



GRASMERE PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Star of the Week!



Week commencing 03/05/2021

Acorn class – Kadie, Ziggy, Clara
Rowan class – Elif, Bell, Johan
Willow class – Tomas, Axel, Lewis
Oak class – Bart, Mia, Amelie

Holly class – Annabelle, Sonny A, Lile
Cherry class
Aspen class – Miles, Camilla
Silver birch class – Darcy, Bella

Week commencing 10/05/2021

Acorn class – Lili, Max, Felix
Rowan class –
Willow class – Yves, Nehir, Lucas
Oak class – Yara, Jack, Bart

Holly class –
Cherry class –
Aspen class – Tia, Daniel
Silver birch class – Maisie, Alec

Fit For sport operating an activity camp this half term

Fit for sport will be running a kids camp at Grasmere primary school this half term from 8.30-5.30 excluding bank holiday and weekends.

May Half Term 2021
Single day booking only - £33

Please check the fit for sport website for times and prices.

Attendance

Please remember it is your responsibility to let us know why your child is absent. Any unexplained absences automatically become unauthorised. If your child is too ill to attend school, then you must telephone the school office with an explanation for your child's absence.

Please ensure that you inform the Office before 9.00am on the first day of absence or the absence may be registered as unauthorised and a penalty notice may be issued.

Remember Absence = Lost Opportunity

Why is good attendance and punctuality important?

Education lays the vital foundations of a child's life. Regular and punctual attendance at school is key to both academic and social development, which in turn will improve the life chances of children and young people.

- What does 90% attendance mean?
- 90% attendance = ½ school day missed every week!
- One school year at 90% attendance = 4 weeks of learning missed!
- Over 5 school years of school = ½ school year missed!
- All children and young people nationally whose school attendance is 90% or below are considered to be persistent absentees.

Punctuality Matters too!

Missed minutes = missed learning = missed opportunities!

Rowan Class

With all the rain this week, it felt like the perfect opportunity for Rowan Class to test out suitable materials for an umbrella that would keep a teddy bear dry! We took turns feeling the materials and made predictions on what material would work best.



Silver Birch

Year 6 have been putting Darwin's theory of natural selection to the test, conducting scientific enquiry into how finches' beaks are adapted to their food source



Acorn Class – Spread the word

