



Little Gaddesden C of E Primary School

Headteacher: Lorna Elkes

Thursday 15th June 2023

Coming up... (new items)

Summer Term

Tuesday 13th June - Friday 16th June School Book Fair

Friday 16th June - Class 2 sports trip

Wednesday 21st June - Friday 23rd June - Class 4 residential trip

Monday 26th June - Friday 30th June - whole school Science week

Wednesday 28th June - Sports day: 9:30am

Tuesday 4th July - Class 4 - local RE trip

Thursday 6th July - Class 1 - local trip about animals and habitats .

Tuesday 11th July - Whole school singing performance (afternoon)

Wednesday 12th - Maypole and refreshments from FOLGS from 2:00pm

Friday 14th July 5pm - Inter-village sports event at Little Gaddesden

Tuesday 18th July - Class 3 history trip

Wednesday 19th July - Class 2 local Science trip

Friday 21st July - Leavers service 9:15am

Friday 21st July - Term ends at 1:30pm

Dear Parents and Carers,

Whilst the warm weather is very welcome, please be assured that we are mindful of the heat and sun. Can I remind you that children should not be bringing any suncream into school, please apply in the morning. Children are actively encouraged to seek shade and reminded about wearing hats.

Book fair

Our Book fair has again been very successful, thank you for all your support.

Tomorrow morning (Friday) is the final chance to buy books before the fair leaves for this year. Full details: [Book Fair 2023.pdf](#)





The children have really enjoyed reading their new books

Quidditch: The two coaches, who travel the country teaching this were very impressed by the behaviour and engagement of our pupils as well as the enthusiasm shown by the adults supporting each of the teams.

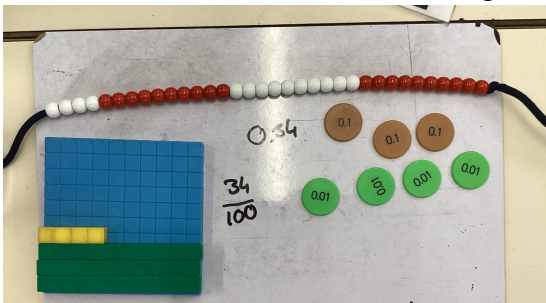


Thank you for all the positive comments relating to this. We really appreciate your feedback and that you take the time to share it.

Class 1 We have arranged to take the children to Whipsnade zoo. [zoo trip .pdf](#)

Class 2 The children are really enjoying learning about food chains.

Class 3 - We have been using our fraction learning to explore tenths and hundredths as decimals. The children used a range of equipment to represent different values.



Class 4 - Have been finding out about the Viking raid on Lindisfarne. Writing as a Monk or Viking they have considered the ease at which the raid took place and the impact on the Holy Island.

Local activities:

'Page One' - a fun and laid-back approach to encouraging reading among 7-11 year olds.

■ *Page One.pdf*

■ *Sports Courses this Summer Holiday 2023.pdf*

Berkhamsted Lawn Tennis Club in conjunction with the Lawn Tennis Association (LTA) and Wilson Tennis will be running the Berkhamsted Lawn Tennis Club Community Primary Schools Festival! We will also be raising money for the Cancer Research Charity, set up by our partners Wilson Tennis. The Event will take place on the 9th of July 2023 between 2-4pm and we would like to invite all Year 1s and 2s down for the day.

The event will consist of on court activities and will be **COMPLETELY FREE** for all participants. All equipment will be provided and refreshments will be available.

There will be prizes for all attendees and at the end of the festival one school will be crowned as Festival Champions 2023 and take the trophy back to their school.

To book - <https://berkhamstedtennisfit.as.me/schoolsfestival2023>

To donate - <https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/berkhamsted-lawn-tennis-club>

Support for families locally:

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■ *Dacorum ParentCarers Courses and Support - Summer Term.pdf*

■ *DSPL8 ParentsCarers Newsletter - Summer Term.pdf*

Have a lovely weekend.

Lorna Elkes
Headteacher