



Green Oak Church of England Primary School and Nursery

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Newsletter 6

'Together we care, learn and achieve' has been our new vision for the school this year which underpins all that we do for our children at Green Oak. Without your support in this, we would not be able to ensure the children reach their full potential across the curriculum. I would like to thank you for all that you have done this term for the children and the school and I look forward to continuing to work with you all next year.

I hope you all have a very Happy Christmas with your families and a relaxing and enjoyable New Year.

Best Wishes to you all

Mrs Leftley

READING REWARDS

As you are aware our expectation is that all children at Green Oak will read 5 times a week at least. To support this we motivate the children with rewards in school including 5 house points every week, 5 minutes extra play every week and whole class reading treats for the half termly winners. In the New Year we will be adding to these rewards and including a whole school average to show how we are improving as a school. Displayed in reception every day you can see our daily percentages, the weekly percentages will now be recorded on the newsletter as you see below. We will initially be aiming to hit a school target of 80% and **the children who have read 5 times a week** to help us hit that target will have 8 minutes extra play when we achieve it. The target will then rise to 90% resulting in 9 minutes extra play until we reach 100% when the children will hit the jackpot and have an extra 20 minutes play! This is in addition to the current weekly class treat of 5 minutes extra play for the all the R.E.D children in classes over 70%.

Please help your children to hit their target by reading every day at home and signing their diaries

100% attendance Roll of Honour for the Autumn Term

Maple

Elisa-Marie Onar

Beech

Noah Ferguson

Amity-Rose Francis

Ash

Phoebe Elliot

Alfie Francis

Scarlett Heather

Willow

Alannah Quartermain

Theo Turner

Maddison Underwood

Rowan

Jake Lloyd

Hawthorn

Ben Oakley

Oscar Turner

CONGRATULATIONS!

DIARY DATES

Wed 19 Dec Break up at 1.15pm

**HAVE A VERY MERRY
CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW
YEAR!**

22 Dec- 2 Jan Christmas Break

Thurs 3 Jan School starts 8.50am

Mon 28 Jan... Growth Mindset workshop 3pm

Wed 30 Jan.....Y5/6 Houses of Parliament trip

Fri 15 Feb Break up at 3.20pm

Mon 18 Feb – Fri 22 FebHalf term

Mon 25 Feb INSET day

Tues 26 Feb.....School starts



WHOLE SCHOOL

**Read Every Day
percentage**

**Week beginning
10.12.18:**

73%

JUMP-ER FOR JOY!

Well done - you raised £50 for Save the Children on our Christmas Jumper Day last Friday 14th December. Thank you!



Save the Children
**CHRISTMAS
JUMPER DAY**

Get teaching

The Godalming Learning Partnership are offering opportunities to get into teaching with the support of Winchester University.

Apply now to start next September. Find out more at: www.getteaching.org

OCTOTS: Expressions of Interest

St Peters and St Pauls' Church, Godalming is looking for an enthusiastic and caring person to oversee Octots, its thriving parent and toddler group that meets on a Monday and Wednesday morning, and to be a recognised link between the church and young families.

The term-time role is flexible with hours and terms to be negotiated. If you would like to find out more, please email an 'expression of interest' to the Parish office: godalming.church.office@gmail.com

They would be delighted to hear from you.

THIS WEEK'S STARS!



Star of the Week



Academic Stars

7th December 2018

Hedgehogs: Amy Flint

Maple: Brooke Anderson

Beech: Scarlet Turner

Ash: Theo Anton

Willow: Lily Loosley

Rowan: Levi Ferguson

Hawthorn: Charlie Wicks

14th December 2018

Hedgehogs: Kaleb Anderson

Maple: Matei Neascu

Beech: Freddie Ridout

Ash: Janek Dudzik

Willow: Liam Bontoft

Rowan: Hollie Shrubsall

Hawthorn: Charlie Ford

7th December 2018

Hedgehogs: Kaleb Anderson

Maple: Ronnie Hollingsworth

Beech: Amity-Rose Francis

Ash: Alfie Francis

Willow: Sophia Cepkauskas

Rowan: Reece Webber

Hawthorn: Cameron Underwood

14th December 2018

Hedgehogs: Amy Flint

Maple: Aaliyah Robbery

Beech: Bill Bagley

Ash: Jacob Staniford

Willow: Willow Twynham

Rowan: Levi Ferguson

Hawthorn: Cateland Flint

ATTENDANCE STARS!

Congratulations to Ash class who have had 100% attendance this week. Well done!

Glory to God in the highest, and on Earth peace, good will toward men.
Luke 2:14