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Newsletter

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Year 6 SATs Message

As we head towards SATs next week, we want you to know how incredibly proud we are of you. You have worked hard all year, shown resilience, kindness and determination and that effort really matters.

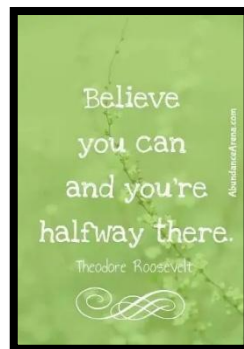
SATs are just a small snapshot of what you know on a few days – they do **not** define you, your intelligence or the amazing people you are becoming. What truly counts is that you try your best and believe in yourselves.

Remember, you are not facing this alone. Your teachers are here to support you, we believe in you completely and we know you are ready. Take your time, stay calm and do what you can – that is always enough.

This weekend, make sure you get plenty of rest, eat well and smile.

Whatever the results, you will always be valued and celebrated for who you are.

Good luck, Year 6 – you've got this 😊



Transition

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Attendance



Whole School Attendance

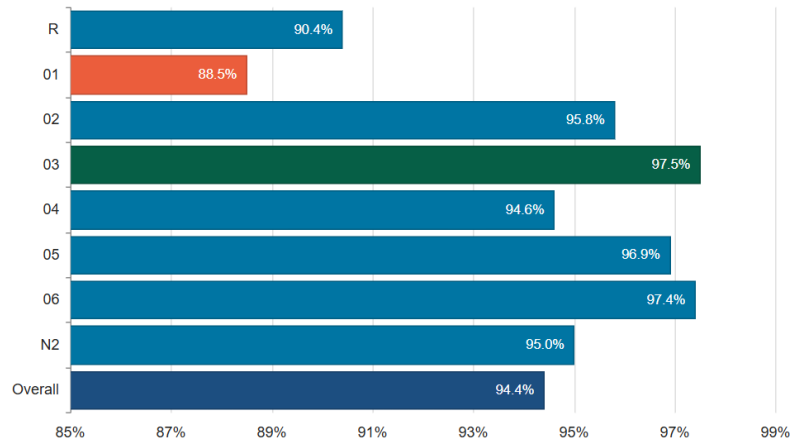
Attendance



School attendance has dipped this week to 94.4%

Well done to **Year 3** for the best attendance this week at 97.5%!

Each of the year groups with over 97% attendance will receive a certificate to add to their class collection. Children will decide on their whole year group reward once they have achieved 6 certificates.



Leading Parent Partnership Award

Over the last 18 months, we have been working hard towards achieving the Leading Parent Partnership Award (LPPA) through Optimus Education. This nationally recognised award focuses on strengthening partnerships between schools and parents, ensuring that families are meaningfully involved in school life and children's learning.

We are incredibly proud to announce that, following a thorough moderation visit this week, our school has been successfully awarded the LPPA. During the visit, the assessor spent time speaking with staff, pupils and parents and reviewed our practice and evidence in detail. The positive feedback received recognised the strong relationships we have built with families and our commitment to open, respectful and effective communication.

We would like to thank our parents and carers for their ongoing support, engagement and feedback, which have been central to achieving this award. We are also extremely proud of our staff and pupils, whose contributions helped demonstrate the inclusive and welcoming ethos of our school.

Partnership with parents remains a key priority for us and we look forward to continuing to work closely with you as we build on this success.



OUR SCHOOL HAS ACHIEVED THE

Leading Parent Partnership Award

Developing positive relationships with parents

2026 - 2029



Accredited by OPTIMUS EDUCATION

[Pye Green Academy Facebook](#)

Thank you to all the parents and carers who have already joined and supported our official school Facebook page.

We are delighted to share that 87 parents are now following our page and we really appreciate your engagement.

We will continue to use the page to share learning highlights and celebrations from across the school.

Over the coming weeks, we will also begin to post key events, reminders and important dates, helping families stay informed about what is happening in school.

Please be reassured that email communication will continue as normal and important information will always be shared directly with parents and carers through our usual channels.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.



