

KEEPING SAFE & HEALTHY

HEAT EXHAUSTION	OR	HEAT STROKE
Faint or dizzy		Throbbing headache
Excessive sweating		No sweating
Cool, pale, clammy skin		Body temperature above 103° Red, hot, dry skin
Nausea or vomiting		Nausea or vomiting
Rapid, weak pulse		Rapid, strong pulse
Muscle cramps		May lose consciousness

• Get to a cooler, air conditioned place
 • Drink water if fully conscious
 • Take a cool shower or use cold compresses

CALL 9-1-1

• Take immediate action to cool the person until help arrives

CHRISTIAN VALUES

Endurance

Strength does not come from physical capacity. It comes from an indomitable will.

~ Mahatma Gandhi

COMMUNITY NEWS

GOODRICH SUMMER FETE 2026

SAT 27TH JUNE 12.00-17.00
SUMMER SWING PARTY 17.00-21.00

CHURCH FIELD & THE OLD VICARAGE MR9 6JE

WELSH DRUMS, CHORUS, BASSOON, BOUNCY CASTLE, BBQ, AREA FOR MUSIC, COUNTERTOP, PITCHER, AUTION, GOOD SHOW - AND OF THE WINDING ROAD, THE WINDING ROAD, THE WINDING ROAD, THE WINDING ROAD

EMAIL: HELLO@GOODRICHFETE.COM

Goodrich Church of England

Attendance		16 th Edition 2025-26	19 th June 2026	House points	
Reception	96.2%	School Prayer Dear God, Bless our school. Bless our teachers. Bless our pupils. Bless our families. Please help us to be kind and help us to always try our best. Let us remember, as many hands make a house, So many hearts make a school. Amen	 Goodrich Church of England Primary School Collective Worship At this time of year we think about Ascension & Pentecost  We persevere. We value hope and trust. "Hope is coupled with faith and love as one of the three most enduring gifts of the Spirit." (1 Corinthians 13:13)	Dragon	97
Year 1	95.3%			Pegasus	89
Year 2	95.4%			Griffin	89
Year 3	96.4%			Phoenix	91
Year 4	96.1%				
Year 5	96%				
Year 6	95.5%				
TOTAL	95.8%				

Primary School Newsletter

Twitter Snapshot
@GoodrichCESch

Goodrich CE School and Goldcrests... · 3s

Our Garden Guardians have completed clearing the rotten bed and creating something rather lovely. A Pea Teepee- they saying that quickly!



Reminders

- Please make sure that lunch orders are placed in good time, so that we can ensure we have enough food ordered.

This is for you to use to report anything you are concerned about of a safeguarding nature in respect of one or more of our pupils.



PTFA/ Eco

THE GREAT GOODRICH

Garden PARTY

JOIN US FOR GAMES, BOUNCY CASTLE, BBQ, SWEET TREATS, ICE CREAMS AND MORE!

FRIDAY JULY 3RD
 3PM - 5:30PM
 SCHOOL FIELD

News

Dear Parents,

We finished the week with a wonderful Celebration Worship hosted by Woodpeckers. They gave us a recorder version of Mamma Mia to kick off the weekend and then shared deeply thought-provoking poems which led us to consider what a world would be like without each of the senses. Each of their poems was unique, sharing the things that they would most miss, as unique as each of them.

It was lovely that so many family and friends were able to join us. Their faces really light up as you arrive and gave them a true purpose for their public speaking.

Reports and letters about next years classes have come home today. Please contact your class teacher in the first instance with any queries.

