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Stars of the Week

Well done to all our stars of the week this week. We have been so impressed by all the hard work and effort that has gone into achieving this award.



Year Group	Name	Name
Reception	Raphy	Lamayah
Year 1	Melody	Bohdan
Year 2	Arthur	Noah C
Year 3	Sydney	Hope
Year 4	Arlo	Cerys
Year 5	Leo H	Arabelle
Year 6	Pooja	Patrick

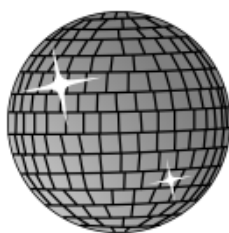
SAVE THE DATE!



FROGGS EVENTS

These events are organised by the FROGGS team to provide fun opportunities for the children and to also raise funds for new equipment and resources for school.

5th October - FROGGS AGM (School Studio) - 7pm
We will be electing a Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Secretary and Treasurer. In order for FROGGS to continue running this year we need as many parents to attend and as much input as possible. Please come along and have your say!



19th October - UV Light Disco's (School Hall)
Nursery & Reception - 4.30pm - 5.15pm
Year 1,2 and 3 - 5.30pm - 6.30pm
Year 4, 5 and 6 - 6.45pm - 7.45pm

25th October - Deadline to order Christmas cards

3rd November - Liquid Art Social
(Painting and Drink Party for adults only)
Time TBC (7/7.30pm) (School Hall or Studio)



24th November - Non-uniform (donation for Rainbow Raffle - full details to follow)

1st December - Non-uniform (bring a bottle)
Christmas Fayre & Santa's Grotto (School Hall) - **after school**



8th December - Secret Santa Shopping - **during school day**

For further information on each event please see the weekly bulletin on ParentMail and keep an eye out on our Facebook group (Parents and Teachers of George Grenville Academy). There may be further event dates added to the calendar so keep your eyes peeled!

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Volunteers **Still** Needed for FROGGS UV Light Disco

Thank you to those people who have signed up to help at the discos. We still need some volunteers for set up at 3.30 – 4.30, The Year 4/5/6 disco and pack down at 7.45 – 8.15. Please follow the link below to sign up. The more people helping, the quicker set up and pack down will be.

Thank you for being part of the FROGGS Team.

- > Set up disco 3:30pm – 4:30pm

- > Nursery/Reception Disco 4:15pm – 5:30pm

- > Year 1/2/3 Disco 5:15pm – 6:30pm

- > Year 4/5/6 Disco 6:30pm – 7:45pm

- > Pack down 7:45pm – 8:15pm



Please sign up using the link below:

<https://signup.com/go/NSfkXYQ>

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**BOLLYWOOD
BEATS with BOBBY**

KEEP FIT DANCE CLASSES

Tuesday - 6:30-7:30pm
£6 per class

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The staff and children in Year One would like to say a special thank you to two members of the community who have gone above and beyond helping them set up their new learning environments. Their indoor and outdoor classrooms look fantastic and the children have already gained so many different learning opportunities from these areas.



Thank you to John Burgess for the brilliant planters for their garden area.



Thank you to Gerald Bush for the super spelling tree and mud kitchen.





HARVEST ASSEMBLY

We will be holding our Harvest Assembly on Friday 6th October at 2:30pm. Please feel free to join us in the school hall.

As it is Harvest, we invite the children to bring in food donations for the Buckingham Food Bank. Please note they will NOT take donations of fresh food. A suggested list is below:

- Any tinned food
- Dried food (Pasta, rice, soup)
- Cereal
- Biscuits



Year 5 will then have the opportunity to launch their Citizenship Award by taking the food directly to the food bank on our behalf. If you have any spare shopping bags they could have to help them, this would also be appreciated.

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NURSERY CORNER

We have really been enjoying our two clubs this term, Soft Gym and Singing with Sarah. We have two sessions a week with Mr Goodwin, Tuesday morning and Wednesday morning and we see Sarah on a Tuesday morning also. If you would like to know more about our nursery clubs please feel free to chat to a member of staff.



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Reception

Reception have been very busy this week learning about Harvest while reading the book "The Little Red Hen." They have also harvested the vegetables planted by the Reception class last year which are all very impressive. Well done everyone!

Year 1

Year 1 have been busy mathematicians this week. They have been matching numbers with the written word and they have been working on adding on one more to a number. They have also been noticing the changes in the season and adding what they have found to our class tree.



