



Green Lea First School  
'Learn, Explore, Achieve'  
Weekly Newsletter  
4th July 2025



**Dear Families,**

What another busy but brilliant week we have had! Firstly, a huge thank you to FoGL, Team Green Lea and all the families for making such a successful Summer Fair. We are pleased to say we have raised over £600! Key Stage 2 children have been taking part in Bikeability where they have learnt the essentials of road safety and cycling skills. Well done to everyone who took part and gained confidence on two wheels. This week we also welcomed our new Early Years cohort with a lovely Teddy Bears' Picnic. It was a joyful event and a brilliant way to begin their school journey.

Thank you for your continued support.

Best wishes,  
Mrs L Harris  
Headteacher

**This week at Green Lea:**

**Class 1**

This week we have continued to look at everything dinosaur. We have labelled dinosaurs, written about them and even had a go at writing their proper names! We had a dinosaur swamp in Nursery and the children enjoyed making dinosaur footprints. In Maths we have been looking at patterns. We have spotted what the pattern was and continued it. Why don't you see if you can spot any patterns when you're out and about?

**Class 2**

The Outstanding Owls have had a busy week writing their story based around the book *The Man on the Moon* and introducing Bob to the alien that came home from the moon with him. He couldn't believe that aliens really do exist! In maths, the Year 2's have learnt how to draw and read pictograms and the Year 1's have identified and written numbers on a number line from 50 to 100. In D & T we have used our knowledge about structures to build a free-standing bridge, that holds a car or tractor over a river (Guttering with water in it!).

**Class 3**

In Maths the Year Three children have been learning about different types of lines as well as the properties of 2D and 3D shapes. The Year Fours have been learning about different types of triangles and quadrilaterals as well as symmetry. In English, the children have written their description of Pompeii before the volcano erupted. In Design and Technology, the children have researched different torches, made a switch and created a simple circuit which they have put inside their torch ensuring the bulb lights up. They have also used their Science knowledge! Well done Class Three!

**Upcoming Key Dates**

- 9th July—Meet the Teachers. 3.30pm or 5.30pm
- 11th July—Lollipops Disco—3.15pm—4.30pm
- 15th July—Nursery Graduation—2.30pm
- 17th July—Year 4 Graduation at Church

# 'Learn, Explore, Achieve'

On Wednesday evening the Year 4's welcomed back the Year 5's for our Annual Alumni Event.



# 'Learn, Explore, Achieve'

On Tuesday evening our September 2025 Reception class enjoyed a Teddy Bears Picnic, decorated a plant pot and had some picnic snacks.



# 'Learn, Explore, Achieve'

This week Class 3 have completed Level 1  
Bikeability training.





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**Summer Term Key Dates and Events**

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



## Term Dates & Inset Days 2024-2025

### Autumn Term 2024

Inset Days: Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September and Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September

Term Starts: Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September

Holiday: Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October - Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November

Inset day: Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November

Term Ends: Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December

Holiday: Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> December - Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> January

### Spring Term 2025

Inset day: Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January

Term Starts: Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January

Holiday: Monday 17<sup>th</sup> February - Friday 21<sup>st</sup> February

Term Ends: Friday 11<sup>th</sup> April

Holiday: Monday 14<sup>th</sup> April - Friday 25<sup>th</sup> April

### Summer Term 2025

Term Starts: Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April

May Day: Monday 5<sup>th</sup> May

Holiday: Monday 26<sup>th</sup> May - Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May

Inset Day: Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June

Term Ends: Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July

Inset Day: Monday 21<sup>st</sup> July



## Trust Term Dates and Inset Days 2025-2026

### Autumn Term 2025

- **Inset Days:** Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September & Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September
- **Term Starts:** Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September
- **Half-Term Holiday:** Monday 27<sup>th</sup> October - Friday 31<sup>st</sup> October
- **Inset Day:** Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November
- **Term Ends:** Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December
- **Christmas Holiday:** Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> December - Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> January

### Spring Term 2026

- **Term starts:** Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January
- **Half-Term Holiday:** Monday 16<sup>th</sup> February - Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February
- **Term Ends:** Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March
- **Easter Holiday:** Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March - Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April

### Summer Term 2026

- **Inset Day** Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April
- **Term starts:** Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> April
- **May Day Bank Holiday:** Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May
- **Half-Term Holiday:** Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May - Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May
- **Inset Day -** Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June
- **Term Ends** Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July
- **Inset Day:** Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July

