone that **toys** should not be brought into school. We cannot be responsible for the children's personal belongings. This is also causing some upset and we would prefer to avoid this. The children are welcome to bring something in for Funky Friday time but footballs should not be brought into school at all; the member of staff who leads football games will provide the **football**.
- Should you wish to access our **sunset club** this week, you can book by contacting Mrs Dewsnap: sunset@greentopschool.org. Please include the

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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.

- **Road safety** - we are becoming increasingly concerned for the safety of our children and families during drop off and pick up times. Please consider where you are parking and the speed in which you are driving. We are working with the council to consider how we can improve road safety for everyone around our school community.
- Communication Reminder...
Phase Leader email addresses
EYFS - eyfs@greentopschool.org
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