



Green Lea First School
'Learn, Explore, Achieve'
Weekly Newsletter
11th of April 2025



Dear Families,

I cannot quite believe we have reached the end of Spring Term 2025. What another incredible term of 'Learn, Explore, Achieve' it has been! It has been lovely ending the term with our 'Spring Assemblies' and welcoming you all in to school. Team Green Lea are super proud of all of the children. As well as all of the Easter fun this week with our Friends of Green Lea and members of the Women's Institute, we had a very special visit from Reverend Vivienne and friends who came in to school to share the Christian story of Easter with us. Whatever way you are spending the Easter holidays, we wish you fun, sweet treats, family adventures and lots of happy memory making. We cannot wait to hear all about it in the Summer Term.

Thank you for your continued support,

Mrs Lindsay Harris

Headteacher



This week at Green Lea:

Class 1

We have been enjoying exploring the Spring time. We have been creating some lovely spring art work using bright and happy colours and have been spotting signs of Spring outside such as buds on our hedge, flowers in the grass, sunny weather and lots of daffodils. We love Spring time and hope that you enjoyed our duckling songs in the Spring assembly today. We do ask that as well as having lots of fun that you do keep practising their phonics with them over the Easter break.

Class 2

What an 'egg' citing week we have had in Class 2. We have all finished writing our Astronaut Diary and have loved reading these to the children in Class 1. We have been busy discussing how Christian's worship Easter in our Religious Education lessons. We also have learnt how and where Muslims worship. We hope you all have a lovely Easter holiday and look forward to seeing you ready for the Summer term. Love Mrs Davies and Mrs Danby. P.S. Keep reading!

Class 3

Our Authors have finished their wanted posters about the character Crowky from 'The Land of Roar'. They have also applied their art skills by drawing Crowky focusing on line and shade. In Computing, the children have used the program 2Animate to create an animation. They have made something move, changed the background, used sound effects and have changed the speed of the frames. Please make sure they continue to practise their times tables learning over the holidays. We are really impressed with their fluency and recall of them.

Upcoming Key Dates

- **Easter Holiday Monday 14th—Sunday 27th**
- **Back to School for Summer Term Monday 28th April**
- **Year 4 Multiplication Check Workshop Tuesday 29th April 3.30pm & 5pm**
- **Year 1 Phonics Screening Check Workshop Tuesday 29th April 3.30pm & 5pm**

'Learn, Explore, Achieve'

What a Spectacular event it was!

Thank you to everyone for making this such a wonderful event especially our Friends of Green Lea. An incredible £615 was raised.



Team Green Lea & FoGL invite you to our

Spring Spectacular

Friday 4th April 3.30pm - 5.30pm

Wacky Farmyard Races
Chicken Poo Bingo • Tombola
Name the Calf • Glitter Tattoos
Food & Drink & Much More

Join us in the school grounds

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Easter at Green Lea

We have certainly had an 'eggcellent' week here at Green Lea which has included Easter Egg hunts, Easter crafting, an Egg Decorating competition and much more. A huge thank you for all of your entries, our Friends at the W.I. had a real tricky job of choosing the winners.

Thank you to our amazing FOGL for making the 'Easter Afternoon' so special and to the members of the Women's Institute who came along to help us.



'Learn, Explore, Achieve'

What incredible scientists we have here at Green Lea!
Well done to our poster competition winners who did an excellent job of illustrating 'Change and Adaptation'.





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Summer Term Key Dates and Events

April	May	June	July
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Monday 28th Return to School - Summer Term• Tuesday 29th Year 4 Families Multiplication Screening Check Meeting & Year 1 Families Phonic Screening Check Meeting 3.30pm and 5pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Monday 5th - Bank Holiday• Week Beginning 26th May Half Term	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Monday 2nd INSET DAY• Week Beginning 9th Father's Day Forest School Class One (10th June) 2.15-3pm Class Two (11th June) 2.15-3pm Class Three (12th June) 2.15-3pm• Friday 20th Sports Day 1.15pm <u>Thursday 26th</u> <u>Reserve Sports</u> <u>Day</u>• Friday 27th Summer Fayre 3.30pm - 6pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Tuesday 15th Nursery Graduation 2.30pm• Thursday 17th Year 4 Graduation 9.15am• Friday 18th Last Day of Summer Term 2025



Term Dates & Inset Days 2024-2025

Autumn Term 2024

Inset Days: Monday 2nd September and Tuesday 3rd September

Term Starts: Wednesday 4th September

Holiday: Monday 28th October - Friday 1st November

Inset day: Monday 4th November

Term Ends: Friday 20th December

Holiday: Monday 23rd December - Friday 3rd January

Spring Term 2025

Inset day: Monday 6th January

Term Starts: Tuesday 7th January

Holiday: Monday 17th February - Friday 21st February

Term Ends: Friday 11th April

Holiday: Monday 14th April - Friday 25th April

Summer Term 2025

Term Starts: Monday 28th April

May Day: Monday 5th May

Holiday: Monday 26th May - Friday 30th May

Inset Day: Monday 2nd June

Term Ends: Friday 18th July

Inset Day: Monday 21st July