



Grendon Primary School 20 June 2025

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Dear Parents,

As we are fast approaching the end of term, I just wanted to update you on arrangements for your child's annual report and our last parents evening of the year.

Your child will bring their report home on Friday 11th July. It will detail children's academic and pastoral progress and attainment and I'm sure will make you very proud - I am reading them all at the moment and am a very proud Headteacher!

Following that, on Monday 14th July, we will hold our usual 'drop in' parents evening straight after school from 3.25pm - 3.55pm. This is an opportunity to come into the classroom, look at your children's work and collect some to take home with you. It may help to bring a bag!

If, when you have read your child's report, you would like to raise anything with the class teacher, please email them directly using the usual year group contact email addresses, for example year4@grendon.bham.sch.uk for children in Year 4. Teachers will arrange a meeting to discuss the report with you.

Best wishes
Mrs Ridley

Uniform Purchasing



We have a limited amount of uniform in stock currently, and are due a delivery shortly in readiness for September. Please order this in the usual way through Schoolmoney.

Orders will be prepared and you will be notified when this is ready for collection from the office.

SUMMER HOLIDAY CLOSURE

School will close on Friday
18th July at 3:20pm.

Pupils return on:
Wednesday 3rd September.
Gates open at 8:40
School starts at 8:50

With just four weeks left of this academic year, we ask that you settle all outstanding dinner money, trips and music fees before you break up for summer. We are unable to extend credit and do not wish to refer debts to the Debt Collection Agency!



Thank you for your continued support.

We all had a wonderful evening at the Summer Fayre last night. Lots of fun was had by all, albeit a tad warm!
Thank you as always, for your support!
We raised an amazing
£1354.21

Congratulations to some of our prize winners, including:

Beat the Goalie: Harry 4H who wins the Puma Premier League Football

Wire Challenge - Mackenzie 5B who won £10.

Huge Bear was won by Nathan who correctly guessed Harrison as his name!

Hamper - Won by Noah in 6B.

Treasure Map - Mason (2B) who won the Smyths voucher.



I liked the bouncy castle (Dania 2B).

Scoring goals against Mr Goodman - (Clarke 2P).

I loved splashing Mr Feely (Rahim 2P).

I loved the Teddy Shop - there were so many (Maisie 2P).

I liked getting a tattoo of a cat, it's still on my hand (Hazel 2B).

"We liked spraying the fire hose, we got people very wet!" (Lola & Harper in 2P)

I liked catching a duck and winning a prize - Parker.

I liked winning prizes- Tilly.

LOOK WHAT'S HAPPENING!

June	Y6 Bike-ability Lessons.
26 June	Year 2 African Drumming Workshop.
2 July	Transition Day - Children will meet their new teachers and Y6 will visit their secondary schools.
8 July	Y1 Parent Share Session at 9am.
9 July	Y6 Leavers Assembly at 9:15am.
10 July	Y6 Leavers Disco.
11 July	Junior Leader Day - House Day.
14 July	Annual Reports out to parents.
14-16 July	'Drop in' Parents Evening.
15 July	Blackwell Court Residential.
16 July	End of Year Awards Assembly KS1.
17 July	End of Year Awards Assembly KS2.
18 July	School closes for summer holidays at 3:20pm.
21 July	School closed to pupils-Teacher Training Day.

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1st & 2nd September 2025 - School closed to pupils for Teacher Training Day.

3rd September - School opens to pupils.

Full details of events will be sent out in advance and be on our website.
Dates correct at time of going to print!

Local Authority Term Dates 2025 - 2026

Summer Term 2025

Term Starts: Monday 28 April
Half Term: Monday 26 May to Friday 31 May
Term Ends: Monday 21 July 2025

Autumn Term 2025

Term Starts: Monday 1 September 2025
Half Term: Monday 27 October to Friday 31 October
Term Ends: Friday 19 December 2025

Spring Term 2026

Term Starts: Monday 5 January 2026
Half Term: Monday 16 February to Friday 20 February
Terms ends: Friday 27 March

Teacher Training Days when school is closed to pupils:
21 July 2025

1st & 2nd September 2025
3rd November 2025
5th January 2026
20th July 2026

Year 6 have been working very hard on their Fiver Challenge work this half-term. This is an exciting series of lessons where children have been making, planning and creating their own business products.



On Friday 27th June from 1.30pm - 3.00pm, we will be inviting Year 6 parents to come and visit their children's stall in the KS1 (6N) and KS2 (6B) halls. We will be also be inviting all children from Key Stage Two to visit the 'Fiver stalls'; we would recommend around 50p to make a purchase but no more than £2 will be required.

FIVER CHALLENGE

During this very hot spell, please can we remind you to apply sun cream before school, send your child in with a drink and sun hat. If your child suffers with hay fever please give medication before bringing to school. Thank you!



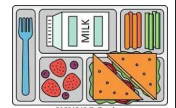
House Cup Challenge

Do you want your House to win the house cup?
Would you do anything you can to help?

From now and the remaining part of summer term, we are launching an exciting reading challenge. We are challenging you to read as many of our eBooks as you can. eBooks have lots of exciting new books and all you have to do is to log in to access them. If you have never logged in before you can find full instructions on our website under 'Our school - Library tab.' The ten children that have read the most books by Friday 4th July will receive 10 house points!!! The overall winner will win a further ten house points making that twenty in total. Just to note, we will be moderating this as books checked out for a time shorter than it would take to read them, will not count! These points could really make a difference to the end of year race to get the most house points to be crowned 'House Cup' winners! The challenge begins today!
Can you make the difference to your House's overall house point score?
The challenge is on!



UNIVERSAL FREE SCHOOL MEALS



The Government-funded Universal Free School Meal scheme allows children in Reception - Year 2 to have a free school meal. For children moving into Year 3 in September, this arrangement will no longer apply.

Children who are not entitled to benefits related free school meals, can continue to have school meals at a cost of £2.60 per day/£13.00 per week (payable via School-money), or they can bring their own lunch from home.

It would be helpful if you could let us know what option you would prefer before we break up for the summer term.

Thank you,
Mrs Lewis

PARKING

We do appreciate how busy Grendon Road is during peak times, but ask you not to park on the yellow zigzags outside the school gates or on the pavement. The children's safety is put at risk when this occurs and you need to consider this when dropping off and collecting your children. **DO NOT PARK OVER DRIVEWAYS OR BLOCK PATHWAYS.**

We constantly receive complaints from local residents and ask that you be considerate when parking your car. Residents have been advised to contact Billesley Police with any parking issues/abusive behaviour.



Toilets

Please be aware we do not have toilets for public use.



Office Opening Hours



8:40 - 9:00am
3:10 - 3:30pm