[Find our Facebook page by clicking here](#)

[Supervision of Children](#)

I would like to politely remind parents and carers that before and after the school day, children remain the responsibility of their parents/carers or accompanying family members while on the school site, including all playground areas.

To ensure everyone's safety, children should stay with their adult at all times and should not run across playgrounds or towards gates. We also ask that children do not use school equipment outside of school hours, including equipment in the EYFS outdoor area, as this is for supervised school use only.

Your support in ensuring children are closely supervised and safe before and after school is greatly appreciated.

Thank you for working with us to keep our playgrounds calm and safe for everyone.



[Office Opening Times](#)

Just a reminder that the school office is open between 8.30am and 4.00pm each day. Telephones are not manned outside of these hours.

If you are calling to report your child's absence, there is an option to leave a message at any time by selecting Option 1 on the telephone system. These messages will be picked up by the office team when the school reopens.

Emails can also be sent to enquiries@pga.greenheartlearning.org and these will be accessed during working hours.

Thank you for your cooperation and support.

[Online Trend Safety Information](#)

Today, you will have received an email regarding an important safety message about an online trend leading to injuries in children and young people.

This trend involves young people microwaving certain 'squishy toys' which can cause significant burns. Age-appropriate conversations have taken place in classrooms today regarding this.

Please see the attached parent/carer guide to support in discussing this with your child.





[Also Attached to the Newsletter This Week](#)

Managing Exam Stress – many children, including older siblings will be sitting exams in the next few months. Find examples of how to support family members in this document.

Managing Screentime – a guide for parents and carers,

[What's Happening Next Week](#)

**KS2 SATS
are next
week**

[Upcoming Events – More Details to Follow](#)

- Monday 11th May to Thursday 14th May 2026** – Key Stage 2 SATs
- Wednesday 20th May 2026** – Year 4 Parent Lunch
- Wednesday 20th May 2026** – No Pens Day (supporting communication and promoting discussion)
- Thursday 21st May 2026** – Year 4 Cannock Chase Trip
- Friday 22nd May 2026** – PTFA Cake Sale on the Playground
- Monday 1st June 2026** – **INSET DAY (School Closed to Pupils)**
- Tuesday 2nd June 2026** – Year 5 Visit to Carding Mill Valley
- Friday 5th June 2026** – Tempest Photography Reception and Year 6
- Friday 5th June 2026** – Football Tournament
- Tuesday 9th June 2026** – NEW Reception Pupils Stay and Play @ 9.15am
- Tuesday 9th June 2026** – NEW Reception Pupils Stay and Play @ 1.00pm
- Thursday 11th June 2026** - NEW Reception Pupils Stay and Play @ 9.15am
- Thursday 11th June 2026** - NEW Reception Pupils Stay and Play @ 1.00pm
- Friday 12th June 2026** – Family Picnic (Change of DATE)
- Thursday 18th June 2026** – Nursery Trip to Lower Drayton Farm
- Tuesday 23rd June 2026** – Year 5 Sports Day from 9.30am
- Wednesday 24th June 2026** – Year 1 Sports Day from 9.30pm
- Wednesday 24th June 2026** – Year 2 Sports Day from 1.30pm
- Wednesday 24th June 2026** – Year 5 Parent Lunch
- Thursday 25th June 2026** – Year 4 Sports Day from 9.30pm
- Thursday 25th June 2026** – Reception Sports Day from 1.30pm
- Friday 26th June 2026** – Year 3 Sports Day from 9.30am
- Friday 26th June 2026** – Year 1 Visit to Dudley Zoo
- Friday 26th June 2026** – PTFA Colour Run
- Tuesday 30th June 2026** – Reception Trip to Marquis Drive
- Wednesday 1st July 2026** – Transition Afternoon 1
- Wednesday 1st July 2026** – Meet the Teacher 4.00pm onwards (details to follow)
- Thursday 2nd July 2026** - Nursery Sports Day at 2.30pm
- Thursday 2nd July 2026** – Year 2 Trip to Blackpool
- Thursday 2nd July 2026** – Year 5 Design and Technology Workshop
- Friday 3rd July 2026** – Year 4 Viking Day
- Wednesday 8th July 2026** - Transition Afternoon 2
- Wednesday 8th July 2026** – Year 6 Leaver's Evening
- Friday 10th July 2026** – Trip to Parliament (NEW) details to follow