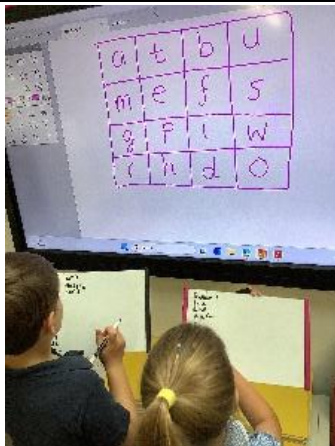
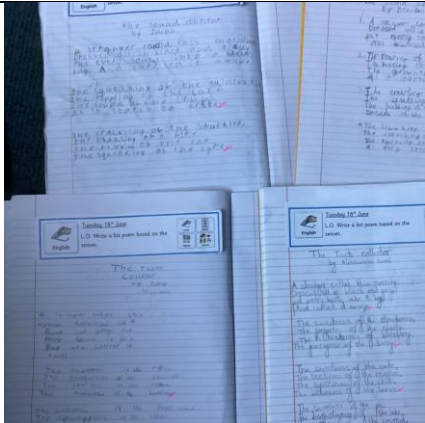
Best wishes

Mrs Miles

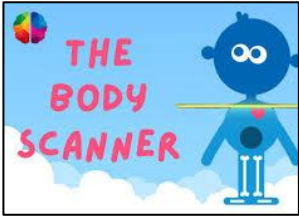
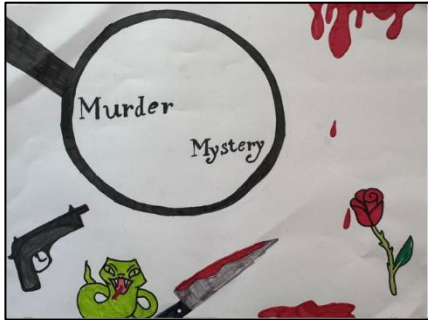
Class News

Goldcrests	We have been talking about pets and their basic needs and how we need to keep them healthy and safe by providing food, clean water, exercise and love. We have created sensory trays by threading spiders' webs for our more unusual pets- Incy Wincy Spider- adding them into rice, making rain sounds as we poured rice down the drainpipes and singing the song. We also sorted animals to their correct habitats and mothers to their babies. This week we explored our families, especially our dad's as we celebrated Father's Day. We talked about why our dads are special and what special things they do for us. We explored farming, building, digging with diggers in the sand pit and using the computer as we discussed the different jobs our dad's do at work. Our sensory trays were filled with flowers and water representing "aftershave" and shaving foam to mimic shaving.			
	Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow play!	Words of the Week
	Explaining why we love our Dads "Because he's so clever, he can do everything." "He's a superhero." "He fixes everything." "He cuddles me." "He's funny."	 Practising our jumping in our obstacle course.	'Our pet spiders' from the book Aaarrgghh Spiders 	Alternate names for Daddy Father Pop Pa parent

Wrens	This week, we have been learning all about bees and why they are so important to our environment. We discussed how bees need water just like we do to stay healthy. The children have written instructions on how to make a bee bath to help the bees drink safely in the hot weather. We have really enjoyed sharing the children's bee homework creations and have learnt lots of new interesting facts. The children have also been excitedly watching our class caterpillars transform into chrysalises, observing the changes every day. We are eagerly awaiting the final transformation into butterflies! In DT, we have been developing our food preparation skills. We talked about the importance of washing our hands before any food preparation. The children practised buttering bread to make a sandwich and using a grater for their fillings.			
	Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow play!	Words of the Week
	When looking at Ava's grandpa's bee hive Ava explained in great detail the steps in keeping safe around bee hives "He uses the smoker, to calm the bees so that he can collect the honey without scaring them."	 Cooking skills	 Learning to be bee keepers	chrysalis transformation grater knife spreading

