



Grange View C.E. First School

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We aim to SPARKLE!

Dear Parents / Carers

04.11.2022

Let your light shine – Matthew 5:16



At Grange view we let our light shine, always sparkle and strive to achieve our God given potential.

Let your light shine brightly before others.

Matthew 5:16

Our Ethos

The children are living a Christian life where they aim to flourish and thrive, thinking about our core Christian Values; Friendship, Trust, Forgiveness, Respect and Wisdom to become lifelong learners.

PUMPKIN COMPETITION

Thank you to all who entered our annual Pumpkin Competition. The winners were:

Acorns – Freya, Oak – James, Beech – Neve, Chestnut – Amie, Willow – Robin. Well done everyone.

All left over pumpkins were put in our Forest School feed the birds and any of our woodland creatures!



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FRIENDS OF GRANGE VIEW

EXCITING NEWS FROM THE FRIENDS OF GRANGE VIEW

We are super excited to have been picked by the Co-op as one of their community causes. Please follow the link to select our school as your local cause and help raise money to make Grange View an even better place for the wellbeing of our children and the community. Thanks
<https://membership.coop.co.uk/causes/69235>

E-safety - Remember all you need is on our school website and Facebook page to support you at home with the internet and its use.
<http://www.grangeview.northumberland.sch.uk/website/esafety/102589>

Also, a Digital Parenting leaflet is coming home tonight, please read as it contains lots of useful information.

SCHOOL BINGO

Mr Guy's School bingo is back! Tuesday 15th November 7:00pm – 9:00pm. Doors open at 6:30pm. There will be a mixture of prizes for full lines/houses. £1 per book or full set of 6 books for £5. Refreshments available.

****** AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS – this term - £2 per club - Numbers and age limits for all clubs ******

Mon – No club due to lack of uptake

Tues – After school NUFC Sports club Or Singing club. LUNCHTIME CLUB- Change the World- KS2(Free)

Wed - Football

Thurs - Little Movers

If you would like to book your child into a club please contact the office, and then make payment via SIMS.

Remember – Payment must be made before your child attends after school club.

Applications for Reception places

Online Admissions Portal for First and Primary school admissions will be open on the 1st of November 2022.

https://schadm.northumberland.gov.uk/CitizenPortal_LIVE/en

If your child is currently in Nursery you will need to apply please.

*******NEW Diary Dates*******

- 8th Nov – KS2 National Glass Centre visit
- 9th Nov - BAGS to SCHOOL DEADLINE!
- 14th Nov - Road safety week starts
- 15th Nov – Mr Guy's School Bingo 7:00pm - Doors open 6:30pm.
- 16th Nov - Road Safety assembly - pupils only
- 18th Nov - Children in Need
- 8th Dec – Christmas Fair
- 12th Dec – Santa visit to school
- 13th Dec – Pantomime – Early Years
- 15th Dec – Pantomime – Years 1, 2, 3 & 4.
- 16th Dec - Christmas Film night in school – Years 1, 2, 3 & 4 from 3:15pm – 5:15pm
- 19th Dec Mon – Early Years performance 10am
- 20th Dec – Tues – KS1/KS2 Christmas performances 2pm and 5.30pm
- 21st Dec – Wed – Early Years Party am. KS1/KS2 Christmas performances 5.30pm
- 22nd Dec – Thurs - Christmas Lunch and jumper day
- 23rd Dec – KS1/2 party morning. School Closes at 2pm for Christmas

TT days - Mon 27th Feb 2023



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SIMS Online payments – COVID SAFE CASH FREE SYSTEM

Thank you to all of those who have already signed up and are using it. We cannot accept cash and the SIMS system is what should be used. You should have received an activation code via email and it is very quick and easy to set up. Please follow the online instructions to set this up to make any future payments. Any issues please email or call the office. Thank you.

