



Little Gaddesden C of E Primary School

Headteacher: Lorna Elkes

Together in Community

Built on our Christian values, rooted in the parable of the Good Samaritan

Thursday 1st February 2024

Coming up... (new items)

Spring Term

Monday 5th - Friday 9th February - Well-being week.

Wednesday 14th February - Class 3 & 4 reading and mathematics workshop for parents 9.00am.

Wednesday 14th February - Class 3 Tag Rugby at Tring School

Thursday 15th February - in-school lunchtime STEM activity children in KS2

Monday 19th - Friday 23rd February - HALF TERM

Thursday 29th February - Year 1 sport at Hemel sports centre

Wednesday 13th March - Year 2 athletics at Berkhamsted sports centre

Thursday 14th March - Music evening 6pm

Friday 15th March - Red Nose Day

Tuesday 19th - Thursday 21st March - Parent meetings:

Tuesday 19th March - Class 4 - 2.00pm - 4.30pm

Wednesday 20th March - Class 3 - 2.00pm - 4.30pm

Wednesday 20th March - Class 2 - 1.30pm - 4.30pm

Thursday 21st March - All Classes - 4.00pm - 7.00pm

Monday 25th March - Author visit

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are very much looking forward to our wellbeing week, next week. Mrs Blumsom has arranged a whole host of activities for the children to enjoy.

[wellbeing week Feb 2024.pdf](#) has full details for the week.

For both the BMX bike (Tuesday classes 3 & 4) and the scooter (Thursday class 2) workshops all equipment, including helmets, will be provided. However children are welcome to bring in their own helmets to use if preferred.

If any class 2 pupils are not yet able to ride a 2 wheel scooter but have their own '3 wheeler' are very welcome to bring it along to use in the activity.

For next week - PE kit will be needed:

Class 1- Friday

Class 2 - Wednesday and Thursday and Friday

Class 3 - Monday, Tuesday and Friday

Class 4 - Monday, Tuesday and Friday

Preloved School uniform

Huge thank you to Mrs Emmett, for managing our pre-loved uniform. If there are items you would like to purchase, but didn't get the chance, please let the school office know and we can put you in touch with Mrs Emmett and the team who manage it.

Measles cases increasing

We have been asked to share the following information with you by Hertfordshire County Council. As always please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

📎 Measles Letter for parents 1.2.24.pdf 📎 Measles_adults_DL_Leaflet_03_.pdf

Message from the Governors

Every year the Governors of Little Gaddesden School prepare a [Parent Survey](#). The survey is really important for us as Governors to hear from you, as Parents, about your experiences at Little Gaddesden School. Your views will help us to support the Headteacher, teachers and support staff in delivering an excellent school environment, care, support and education to your children; but also it will help us as Governors to hear your parents' voice and understand your views and opinions to shape the management of the school. We encourage you to complete the survey, the responses are confidential and much appreciated, as it is important we all work together to support the children's educational journey at Little Gaddesden School.

[Survey](#)

Support for families locally

📎 BF Anxiety Unravelling Spring 2023.png

📎 DSPL8 ParentsCarers Newsletter - Spring Term - 24.01.2024.pdf

📎 Dacorum ParentCarers Courses and Support - Spring Term - 24.01.2024.pdf

Local information

The Village VPA is again running it's Winter show - [VPA Winter Show - Little Gaddesden VPA](#)

📎 Basketball half term camp.pdf

📎 VPA Entry form winter show.pdf

📎 Tring Swimming Club school flyer jan 2024.pdf

📎 Tech holiday Camp.pdf

Wishing you all a sunny weekend.

Lorna Elkes

Headteacher

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Dates for your diaries (Reminders)

- Folk Club Evening - 25th of April 2024
- The Little Gaddesden “Happy” Circus - 19th of September 2024

Thank you!

Will, Ben, Claire, Sarah, Rebecca, Emma, Simon