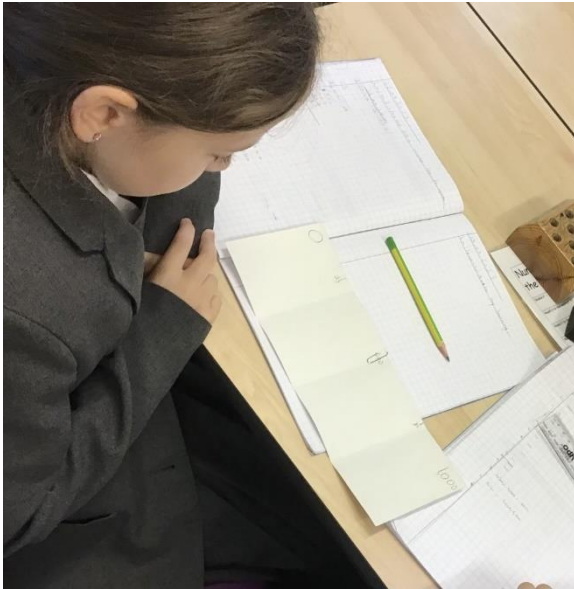
Year 2

This week, Year 2 have been learning about how William the Conqueror impacted the building of castles and how these changed over time. They have also investigated how materials can be moulded and changed by using salt dough to make dragons.

Year 3

Year 3 have loved reading the story Cinderella of the Nile. They enjoyed paired reading and have loved using the VIPERs skill explain to talk about why things have happened



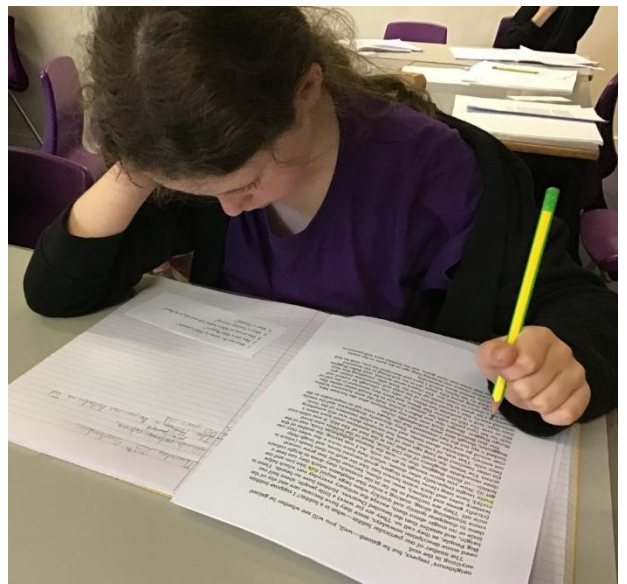


Year 4

This week, Year 4 used paper and paper clips to help them understand estimating on a number line. Using their skills of making numbers 10, 100 and 1,000 times bigger, they physically placed the paper clip where they estimated numbers would be also using the language of half , quarter and three quarters.

Year 5

This week, Year 5 have been identifying key words in comprehension questions to help them scan a text and answer retrieval questions accurately and confidently.



Year 6

Year 6 loved getting arty (and Christmassy) this week whilst making their Christmas cards using a variety of water colour techniques

School Calendar

Please keep visiting the calendar page on our website to ensure you have all the most up to date information.

Autumn Term Key Dates

Thursday 5th October – FROGGS AGM (7pm) ALL Parents/Carers welcome

Friday 6th October – Harvest Assembly 2.30pm

Wednesday 18th October – Year 2 Trip to Warwick Castle

Thursday 19th October – FROGGS UV Light Disco

Friday 20th October – **BREAK UP FOR HALF TERM**

21st October – 30th October – **HALF TERM**

Monday 30th October – **NO SCHOOL** – Staff INSET

Tuesday 31st October – **School Starts Back**

Week Beginning 31st October – Off By Heart Poetry Class Competition

Friday 3rd November – FROGGS Liquid Art Party (Evening – adults only)

Friday 10th November 10.45am – Whole School remembrance Assembly

Friday 17th November – Children in Need (non-uniform)

Friday 24th November – Non-Uniform (FROGGS Rainbow Raffle collection)

Friday 1st December 9am – Christmas Tress Decorating Assembly

Friday 1st December 3.15pm – FROGGS Christmas Fair

Friday 8th December – Secret Santa

Monday 11th December – Year 4 Christmas Unwrapped

Tuesday 12th December – Christmas Dinner Day

Thursday 14th December – Reception and KS1 Nativity at 2pm and 5pm

Monday 18th December – Christmas Party Day

Tuesday 19th December – Christmas Carols at 12pm – 1pm at Buckingham Parish Church

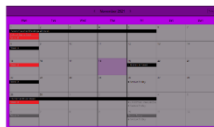
Tuesday 19th December at 1pm – **BREAK UP FOR CHRISTMAS**

20th December – 3rd January – **CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS**

3rd January – **NO SCHOOL** – Staff INSET

Thursday 4th January – **School Starts Back**

Wednesday 24th January – Young Voices Concert



<https://www.georgegrenville.co.uk/school-calendar.html>