

Hello everyone,

The new academic year has got off to a fantastic start. It is lovely to see children coming to school looking smart in their school uniform and ready to learn.

It has been wonderful to see so many of our parents attending coffee mornings and meetings with their child's teacher. We are all enjoying welcoming parents back into school again.

Since becoming the Headteacher at Greenmount Primary School, one of my main aims is to provide our pupils with a broad and balanced curriculum, filled with real life experiences. We are excited to take our pupils on trips throughout the year as well as invite visitors into school. Please see the upcoming events for this term on this newsletter for important dates. I will try to ensure you receive as much notice as possible about these events as I appreciate it isn't always easy for working parents.

All of our pupils from Years 2-6 will be visiting the theatre over the next few months. I saw how excited our Year 3's and 4's were when they were getting on the coach earlier today to see Gangsta Granny at the Alhambra Theatre in Bradford. I can't wait to hear all about their experience!

Myself and Mrs Randall are always outside at the start and end of the day, so please feel free to speak to us if you need any support or guidance with anything. Teachers are always happy to listen when you drop off and collect your child or alternatively you can phone the school office and leave a message. We are keen to work with you and build relationships with the local community to ensure your children receive the best education and support possible.

Best wishes,
Mrs Dixon
Headteacher

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Term dates 2021-22

Oct half term: Mon 25th Oct- Fri 29th Oct 2021

Christmas: Break up Fri 17th Dec 2021 – Back to school Tues 4th Jan 2022

Feb half term: Mon 21st -Fri 25th Feb 2022

Easter: (Break up Fri 1st April – back to school Tuesday 19th April 2022)

May Day: Monday 2nd May 2022

May Half term: Mon 30th May -Fri 3rd June 2022

Last day of term: Friday 22nd July 2022

Teacher Training Days (School will be closed for pupils)

Fri 17th June, Mon 20th, Mon 25th and Tues 26th July 2022

Upcoming events this term – Dates for your diary

Friday 1st October 2021 - Years 3 and 4 Trip to the Alhambra Theatre in Bradford to watch Gangsta Granny.

Monday 11th October 2021 at 9am – Coffee morning for new Reception parents.

Tuesday 19th October 2021 – Science Dome visitors in school for Years 1 and 5.

Monday 1st November 2021 – Holocaust Centre visiting Year 6 in school.

Friday 12th November 2021 – Lord Mayor of Leeds visiting school.

Tuesday 7th December 2021 – Year 2 Theatre trip to watch the Rock n Roll pantomime at the City Varieties in Leeds.

Tuesday 14th December 2021 – Reception Nativity for Reception parents.

Thursday 16th December 2021 – Santa and parties.



I appreciate there is a delay on the PE hoodies at the moment. Please order one ASAP if you haven't done so already for your child's PE days. Thank you.

After school clubs

Monday – Wildcats Girls football
Yrs 5/6

Tuesday – Multiskills Yrs $\frac{3}{4}$,
Keyboard club and Choir club.

Wednesday – Boxercise (Y6)

Thursday – Ukulele club, Cross
stitch club, Multiskills (Yrs1/2)
and Lego club for Yrs $\frac{1}{2}$.

Year 5 had a great afternoon meeting our inspirational local heroes on Monday.



Please make sure you contact school on 0113 2760771 as soon as possible to let us know if your child will not be attending school due to illness.



Please make sure you arrive at school on time at **8.50am**. The gates will be locked at 9am.

Gates will open at **3.10pm**. Please ensure you are on time to collect your child.

Wearing a face mask is advisable but not compulsory.



schoolmoney

We are now a cashless school. Please contact the school office if you are having trouble paying for items online.

School Uniform 2021-22

Navy Blue Round Neck Jumper
Navy Blue Cardigan
White Polo Shirt
Grey Trousers/Skirt/Pinafore/shorts
Grey Salwar Kameez
Navy Blue Headscarf
Blue gingham checked summer dress
Black shoes/ankle boots

P.E Kit

White t-shirt (Short or long sleeved)
Black jogging bottoms/leggings or shorts
Jade green Greenmount hoody
Black trainers or pumps

Jumpers, cardigans and polo shirts will be available with the Greenmount logo on or you can buy the plain ones and wear them. They are widely available from lots of supermarkets and retailers.

Health and safety

If your child wants to wear earrings they must be small studs only, please.

Please remember.....

- To arrive at school on time at 8.50am and collect your children at 3.10pm.
- To send your child wearing their PE kit on the correct day.
- To send your child with a coat and water bottle each day.
- To bring book bags back to school every Monday.

Safety - We take safety very seriously at our school

- If you have any concerns or observations regarding health and safety please contact: Mrs Dixon, Mrs Randall, Mrs Jackson or Mr Potts.
- If you have any concerns or questions regarding Child Protection issues or safeguarding please contact: Mrs Randall, Mrs Dixon, Mrs Khattun or Mrs Ahmed.