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Thankfulness & Respect

COMMUNITY NEWS

Firework Safety

- Fireworks should not be touched
- You must always be with an adult when watching fireworks
- Stand far back from both fireworks and bonfires
- Once a firework is lit, never go near it
- If an adult allows, always wear gloves when holding a sparkler
- Pets should stay indoors




Rules
Environment
Self
Property
Emotions
Caring for others
Truth and honesty

Books, CDs, DVDs, Bikes, Garden and hand tools, Working electrical items, Toys, Crafts, Stationery, Games, Puzzles, Vintage items, Mobile phones, Laptops, Tablets, Cameras etc., Bags & belts, Suitcases, Clothing, Shoes, Crockery, cutlery, Kitchen utensils, Electrical leads, Bed linen, (No duvets or pillows)








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Goodrich Church of England

Attendance		4 rd Edition 2024-25		25 th October 2024		House points	
Reception	98.3%	<p>School Prayer </p> <p>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</p>	 <p>GOODRICH</p> <p>Dioecesis of Hereford Multi-Academy Trust</p> <p>A FAMILY OF SCHOOLS FLOURISHING TOGETHER</p>	<p>Goodrich Church of England Primary School</p> <p>Collective Worship</p>  <p>We are pioneers. We show endurance. "For the Lord is good and his love endures forever" (Psalm 100:5)</p>	 Dragon	57	
Year 1	98.8%				 Pegasus	51	
Year 2	88.5%				 Griffin	56	
Year 3	91.1%				 Phoenix	52	
Year 4	98.3%						
Year 5	95.5%						
Year 6	91.7%						
TOTAL	94.6%						

Primary School Newsletter

Thank you Ms Skipton!	Reminders	PTFA/ Eco
<p>Please can parents keep children off this area, to let it grow.</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please make sure your children have waterproofs or a complete change of clothes on Forest School days. • Please make sure that all items coming into school are clearly named. 	<p>Now available at Goodrich</p> 
Thoughtful	Independent	Persevere
	Team Player	Organised
		Pioneer

News

Dear All,

The Diocese of Hereford appointed me as a Foundation Governor in March 2022. Since then, I have visited the school on numerous occasions and have always been delighted and impressed with all that goes on. The children are clearly at the heart of what the school does every day and are happy, courteous and caring towards each other.

I am part of the Open the Book team, which shares a Bible story with the children in an assembly approximately every three weeks. This week we read the Bible story "Jacob Returns!" and, as usual, children were involved and had great fun dressing up and acting.

After the story there was time for quiet guided reflection, when children thought about making mistakes, learning from mistakes and forgiveness. This was followed by a short closing prayer and a joyful interactive song.

The children enjoyed the assembly. Gracie and Leilani in Robins said, "I love Open the Book" and Jessica in Owls said, "It's too good!"



The Bible stories are accessible and enjoyable for children of all faiths and none, and contribute to the children's spiritual, moral, social and cultural education. Our Open the Book team is made up of trained and safely recruited volunteers from the local churches.


Best wishes,


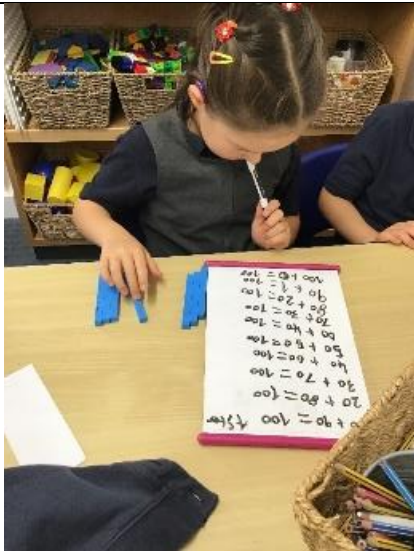
Marlene Corker Foundation Governor

Class News

In Goldcrests we have been carrying on with our Autumn theme and looking at Harvest and the crops that are grown in the fields around us. We explored sweetcorn cobs in our sensory tray. We compared the size of turnips, after reading our story 'The Enormous Turnip' and agreed that if everybody works together you can solve a problem much more easily. We made farmyard stories with our small world and tractors in the sand. We had a go at following shopping lists in our fruit and vegetable shop, before adding them to our kitchen. This week looking at the Autumnal colours as the leaves start to change on the trees, we examined the veins on the leaves in more detail, then painted them ready to print. We created some leaves for our display, painting our hands in Autumnal colours and printing, looking at our own unique fingerprints as if veins of leaves. We had great fun using pumpkins in our play, we practised mark making skills to decorate them, then scooped out the insides during our sensory play, exploring the textures. We counted seeds to correspond to numbered pumpkins and drew shapes by tracing different shaped pumpkins and playing Autumn tree matching games.