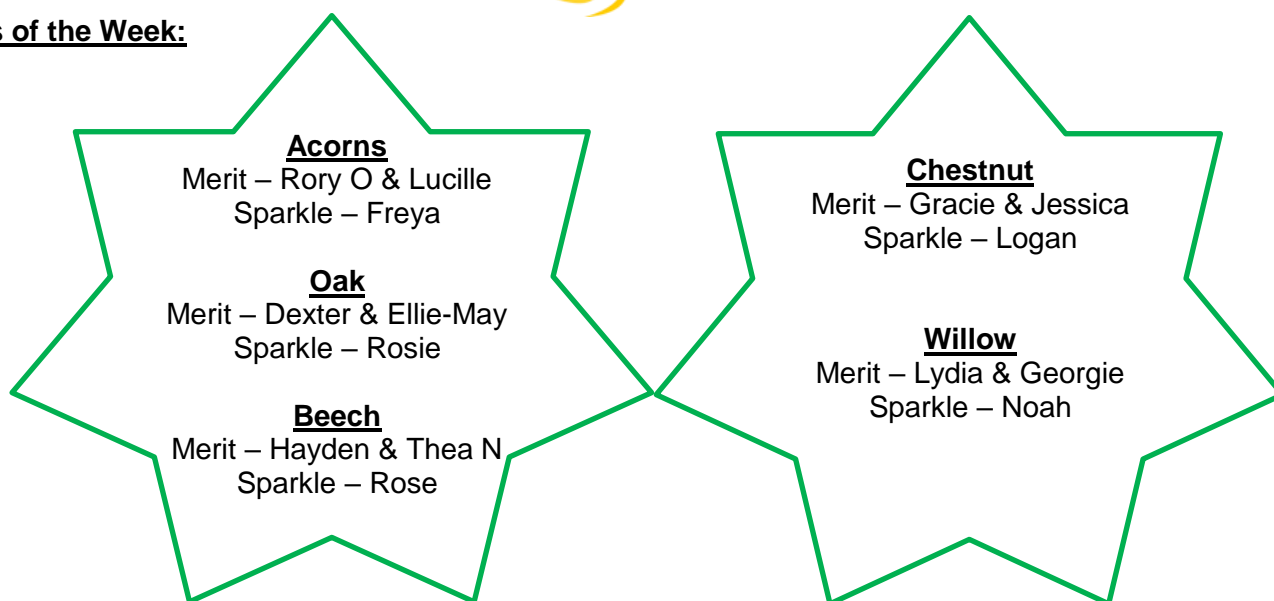
Please don't hesitate to contact us if you have any questions or concerns at

admin@grangeview.northumberland.sch.uk

**** Please note – no cash is to be brought into school unless we ask specifically (often for the Friends of Grange View events) All payments for school lunch, milk, uniform, trips etc. should all be made online.



Stars of the Week:



SPARKLE TEA – Daisy, Nicole Br, Olivia R & Nicole Ba

ATTENDANCE -The most important message is children should be in school as much as possible as every day that a child misses' school, for whatever reason, they miss out on vital learning.

Week ending: 21.10.2022



Well done to Chestnut Class who won with 97.8%

Acorns – 94.7%

Oak – 92.7%

Beech – 95.7%

Chestnut – 97.8%

Willow – 91.4%

Our school target continues at 97%. Whole school was 94.5%

Kind Regards,

Louise Laskey - Head Teacher





**YOUR
SCHOOL
LOTTERY**



SUPPORT OUR LOTTERY

**It's A
WIN-WIN
Situation!**

★ **BOOST School Funds**
★ **WIN up to £25,000**

**TICKETS
£1 EACH**



To start supporting, visit:

YourSchoolLottery.co.uk/play

and search for: Grange View C.E

Supporters must be 16 years of age or older.



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Safe to Learn section

This is a section on our newsletter where we will share and update any safeguarding information for all parents/carers to be aware of. Mrs Rebecca Griffin is our Chair of governors and safeguarding governor, Mrs Laskey and Mrs Chapman are our Designated Safeguarding Lead staff.



Mrs Laskey- Head



Mrs Chapman-Assistant Head

OPERATION ENCOMPASS INFORMATION

The original initiative was aimed at supporting children who are affected by domestic abuse. The next part of the project will help all children to learn about friendships, relationships, emotions and rules so that they can live and work together safely.

Operation Endeavour- This is an innovative project in which schools and colleges in Northumberland are participating, and which is run in partnership with Northumberland County Council and Northumbria Police.

Operation Endeavour commenced in November 2018, aims to support children and young people who go missing from home. Children who go missing from home are at risk of significant harm and they may be vulnerable to sexual exploitation, violent crime, gang exploitation, or to drug and alcohol misuse.

As a result, following any report of a child going missing to the Police, the Police will make contact with Children's Social Care who will then communicate relevant and necessary information to nominated school staff.

Each school has members of staff (key adults) who have been fully trained in liaising with the Police and Children's Social Care when required, and will ensure that the necessary support is made available to the child or young person following their return.

I believe that this project demonstrates our school's commitment to working in partnership to safeguard and protect children, and to providing the best possible care and support for our pupils.

Onecall

Onecall is the number for all adult social care, children's services and community health enquires in Northumberland. Helping the most vulnerable to keep safe and well 24-7.

Telephone - 01670 536400