



GREYTHORN PRIMARY

"Engaging hearts, equipping minds, opening doors"

Spring Term

Weekly Newsletter


14th March 2025

DATES FOR THE DIARY

TUESDAY 18th MARCH

5 – 5.45pm FS & KS1 Disco
6 – 7pm KS2 Disco

FRIDAY 21st MARCH

 Red Nose Day

(wear something funny for money
£1 suggested donation)



TUESDAY 25th & THURSDAY 27th MARCH

Parents' Evening

FRIDAY 28th MARCH

Non-uniform for Easter Tombola
Mother's Day Reading Cafe
Toddler Stay & Play

THURSDAY 3rd APRIL

Easter Bonnet and Egg Parade

FRIDAY 4th APRIL

Golden Greats
Last Day of Term

A MESSAGE FROM YOUR HEADTEACHER

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been great to walk around the school this week and see the children so purposefully engaged in their learning. Year 5/6 had a great trip to the Yorkshire Wildlife Park on Monday and amazed everyone with their scientific knowledge, while several children had the opportunity to represent Greythorn in sports at the Inclusion Festival at Nottingham Trent University.

Next week is a busy one, with the school discos on Tuesday and Red Nose Day on Friday.

Have a lovely weekend,

Kind regards,

Mrs Cox
Acting Headteacher

TERM DATES

Spring Term

25 February – 4 April 2025

Summer Term

22 April – 23 May 2025

3 June – 29 July 2025

INSET: 24 Feb, 2 Jun



PREMIER LEAGUE PRIMARY STARS U11S NATIONAL GIRLS TOURNAMENT

Greythorn represented Notts County Football Club at the Regional Heats of the Premier League Primary Stars U11s National Girls Tournament. The girls won three games in the competition, including their game against the school representing Nottingham Forest.

It was a fantastic day, and Greythorn were rewarded for their efforts as the Fair Play winners. This was recognised by the FA qualified referees who officiated their games, for playing with respect throughout the tournament.



team
work



PROUD
OF YOU



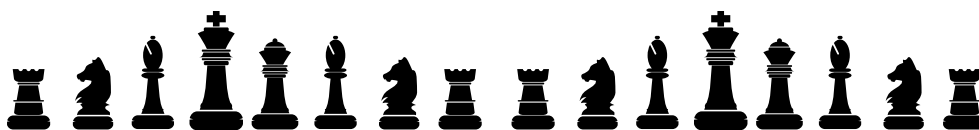
WELL
DONE!



THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS

Chess Champions

Congratulations to Rithvik, crowned Under 7 County Chess Champion! We are very proud of you, and to Amiruth (featured in last week's newsletter), our Under 8 County Chess Champion. Well done!



Foundation

This week in Foundation, the children have been ordering and comparing transport vehicles from the past and present. The children have also been busy drawing inspiration from our focus artist, Matisse, to create their own representations of his work!



THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS

Year 1/2

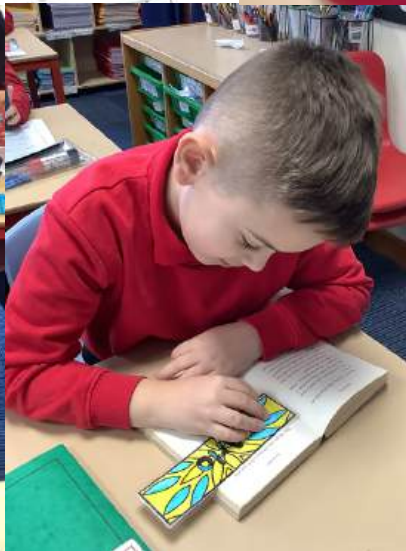
This week, as part of National Science Week, in our science lessons Year 1/2 have been working scientifically, applying their knowledge of the structure of flowering plants and trees into action! The children have observed, described and recorded the structures of bedding plants from the buds and petals to the roots. They then sculpted trees before explaining and labelling the structures from the crown to the roots. It was wonderful to hear their discussions, observations and questions to one another!



THIS WEEK'S HIGHLIGHTS

Reading Time

Year 3/4
In year 3/4 we spend as much time as we can reading. We are really enjoying our class book, *The Last Bear*, as well as our current Orbital Reading text, *Oi Caveboy*. Here are some photos of us during free reading.



