



The Grove Newsletter

Dear parents and carers,

We have decided to send home a newsletter fortnightly from today. If there is something urgent, then we will send out a message as needed to keep everyone informed.

Before the half term break, you will be receiving a copy of our annual parent/carer questionnaire. As always, we appreciate your views on what we are doing well and where we could make further improvements. I am looking in to whether I can send this out electronically as a survey but if not, you will all receive a paper copy. Please watch out for further communications about this.

There is also a mistake in our term dates, published in this newsletter. We finish at 2pm on Wednesday 20th December and not Thursday 21st.

Our Autumn Term Parent/Carer evenings will be taking place, via TEAMS, on Wednesday 11th October and Thursday 19th October. These are across two weeks as NCA have their Open Evening on the 12th. Please do book a slot to discuss how the academic year has started for your child. There are so many positives to share with you all.

Take care,

Mrs Rowe

Pirate Day in Nursery!





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Dates for your diary

Wednesday 11 th October	Parent/carer meetings (from 3.30pm)
Thursday 19 th October	Parent/carer meetings (from 4.30pm)
W/c 16 th October	Healthy Living Week
Friday 20 th October	School closes at 3.15 for the ½ term break
Monday 30 th October	INSET Day (Staff only)
Tuesday 12 th December	KS1/EYFS nativity (9.30am and 3.30pm - TBC)
Thursday 2 nd November	Next Bags2School collection starts
Wednesday 13 th December	Nursery singalong at The Good Shepherd
Thursday 21 st December at 2.00	School closes for the Christmas Break at 2pm (Orchard closes at 4pm)
Friday 5 th January 2024	School reopens to all pupils

Reminder – Primary School Place Applications for September 2024

If your child is 4 before 31 August 2024, then they are due to start reception next September.

You can apply for their school place now! Support is available from our Nursery manager with application form - by appointment only – please contact the Nursery directly to arrange a time.

Please be reminded that **being at the Grove Nursery does not guarantee a reception place at the Grove Primary school.** Nursery control their own admissions whereas school places are allocated by the local authority, and you will need to follow the correct application process.

Apply now



for a Reception school place for September 2024

If your child will be aged 4 by 31st August 2024

You need to apply NOW for a School place



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For further information please visit www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/admissions or contact your local School

Contact the Admissions Team by telephone 0345 045 1370
ALC2605, New Shire Hall, Emery Crescent, Enterprise Campus,
Alconbury Weald, PE28 4YE
or email admissions@cambridgeshire.gov.uk

Apply by 15th January 2024

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Attendance



Class Name	% attendance from Monday 18 th – Friday 29 th September
Gosling	95%
Wren	97%
Flamingo	91%
Ostrich	94%
Kookaburra	90%
Kingfisher	95%
Toucan	94%
Hummingbird	93%
Whole School	94%



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Rosettes at achievement assembly have been presented to:

Friday 22nd September

Hummingbird: Charlie H, Maddie

Toucan: Ayyub, Alishah

Kingfisher: Tahlia, Damian

Kookaburra: Dylan, T'ella

Ostrich: Ollie, Anaka

Flamingo: Sienna, Noah

Wren: Noah, Ollie

Gosling: Emi, Maks

Rosettes at achievement assembly have been presented to:

Friday 29th September

Hummingbird: Gracie, Lexi

Toucan: Anastasia, Valentine

Kingfisher: Lia, CF

Kookaburra: Dylan, Harshan

Ostrich: Stan, Somaya

Flamingo: Victor, Joel

Wren: Isaac, Samara

Gosling: Jacoby, Bella

Nursery: Charlie