Robins	The children have continued to engage the reader in English by using conjunctions to explain why they should be persuaded to visit 'The Manor House,' by posing questions and creating a catchy title. In Maths we have been recognising and finding halves, quarters and thirds of shapes and numbers. The children have also practised writing them as a fraction. In PE the children have been developing their attacking and defending skills with various ball games. They have been learning not to move when in possession of the ball. Finally in Art we have begun to think about the theme 'dreams and nightmares' with William Blake as the artist spotlight.			
	Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow work!	Words of the Week
	"We were exploring keyboards to help us know which letters to press, it was very helpful!" Athena said after her computing lesson.	The children have enjoyed lying on the field in the sunshine and listening to the birdsong.	 The children playing Boggle and challenging themselves to find 6 letter words	halves quarters thirds fraction unit
Woodpeckers	In English, we have been writing list poems focusing on our different senses and based on the poem, The Sound Collector by Roger McGough. In Maths, we have been continuing our work on fractions and learning about mixed numbers and improper fractions and in Science, we have been using classification charts to identify different plants. In RE, we have been learning about how Hindus worship (Puja) their deities and how this is a daily routine for them. We looked at the different objects used in Puja and how it links to the different senses. In Computing, we have been using our knowledge of infinite loops and repetition to create a simple game on Scratch and in History, we have been learning about the Viking invasion on Lindisfarne.			
	Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow work!	Words of the Week
	Whilst chatting to Mrs Miles, Cai said; "I love writing!"	 Some gymnastics fun.	 Some of our list poems based on The Sound Collector.	mixed number improper fraction analogue flowering plant non-flowering plant
Owls	We have had a fantastic week of learning! In Geography, we learned about tectonic plates and how their movement can cause earthquakes and volcanoes. To help us understand this, we used biscuits to represent the tectonic plates and icing to represent the magma. We explored what happens at divergent, convergent and conservative boundaries and saw how the plates move in different ways. The best part was that at the end of the lesson, we got to eat our tectonic plates and magma! In RE, we have been learning about the Five Pillars of Islam and why they are important to Muslims. In Maths, we have been practising how to add and subtract fractions with different denominators. In Science, we have been learning how plants reproduce. To understand, we dissected some flowers to help us identify different parts used in the reproduction process.			

Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow work!	Words of the Week
While learning about tectonic plates, volcanoes and earthquakes with biscuits and icing, Alfie said, "This is the best geography lesson ever!"	 Year Five made their own pizzas in Forest School this week. Delicious!	Leyla and Matilda's fantastic 'Volcano Survival Guides.' 	convergent divergent conservative tectonic plate stamen carpel stigma ovule pollination

Peregrines	In PSHE, we have been discussing the Prime Minister's announcement of banning social media for under-16s, what this will look like and what impact it will have now and in the future. It proved to be an enlightening and helpful discussion. In English, we have been writing a persuasive speech in a formal tone and from a character's point of view in the book Paradise Sands. We have four 'theatre' groups and each of them are busy writing their script preparing and collating costumes and props and rehearsing their plays. It is all very exciting. In Science, we have been learning how animals have adapted to survive in different habitats and understanding the scientific definition of variation.			
	Quotes from the week	Body & Mind	Wow work!	Words of the Week
	When discussing the Prime Minister's announcement of the social media ban for under-16s, the children responded by saying: "It should be left to parents to decide." "It will be hard for children to adjust." "It will help us to be safer online."	 The Body Scanner! Mindfulness for Children We took time to refocus using this five-minute activity.	 Enza has created a super publicity poster to promote our forthcoming plays based on murder mysteries.	variation oblige rumpus astute contemplation

Class Superstars

Wrens	Robins	Woodpeckers	Owls	Peregrines
Arthur Valentina	Albert Ted	Zach Grazia Rufus Benji	Zeb William E	Leia Luke

Calendar

Forest School		Celebration Worship		Other Dates	
Goldcrests	29/06/26			30/06/26	Parent report consultations
Year 5 & 6	29/06/26			01/07/26	Herefordshire School Games
Wrens	01/07/26	03/07/26	Goldcrests	02/07/26	Whole School Transition Day
Robins	06/07/26			03/07/26	After school PTFA event
Goldcrests	08/07/26			08/07/26	Peregrines Performance p.m.
Year 3 & 4	08/07/26			10/07/26	Siege of Goodrich Castle Event
Year 6	15/07/26			14/07/26	Year 6 Rounders & BBQ
				15/07/26	Year Two Graduation 09:30
				16/07/26	Goldcrests Picnic with families 12:00 Year Six Leavers' Service 13:45 Last day of 2025-26 Academic Year

Be Ready

Be Safe

Be Respectful

Forest School needs your help...

Are you able to donate the following items to help restock forest school equipment?