YORKSHIRE WILDLIFE PARK

Year 5/6

As part of our Science this term, focused on animals, their habitats and adaptations, Year 5/6 went to Yorkshire Wildlife Park. Throughout the day, the children got to see some incredible animals: lions, giraffes, sealions, hyenas, painted dogs, polar bears and many more. We also took part in a workshop where children learnt more about animal adaptations and got to touch and hold some animals- hissing cockroaches, snakes, bearded dragons and snails. What a fantastic day!



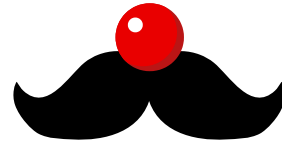
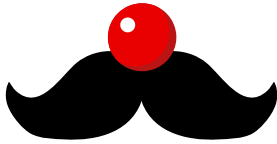
YORKSHIRE WILDLIFE PARK



field trip



RED NOSE DAY



COMIC RELIEF – RED NOSE DAY 2025

On **Friday 21st March**, we are holding a 'wear something funny for money' non-uniform day in return for a donation (£1 suggested) for Comic Relief.

We are **CASHLESS** for Comic Relief so please follow the link below to donate online for your child to take part.

https://www.justgiving.com/page/greythorn?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=CL

Suggestions for what to wear:

- pyjamas
- a onesie
- inside out clothes
- socks over trousers
- bright colours
- crazy hair style
- novelty accessories eg. wigs, ties and glasses
- a Comic Relief red nose

FOGSA

SCHOOL DISCO

Let's Party!

Tuesday 18th March

£3.50 ENTRY & SNACK

BRING YOUR OWN WATER BOTTLE

EYFS/KS1 | 5-5.45PM

KS2 | 6-7PM

Tickets will be available on ParentPay from 10th March

Additional information posted on Class Dojo.

DISCO

MENU SPRING TERM 2025

Menu

w/c
17 March 2025

Please find attached our current lunch time menu.

If your child would like a school lunch they will be able to order on the day, the cost is £2.95 and needs to be paid in advance.

WEEK 2

WEEK COMMENCING

11 Nov, 2 Dec, 23 Dec, 13 Jan,
3 Feb, 24 Feb, 17 March

All of our meals are prepared using freshly sourced products from the East Midlands. If you need to know more about the ingredients used, please ask.

AVAILABLE DAILY: Best of both bread ^{Gluten, Soya} fresh fruit. Vegetarian meals available upon request



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN	Margherita pizza <small>Gluten Soya Milk</small>	Pork meatballs ^{Egg} <small>Gluten</small> OR Veggie meatballs <small>Soya</small>	Veggie Mac 'n' Cheese <small>Mustard Soya Milk Gluten</small>	Roast chicken OR Plant based sausage <small>Soya Sulphur dioxide</small> Yorkshire pudding <small>Milk Egg Gluten</small>	MSC cod dog, <small>Fish Gluten Sesame</small> Oven chips, baked beans or garden peas & tomato ketchup
SIDES	Pomme noisette, sweetcorn & diced carrots	Mashed potatoes, broccoli, sliced carrots & gravy	Garlic bread, <small>Milk Gluten Soya</small> & crunchy vegetables	Stuffing, <small>Gluten</small> mashed potatoes, broccoli sliced carrots & gravy	Jacket potato, cheese <small>Milk</small> , baked beans or tuna mayonnaise <small>fish</small> egg & mixed salad
PUDDING	Chocolate crispie <small>Gluten</small>	Fruit yoghurt <small>Milk</small>	Cornflake tart <small>Gluten Sulphur dioxide</small> & custard <small>Milk</small>	Lemon drizzle muffin <small>Egg Gluten Sulphur Dioxide</small>	Cheese <small>Milk</small> & Crackers <small>Gluten</small>



Nottinghamshire
County Council

FOOD HYGIENE RATING

0 1 2 3 4 5

TODDLER STAY AND PLAY

A VERY WARM WELCOME

AWAITS YOU
AND YOUR CHILDREN

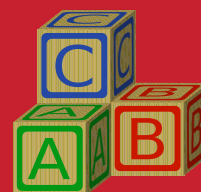
For Parents/Carers with Children (age 0 - 4 yrs) living in the
local community

Come and join us for playtime, chat and refreshments



Free of Charge
9.15AM - 10.15AM

Friday 28th March
Friday 25th April



Please email/telephone to
reserve your place