Goldcrests	Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow Play!	Words of the Week
	At Forest School, Freddie pointed at the fire pit and said, 'it's really hot'.	 <p>Working hard to get the Nursery garden ready for winter.</p>	 <p>Some of our amazing fruit & vegetable pictures for the Harvest Festival.</p>	Autumn leaves leaf red yellow orange brown

<p>We have had a busy end to the half term. We have been exploring length and height and had great fun trying to think of ways to measure how tall we are. We have also been thinking about the number five and how we can add amounts of money together to find a total. YR have been practising how to read and spell words using the first set of sounds they have been learning. Year One have been practising how to write sentences using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops correctly. We have been thinking about the colours of autumn and were very responsible when taking photos on the iPads when exploring the beautiful outdoors with our friends. We have also created some great pictures that we shared with our families during the Harvest Service. In Science we have been learning about different materials and have been great at explaining why certain materials are used for a purpose. We wish everyone an enjoyable half term break.</p>				
Wrens	Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow Play!	Words of the Week
	<p>When discussing what we enjoyed about our Harvest Festival Hugo said, "I liked that we brought in food to help people."</p>	<p>We have been practising how to spend a quiet moment thinking about our morning before we eat our lunch.</p>	 <p>Fantastic thinking when deciding how to measure height!</p>	<p>crunch sort ruler value transparent</p>

<p>In Robins we have been spending time thinking about what 'harvest' means to us and preparing for our Harvest Festival. In Maths the Year Ones have been recalling doubles and using that information to work out near doubles. The Year Twos have been finding number bonds to one hundred in multiples of ten. In Geography we have discovered and located landmarks in Edinburgh and Belfast. In Art we have compared the painting by John Ndambo with John Constables painting 'The Haywain.' The children noticed how the tone of the colours was very different in each of the landscapes. In Science we investigated what material would be the best for an umbrella for 'Ted.' We discussed what makes a fair test. The children are beginning to upload their work onto seesaw independently, keep a look out, they are very proud. Have a restful half term.</p>				
Robins	Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow Work!	Words of the Week
	<p>When the children completed their science investigation Sam said, "tissue would not make a good umbrella because it would absorb the rain."</p>	 <p>Children enjoying their science investigation.</p>	 <p>Super bonds to one hundred, using multiples of ten.</p>	<p>leader medicine flatten measure library</p>


Woodpeckers

What a busy two weeks to end Autumn One! Woodpeckers have been joining Year Six for lots of activities including PE, where they have developed teamwork skills through dodgeball, hockey and tag rugby, Forest School and Harvest Art with Mrs Taylor. In Maths, we have been looking closely at three-digit numbers - partitioning them, explaining how they are made using hundreds, tens and ones, making them in different ways, ordering and comparing them and solving different problems involving three-digit numbers. In English, we have published our poems, creating an eye poem booklet and have been developing our reading comprehension skills, making inferences from pictures and texts. As part of our harvest focus, we have also been following a recipe to make an autumn vegetable soup and write a set of instructions to explain how to make it. On Thursday, we tasted it and had some fresh bread to dip in too! We shared the photos with the community as part of our whole school Harvest Festival. In Science, we have been learning about the human skeleton and identifying the different bones and have also been carrying out an investigation to develop our working scientifically skills. In DT, we have used our designs to make and evaluate our dips and in Geography, we have been looking at the continent of Europe and using maps to label some of the different countries. I hope you all have a fabulous half term and will see you all in Autumn Term Two!


Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow Work!	Words of the Week
<p>Whilst preparing the vegetables for our soup, Zeb said; "It's harder to peel a potato because it's round and slippery and it's easier to peel a carrot because it's long and straight!"</p>	 <p>Building our fine motor skills and consolidating our cutting skills to prepare the vegetables for our dips and Autumn vegetable soup!</p>	 <p>Congratulations Luie on your card design which was picked by Jesse Norman for his 2024 Christmas card!</p>	<p>evaluate/evaluation imperative verb ascend descend femur</p>

Owls

Owls Class have been busy completing a two-week intensive swimming course, during which they have made super progress in stroke technique and water confidence. They have also improved their stamina and speed in the water. A big thank you and well done to all parents - you managed to keep on top of the drying of the swimming kits and towels, ready for the next day for two weeks... not an easy challenge, I'm sure! Also, a huge thank you to Carly Morris, for coming swimming with us every day and being an instrumental part of the school swimming process. Back in school, we have been solving problems involving positive and negative numbers during our Maths lessons. In Science we have continued to learn more about a range of life cycles, and we have been working in small groups to plan, prepare and present our own mini wildlife documentary which compares two contrasting life cycles. In English, we have been writing character and setting descriptions set in ancient Egypt.

Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow Work!	Words of the Week
<p>While planning our Science documentaries, Elliot said, "We are going to be like David Attenborough!"</p>	<p>Our confidence, stamina and stroke technique have all improved enormously while completing our intensive swimming course.</p>	 <p>Owls Class completed some amazing homework on book reviews. Lots of different creative ways were used to present their work. Leia presented her review of 'Spike the Special Puppy' in the form of a videoed interview using plasticine figures which she made.</p>	<p>you've hypnotism critique deliberate albumen</p>

It is the last day of this half term, and we have had a busy time. Over the last two weeks, Year Five have joined Year Four and have been swimming every afternoon while Year Six have played games of hockey and tag rugby and enjoyed time over in Forest School. On Wednesday, in Forest School, they enjoyed making a fire and cooking with Year Three. In English, we have been looking at Shackleton’s journey using books and documentaries, including video footage of the recent discovery of his ship Endurance. We have been using sourced information to write a description of Antarctica and are now starting to plan a story based on his expedition. In Maths, we have been revisiting how to complete long multiplication sums, focusing on fluency and accuracy. In Science, we have continued to investigate properties and changes of materials with a focus on reversible and irreversible changes. Last Friday, we investigated how materials, when mixed together, e.g. lemon juice and washing powder, can create a reaction which causes a new material to be made (a gas) and these changes are irreversible. During this Science lesson, we were joined by the politician Jesse Norman, who came to visit our school and to choose a winning Christmas card design. Some of the children took him to explore our maze, which the children didn’t expect him to do. Yesterday, we enjoyed our Harvest Service where Year Six performed a poem about the vital part farmers play in the production of food and looking after the land. Wishing you all a happy half term. Take care.

Quote of the week	Body & Mind	Wow Work!	Words of the Week
Matthew said, inspired by the discoveries Sir Alexander Flemming made, “You can make discoveries, by just being curious.”	 <p>Year 6 enjoying a game of tag rugby on a day when it wasn’t raining!</p>	Well done to Tristen and Sam for their highly commended Christmas card designs judged by Jesse Norman on his visit to our school.	apparition reversible irreversible effervescent insoluble

Forest School		Celebration Worship		Other Dates	
04/11/24	Goldcrests & Wrens			04/11/24	Autumn second half term
06/11/24	Owls			26/11/24	Yr 5 DHMAT carol service at Hereford Cathedral
11/11/24	Robins			02/12-06/12/24	Clear out for Christmas
13/11/24	Goldcrests & Peregrines			06/12/24	PTFA wreath making
18/11/24	Goldcrests			10 & 11/12/24	Key Stage 1 Nativity - 10 a.m.
25/11/24	Robins			16/12/24	Christmas panto Monmouth Savoy
27/11/25	Goldcrests & Owls	18/12/24	Christmas Carol Service	18/12/24	Christmas Dinner Day
02/12/24	Goldcrests & Wrens			19/12/24	Christmas Party Day
04/12/24	Peregrines			19/12/24	Autumn Term ends
09/12/24	Robins				
11/12/24	Woodpeckers				

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