

Gorse Covert Primary School

April News

Parent Questionnaire

Thank you to all the parents who have completed the questionnaire and for all the lovely comments. This will close on Friday so if you haven't yet completed it, please do so before Friday. For those who have not given us your email address, there will be some paper copies that you can complete on Parents' Evening.

Curriculum

We are currently reviewing our curriculum and would like to get your views on what we currently offer and what you would like to see us place greater emphasis on. A questionnaire will be emailed out to those whose email addresses we have.

Sports Day

Our annual Sports Day is planned for Wednesday 12th June. Juniors will have their races in the morning and the Infants in the afternoon. A reserve date is set for the 18th June.

A decision will be taken in the morning as to whether the event will go ahead.

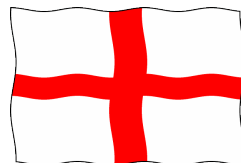
Easter Assembly

Our Y3/4 children will be performing their Easter Assembly on Wednesday morning at 9am.



St George's Day

On the 23rd April we would like to invite children to come dressed in red and white to help celebrate St George's Day. St George is also the patron saint of Scouting so if children are a member of Brownies, Rainbows, Beavers, Cubs, Scouts or Guides, they may choose to come to school dressed in their respective uniforms instead.



Extra Clubs and Activities

KS2 Choir

Thursdays 3.15-4.15

WSA Dodgeball Y3-6

Thursdays 3.15-4.30pm

WSA Cheerleading/Dance YR-Y2

Fridays 3.15-4.30pm

Y5/6 Netball

Thursday 3.15-4.15pm

Baking Club Y3/4

Wednesdays 3.15-4.15

Book Club Y3-6

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Zumba YR-Y3

Tuesdays 3.15-4.15

Cross-Country Y3-6

8-8.45am

Skipping Y2

3.15-4pm

Morning Clubs

Tuesday Gymnastics Y3-6

Please let staff know if your child will not be attending a club.

School Holidays

School will close at the earlier time of 2.15pm on Friday 5th April and opens again on TUESDAY 23rd April.

School will also be closed for the Bank holiday on Monday 6th May.

E-Safety

Please check the apps your children are using and ensure the privacy settings are set to 'private'. There are a number of apps that children are using that have been identified as accessible to predators.

Birthday assembly

There will be a Birthday assembly on Monday 29th April at 2.45pm for children in Reception and Preschool who have a birthday in January, February, March and April.

Parents are welcome to attend.



Donations

THANK
YOU!

Thank you for all your generous donations to the NSPCC and our PTA last week. You helped raise £220 for each.

Appointments

We understand that on some occasions it may be necessary to make an appointment during the school day although it is preferred that all appointments are in the school holidays or after school. If such an appointment is required, it is expected that you still bring your child into school either before or after the appointment, rather than taking a full day or half day off school. Towards the end of the school day is always preferable for an appointment rather than in the morning.

Advance Notices

Easter Assembly Y3/4
Wednesday 3rd April 9am

Parents' Evening
Thursday 4th April

Y2 Residential
25-26th April

Y4 Residential
29th April-1st May

Mrs Gilbert's class assembly
Wednesday 8th May 9am

Y6 SATS
13-16th May

Mrs Moat's class assembly
Wednesday 22nd May 9am

Sports Day
12th June
Reserve -18th June

Mrs Nicolaidis' class assembly
Wednesday 19th June 9am

Class photos
Monday 24th June

Mr Keen's class assembly
Wednesday 24th June 9am

Y1/2 Gymnastics display
Friday 12th July 9am

Attendance Awards
for
Spring Term

Miss Ireland
98%

Mrs Moat 97.8%

Mr Dean 97.7%