



Great Coates Primary School Newsletter

September 2025

Welcome to all new children and families and welcome back to all returning students.

This newsletter will give you an update on things that are happening this term and also has lots of helpful reminders.

Dates for your diary

2.9.25 Back to School
9.9.25 Ducklings Session for new nursery 10:15am
8.9.25 School begins for Nursery new starters
17.9.25 Y5&6 Football Tournament 9:30 am
18.9.25 Individual photographs in school
19.9.25 Author visit Rec,Y1&2
24.9.25 Parliament Week in school
1.10.25 Y5&6 Girls Football Tournament 9:30am
6.10.25 Kindness Week in school
10.10.25 Hello Yellow Mental Health Day
16.10.25 Y5&6 Boccia Tournament
17.10.25 Half Term begins
3.11.25 Return to School
5.11.25 Flu Vaccines in school
10.11.25 Anti-bullying week
11.11.25 Choir - Remembrance Day Performance 11am
14.11.25 Careers Fair in School Y5&6
17.11.25 Road Safety Week
18.12.25 Christmas Disco in school
19.12.25 End of Term
5.1.26 Return to School



PE Days

Nursery do not have a set PE time and do not need a PE kit
PE days are as follows for the rest of the school.

- Reception - Fri
- Y1 - Mon & Fri
- Y2 - Weds & Fri
- Y3 - Mon & Thurs
- Y4 - Mon & Thurs
- Y5 - Mrs Cox's class - Weds and Thurs
- Y5&6 - Mr Baxter's class - Mon and Thurs
- Y6 - Mrs Bradley's class - Mon & Thurs



Mobile Phones and Smart Watches

Please remember no mobile phones or smart watches are allowed in school.





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Water Bottles, Book Bags and PE bags

A book bag and water bottle will be provided to all pupils at the start of the year. If your child loses either of these please come to the school office where a new one will be provided for a small fee. Please reuse your child's PE bag from last year. Year 6, Reception and pupils new to school will receive a new PE bag.

Attendance

Consistent attendance is crucial for your child's learning and progress, allowing them to benefit fully from the curriculum and maintain strong relationships with their peers and teachers. Doors open at 8:35am and school begins at 8:45am. Please arrive on time.



What are we learning?

Nursery - Me and My Community
Reception - Little Me, Big World
Y1 - Toys, Hot and Cold Areas, Materials
Y2 - Gunpowder Plot, Hull Materials
Y3 - Stone Age, Rocks, Settlements
Y4 - Electircity, Rivers, Ancient Greece
Y5 & 6 - Mayans, Mexico,, Space



Allergies in school

Please check your child's book bag and your emails for information about allergies in school.



Healthy Packed lunches

We believe that a balanced, nutritious diet is essential for our pupils' growth, development, and well-being. That's why we kindly encourage packed lunches contain a selection of healthy options.

A great packed lunch could include a sandwich or pasta pot, some fresh fruit or crunchy salad veggies, a small packet of crisps or a biscuit, and a low-sugar drink.

Please do not send your child to school with large chocolate bars, sweets and fizzy beverages, as these can have a negative impact on our pupils' energy levels and concentration in the classroom.



School Dinner Orders

Please make sure lunch order are ordered on the Arbor App by the Tuesday before the meas are due.