- Secateurs
- Garden shears
- Sting / rope / basket twine (varying thicknesses)
- Paintbrushes (all sizes) to use in mud
- Hammocks
- Sturdy small spades (ideally smaller than a border spade)
- Clear varnish

Goodrich Primary School PTFA

Bringing our school community together for every child.
CHARITY NO: 1041727



Who we are

We're a group of parents, carers and staff, that volunteer and come together to organise fun events and raise money which directly benefits all children at Goodrich Primary School.

As a registered charity, every penny we raise goes straight back into enriching school life – from resources and activities to memorable events.

Why join the PTFA?

- ✓ Meet other parents and carers
- ✓ Feel part of the school community
- ✓ Help support activities for the children
- ✓ Make a real difference to your child's school experience
- ✓ Be involved as much or as little as you like

No experience needed – just a willingness to get involved!

Ways to get involved...

BECOME A CLASS REP

- Be the liaison between the committee members and the parents of each class
- Small commitment, but a great way to help out

VOLUNTEER

- At all events we rely heavily on volunteers to support us and make the event successful
- Support when you're available, 'many hands make light work'

SHARE YOUR SKILLS

- If you have any skills that could benefit the PTFA i.e. business sponsorship, donations, help in any way, then please do let us know

What we do...

- We organise a range of events throughout the year, such as:
- Seasonal celebrations
- Fundraising events
- Community activities

These events create lasting memories for the children while raising vital funds for the school

Support us through fundraising...

Raise funds for us for free through Easyfundraising. Nothing extra needed from you, just simply download the app, and as you shop, we receive donations. It only takes 2 minutes to sign up.



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DHMAT and the University of Worcester launch new local PGCE primary teacher training route based in Hereford

For the first time ever, aspiring primary teachers in Herefordshire will be able to complete their teacher training with the University of Worcester without leaving the county.

It's thanks to an expanded partnership between the University and the Diocese of Hereford Multi Academy Trust (DHMAT), which will see all training delivered locally in Herefordshire.

The development expands the county's existing Regional Training Hub, where trainees split their time between local schools and the University's Worcester campus.

The upgraded Regional Training Hub Plus model means that all academic study and practical training for the primary PGCE will now take place within Herefordshire schools.

Andrew Teale, CEO of Diocese of Hereford Multi Academy Trust, said: "This is a significant and hugely positive development for education across the Diocese of Hereford. By delivering the full PGCE programme locally, we are removing barriers and opening doors for talented people within our communities who feel called to teach but previously found the logistics too challenging."

He continued: "Through our partnership with the fabulous University of Worcester, we are investing in local people and growing the next generation of teachers within our own schools. That strengthens not only the schools in our Trust, but the wider family of church and community schools across the Diocese."

Andrew added: "This is about opportunity, community, and ensuring that every child is taught by highly trained, committed professionals who understand and care deeply about the places they serve."



The fully local 36-week Primary PGCE will see trainees placed in DHMAT schools across the county, with academic sessions delivered at the Hereford Church of England Academy.

The University of Worcester, rated Outstanding by Ofsted for its teacher training, will oversee and deliver the programme, providing a high-quality, flexible, and community-based route into the profession.

Andrew Taylor, Senior Lecturer at the University of Worcester, said: "This new fully local training route has been designed for career changers, parents, and anyone who has the potential and passion to teach, but previously felt unable to start training because of travel, family commitments, or the logistics of attending the campus in Worcester."

If you are interested in applying or would like further details please email: rth@dhmat.org.uk

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SUMMER INTENSIVE'S

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Parent Carer Voice
Drop in Chat Session
at
Ross Children's Centre
Ryefield

Ross on Wye
Wednesday
29th April
3rd June
1st July

12.30 till 2.30

This is an open session so that we can
chat freely about all different topics.



NEW PLAYERS WANTED!

JOIN OUR U7s TEAM!

-  **FRIENDLY INCLUSIVE CLUB** ★
-  **DYNAMIC & FRIENDLY U7s LEAGUE COMPETING TEAM** ★
-  **TRAINING & MATCH KIT PROVIDED** ★
-  **SUMMER TOURNAMENTS** ★
-  **FUN CLUB EVENTS** ★



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 **INTERESTED? PLEASE EMAIL:**
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