



# School Newsletter

## Attendance this week

**Full School - 93.79%**

**EYFS/KS1 - 2KR**

**95.93%**

**KS2 - 3DC**

**98.41%**

## After School Activities

### **Monday**

Year 4 Football  
Year 5 & Year 6 Art Club

### **Tuesday**

Year 6 Football  
Year 3 & Year 4 Art Club

### **Wednesday**

Year 5 Badminton

The clubs take place from 3.30 until 4.30pm.  
If your child would like a place at one of the clubs, please contact the school office on 794122.

## **A Message from Miss Pitts**

I am extremely proud of all of the Griffin pupils who have impressed this week. Many were chosen to speak to the Ofsted inspectors about their learning and about the school. All spoke confidently and were happy to answer any questions they were asked. We will get confirmation of our final grade and the written report in a month. As soon as we get this, we will share it with all parents and carers as I know you will be keen to find out the outcome.

This week we have introduced TEAM points across our classrooms for pupils to be rewarded for their teamwork, effort, attitude and manners. The winning team in each class at the end of the week receive a reward to celebrate their success. The pupils are keen to win points for their teams and there will be some close scores in the classes at the end of today!

Miss Pitts, Head of School

## Remembrance Day Poppies

We are pleased that we have some poppies in school for the pupils to buy ahead of Remembrance Day on Thursday 11th November 2021.

If you would like your child to have one, please send them with a donation and they will have the opportunity to buy one during the day. We will be selling them from tomorrow and at the start of next week. If possible, please send the donation in a named envelope which the class teacher can look after.

## Contact Us

Call 01482 794122

Select **option 1** to report absences.

Select **option 2** to speak to a member of staff.

Email:

[griffin.enquiries@vennacademy.org](mailto:griffin.enquiries@vennacademy.org)

## Important Information

School times: 8.55am - 3.30pm

Thursdays: 8.55am - 1.45pm

**Gates open at 8.35am and 3.10pm daily.**

**Gates close at 8.55am daily.**

**On Thursday, gates open at 1.25pm.**

### School Doors

- Red Door - Reception
- Green Door - Year 1/2
- Yellow Door - Year 3 and 4TW
- White (old breakfast club) Door - 4DG
- Blue Door - Year 5/6

## Lunch menu online

<https://griffinprimaryschool.org.uk/lunch-menu/>

## PE Days

MON	TUES	WEDS	THURS	FRI
3SS	RCM	RSW	2KR	1BC
3DC	6BA	5NK	2HC	1ZC
4TH	6ZM	4TW		5DG
	6ES			

## **Dinner Money**

If your child is in Year 3-6 and enjoys school dinners, unless you receive Free School Meals, you will need to pay £1.50 per day on ParentMail.

Pupils in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 do not need to pay.

If you need any help, please email us at:

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## Reading Corner

- After the success of our first couple of **Griffin Book Swap** events, it will be a regular feature, on the first Thursday of every month.
- Remember to use **Bug Club** with your child this term, and continue to encourage **reading for pleasure** at home. Children in Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 bring home a book each week for sharing and enjoying together with their family.
- Pupils in Year 1 and 2 will be bringing home a sheet each week which shows the learning they have done in Phonics.  
Please use this to practice graphemes, words and sentences with your child.
- The club will be visiting each Hull library from Nov 21 – March 22 and their first stop is Central Library! This event is suitable for under 16's.

**It's FREE but you must book a ticket via this link!!**

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/beats-bus-beats-club-central-library-tickets-201561103687>

## Covid-19 - safety first

Please continue to keep yourself and others safe by getting a test if you suspect you, or your child, may have Covid-19.

Please email any test results to:

[griffin.enquiries@vennacademy.org](mailto:griffin.enquiries@vennacademy.org)