



Attendance this week

Full School

95.41%

EYFS/KS1 best attenders

RCM

100%

KS2 best attenders

6ZM

98.83%

A Message from Miss Pitts

It has been great to welcome back the pupils this week after half term. I have enjoyed visiting the classrooms and looking at the work the pupils are producing in a range of different subjects - especially when pupils are proud to show off work they have completed.

Please remember that only Year 5 and 6 pupils are allowed to bring mobile phones to school, especially if they walk to and from school on their own. Mobile phones must be handed in at the start of each day and collected at the end.

Next week is Anti-bullying week and we are looking forward to pupils wearing odd socks on Monday as part of this. It is also Children in Need next Friday, more details about this will follow shortly.

Miss Pitts,
Principal



Griffin's Instagram

Contact Us

Call 01482 794122

Select **option 1** to report absences.

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

Email:

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Important Information

School doors open at 8.40am.

School ends at 3.30pm, except on a Thursday when it ends at 1.50pm.

Gates open at 8.30am 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 and 2
- Yellow Door - Year 3 and 4JL
- White Door - 4SS
- Blue Door - Year 5 and 6

Times Table Fact of the Week

Our Times Table fact of the week is ...

$8 \times 5 = 40$ $40 \div 5 = 8$

$5 \times 8 = 40$ $40 \div 8 = 5$

Attendance this week by class

Nursery	87.95%
RCM	100%
RLS	97.22%
1CS	97.41%
1MM	95.93%
2KR	89.29%
2SS	95.06%
3DC	96.55%
3SH	93.65%
4JL	98.47%
4MH	96.93%
5BA	96.03%
5SP	92.86%
6AH	96.49%
6TW	90.56%
6ZM	98.83%

Reading at home

READING AT HOME

Thank you for your support in hearing your child read at home. As well as their home reading book, your child will also be bringing home a bookmark. Every time they are heard read at home, please put your initials in a circle on the bookmark. When the bookmark is full, pupils add them to one of our reading prize boxes. Once a half term a prize draw will take place and a number of pupils will win a book from the Bookinator and a bookmark! Reading books and bookmarks will be sent home on a Monday and must be returned each Friday.

HALF-TERM PRIZE DRAW TO WIN A BOOK AND BOOKMARK!

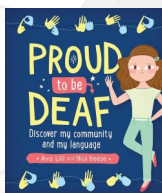
Reading Corner



This term, children across school will have the opportunity to complete our whole-school scrap book



celebrating non-fiction. Non-Fiction November is a celebration of factual materials to celebrate reading for information, to expand knowledge, and to explore individual interests. As research demonstrates, providing pupils with the opportunity to read and explore non-fiction plays a vital role in helping them to learn about their world, as well as fostering reading for pleasure. Here is a little taste of some of the books that will be on offer.



Griffin Values

The focus for the week after half term is:

Teamwork

Oddsocks Day

Next week is National Anti-bullying Week. The chosen theme for this year is 'Power for Good'. We would like to begin anti-bullying week by inviting all children to wear brightly coloured, odd socks on **Monday 10th November 2025** to celebrate how each of us is unique.