Wednesday 15th July 2026 – Year 6 Escape Room (PTFA)

Friday 17th July 2026 – PTFA Cake Sale on the Playground

Monday 20th July 2026 - INSET DAY (School Closed to Pupils)

Thursday 7th January 2027 – Young Voices

Crucial Assessment Dates for 2025/2026

Throughout May 2026 – Y2 SATS tests (Please do not book holidays this month)

Monday 11th May – Thursday 14th May 2026 – Year 6 SATS (Please do not book holidays this week)

Monday 1st June – Friday 12th June 2026 – Y4 Times Tables Check (Please do not book holidays this fortnight)

Monday 8th June – Friday 12th June 2026 – Year 1 Phonics Screening Week (Please do not book holidays this week)

Dates for 2026/2027 can be found by following the link <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/primary-assessments-future-dates>

TERM DATES
2025/2026 and 2026/2027

Spring Term 2026

Holiday: Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February 2026

Term Ends: Friday 27th March 2026

Holiday: Monday 30th March – Friday 10th April 2026

Easter Sunday: Sunday 5th April 2026

Summer Term 2026

Term Starts: Monday 13th April 2026

May Day: Monday 4th May 2026

Thursday 7th May 2026 - Polling Day School closed to children

Holiday: Monday 25th May – Friday 29th May 2026

Monday 1st June 2026 INSET DAY – School closed to children (INSET DAY 4)

Term Ends: Friday 17th July 2026

Monday 20th July INSET DAY – School closed to children (INSET DAY 5)

Holiday: Monday 20th July – Monday 31st August 2026

Academic Year 2026/2027

Autumn Term 2026

Tuesday 1st September 2026 (INSET DAY 1)

Wednesday 2nd September 2026 (INSET DAY 2)

Term Starts: Thursday 3rd September 2026

Half Term: Monday 26th October – Friday 30th October 2026

Term Ends: Friday 18th December 2026

Spring Term 2027

Monday 4th January 2027 (INSET DAY 3)

Term Starts: Tuesday 5th January 2027

Half Term: Monday 15th February – Friday 19th February 2027

Term Ends: Thursday 25th March 2027

Summer Term 2027

Monday 12th April 2027 (INSET DAY 4)

Term Starts: Tuesday 13th April 2027

May Day: Monday 3rd May

Half Term: Monday 31st May – Friday 4th June 2027

Monday 7th June 2027 (INSET DAY 5)

Term Ends: Wednesday 21st July 2027

Week Two Date W/C 11.05.2026

Primary Menu Week 2	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAYS
Main Course (Red)	Oven Baked Sausage & Gravy	Fruity Chicken Taco	Roast Beef Yorkshire Pudding & Gravy	Ocean Friendly Fish Selection	Mediterranean Chicken Wrap
Vegetarian Main Course (Green)	Vegetarian Sausage Sizzler & Gravy (v)	Vegetarian Sausage roll (v)	Roasted Vegetable Parcel (v)	Crispy Quorn Dippers (v)	Wholemeal Cheese & Tomato Pizza (v)
Yellow	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Baked Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Baked Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Baked Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Baked Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Baked Beans
Vegetables Carbs	Mashed Potato Carrots Green Beans	Herby Diced Potato Rice Broccoli Peas	Mashed & Roast Potatoes Cauliflower Peas	Potato Wedges Baked Beans Sweetcorn	Chips Baked Beans Peas
Sandwich Option (Blue)	Ham Packed Lunch	Cheese Packed Lunch	Tuna Packed Lunch	Ham Packed Lunch	Cheese Packed Lunch
Dessert	Waffles Ice Cream Tub Seasonal Fruit Salad	Shortbread Selection Ice Cream Tub Seasonal Fruit Salad	Muffin Selection Yoghurt Seasonal Fruit Salad	Chocolate Brownie Yoghurt Seasonal Fruit Salad	Fruit Sorbet Yoghurt Seasonal Fruit Salad