



Grange Farm Grapevine

Attendance

All parents have the legal responsibility to ensure their child receives a suitable education.

Compulsory education for every child runs from the term after they turn 5 years of age.

Parents are expected to ensure their child attends school every day of the school year, unless they are too unwell for school. The expectation is that children will have 100% attendance. If the attendance falls below 90%, the school may refer the family to attendance processes.

Pupils are expected to attend school every day of the school year which tends to be 190 days out of 365 – split into 3 terms and 6 half terms per year. Days in each school may be different as teachers have training days during term time.

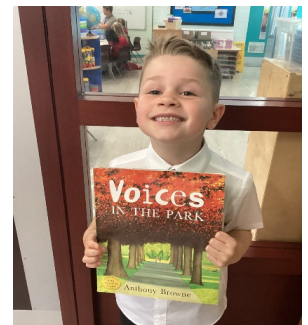
The school may decide to ask the Local Authority (LA) to prosecute parents for:

- unauthorised absence where their children take holiday in term time
- where parents/carers do not ensure that their children attend every day
- where the attendance falls below 90%
- where there is long term non-attendance

The LA will follow legal processes where there is evidence of non-attendance.



KS1 Readers of the Week



1R	1F	2F	2G
<p>For demonstrating excellent resilience during reading tasks in science.</p>	<p>For excellent reading across lessons.</p>	<p>For moving up five levels in reading since September.</p>	<p>For lots of reading for pleasure at home.</p>

Printer Ink Recycling

If you have a printer at home, please consider recycling your used ink cartridges at school. The blue recycling box can be found at the school office and all ink cartridges are accepted.

'Disconnect to Reconnect' Campaign

We are excited to announce that our school will be participating in the 'Disconnect to Reconnect' campaign, aimed at raising awareness of the impact of excessive screen time on children's wellbeing. This initiative encourages pupils to reduce their device use and reconnect with the world around them.

Starting Monday 10th March until Friday 14th March, we will be running a series of activities and challenges designed to help pupils explore healthier relationships with technology and spend more time engaged in offline activities.

We encourage you to support this campaign at home by joining in with the challenges and reinforcing the message of balancing screen time. The children will be completing a diary in this week of activities that they have done at home. We will send a copy of the diary home. We can't wait to hear what you get up to! Please find below a list of activities and ideas.

Thank you for your support.



Parent/Carer volunteers needed!

Here in Leeds, we have a unique offer for families, 'Empowering Parents, Empowering Communities' (EPEC). It is a peer-led approach to delivering parenting training which is delivered by volunteer parents in their local community.

The parenting course is called Being a Parent (BAP) in line with the Leeds Children and Young People's Plan 2023-2028

EPEC parenting courses are led by local volunteer parent group leaders, who have completed their EPEC training and receive ongoing training and supervision. They are supported by an EPEC parenting coordinator to ensure that volunteers have the skills and support to deliver high quality parenting courses. Being A Parent is an empowering, feel-good course which supports all parents.

The EPEC course is run across Leeds, but for this to continue we are looking for more volunteers. We need mums, dads and carers to become a parent groups leaders to deliver the Being a Parent (BAP) course.

If you have any questions or would like more information, we can come out to your team

meetings to share further information, we would love to meet you all, or you can of course call, 0113 3785079.

A polite reminder to all parents and carers:

Please respect our neighbours and help us to safeguard your children by parking legally when dropping off and collecting pupils. This includes not blocking paths and driveways or parking in front of the school gates or on double yellow lines.

Thank you for your support.

Friday 28th February 2025

Menu for week commencing **Monday 3rd March**. Please note, a vegetarian option is always available.

Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Savoury Mince & Herby Dumplings Seasonal Vegetables	Tortilla Pizza (V)(H) Jacket Wedges Seasonal Vegetables	Veggie Balls in a Tomato Sauce (VE)(H) Pasta Seasonal Vegetables	Pork Sausage Yorkshire Pudding Mashed Potatoes Seasonal Vegetables	Fish Fingers Chips (H) Seasonal Vegetables
Option 2 (vegetarian)	Omelette (V)(H) Jacket Wedges Seasonal Vegetables	Vegan Sausage Roll (VE)(H) Jacket Wedges Seasonal Vegetables	Mediterranean Pasta Bake (V)(H) Seasonal Vegetables	Vegetarian Sausage (VE)(H) Yorkshire Pudding Mashed Potatoes Seasonal Vegetables	Cheesy Bean Wrap (V)(H) Chips Seasonal Vegetables
Option 3	Wholemeal Cheese Sandwich Jacket Wedges (V)(H)	Jacket Potato Cheese & Coleslaw (V)(H)	Egg Mayonnaise Bap (V)(H) Jacket Wedges		Jacket Potato Baked Beans (V)(H)
Dessert	Vanilla Ice Cream Fresh Fruit	Chocolate Cookie Fresh Fruit	Lemon Sponge and Custard	Banana Oaty Slice	Butterscotch Cookie Fresh Fruit

	Dojo Champ:	Star of the Week:	Reason:
Foundation			
Nursery	Krishiv	Harris	For trying so hard to sort the initial sounds.
RB	Arthur	Ishaan	For settling in so well into Reception! :)
RC	Muhammad	Adan	For always having a tidy body on the carpet.
Year 1			
1F	Ayvia	Logan J	For showing improved learning behaviours and a good attitude to learning.
1R	Blake	Kendrick	For trying really hard during phonics all week for both reading and writing.
Year 2			
2F	Casely	Mitchelle	For a fabulous imaginative story for her assessment.
2G	Aaliyah	Nathaniel	For an amazing effort in phonics this week.
Year 3			
3BH	Karan	Renesmee	For excellent concentration and motivation in maths this week - well done!
3K	Holly	Kyle	For trying really hard in maths to understand measurement!
Year 4			
4B	Ava Y	Ryan	For his excellent hockey skills in PE this week!
4C	Farhad	Archie	For fantastic effort in all his lessons this week!
Year 5			
5W	Sonny	Harvey	For persevering superbly to learn difficult ideas in maths.
5S	Magdiel	Finley	For blending seamlessly into English lessons and sharing his ideas confidently, well done!
Year 6			
6N	Leah	Frankee	For blending seamlessly into English lessons and sharing her ideas confidently, well done!
6S	Alissia	Jasmin	For blending seamlessly into English lessons and sharing her ideas confidently, well done!

If your child is unable to attend school due to sickness or any other reason, please telephone: 01132930120 (option 1) or Text: 07624811850 **before 9:30am**.

Please Turn Over...