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This week at Keresley Grange..



Friday 3rd October

INSET DAY – NEXT FRIDAY

All children will be off school on 10/10/25 as it is an INSET Day for teacher training.

WEAR RED DAY – FRIDAY 17th OCTOBER

On Friday 17th, all children are to come to school wearing something red – it could be a whole red outfit or just a red hair band. This is to Show Racism The Red Card <https://www.theredcard.org/wear-red-day/>

Message from Mr Astley

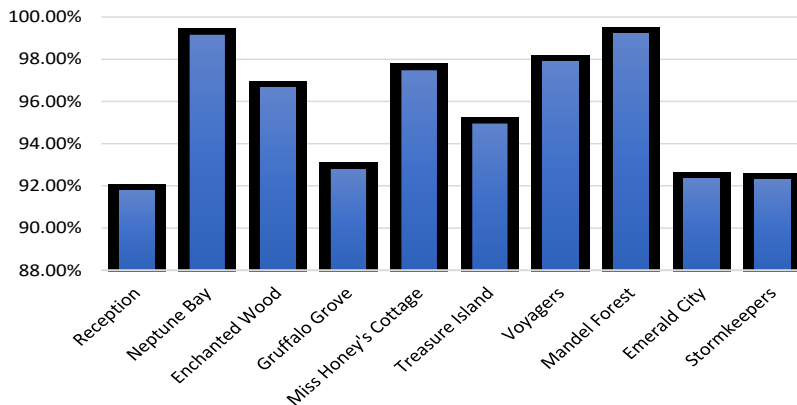
Wow! We're already in October and your children are working so hard. The children have really been enjoying their new History topics, with some great work happening across the school about different periods of time such as The Tudors and The Romans! Children have started the year really enthusiastically about their learning this year. It has been lovely seeing children striding up the corridor with pride to show me their great work, right across the curriculum.

At the moment, teachers are working hard to make our PE lessons really exciting for our children and helping them to make even better progress with these skills. Reception, Year 1 and 2 have been loving being taught PE by Linda in some of their PE lessons.

With all of this great learning going on, make sure your children get some rest and do something nice as a family this weekend.

Thank you for your support, as ever

Best Attendance



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KS1

Well done to Neptune Bay for having a near perfect attendance of 99.17%

KS2

Well done to Mandel Forest for also having near perfect attendance of 99.22%
Lets' see if anyone can beat them next week!

Personal Data

It is your responsibility to keep your contact details up to date with the school office. Please note you can opt in or out of photo permissions at any time by contacting the school office or through Studybugs.

Parent-Teacher Meetings

All parents are expected to meet your child's teacher to find out how they have settled into their new classes.

These meetings are happening on Wed **22nd** and Thurs **23rd October** after school. More details about how to book your slot next week

Harvest Donations – next week

Next week, we are holding our Harvest Assemblies.

If you can donate an in date and not used packet or tin of food, we can show our EMPATHY value by helping to provide food for others. Please bring them in from Monday.

Tomorrow's Engineers Week

From 10th November, we are holding a Careers Week and working with WMG at Warwick University to give our children a great experience of engineering. If you or someone you know does an exciting job and would like to talk to some children about it in that week, please let Mr Astley know as soon as possible.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Mrs Forde is organising a HUGE fundraising campaign to help give our children even better technology to use in school. We are looking to raise £20,000! We will be working closely with our PTFA to set up lots of exciting events to help raise this money. We know how SUCCESSFUL our school community can be. Look out for more news soon about an exciting launch event!

Meet...Miss Smith (Gruffalo Grove teacher)

Hi, I'm Miss Smith and I'm so pleased to be a part of the team here at Keresley Grange as a Year 1/2 teacher in Gruffalo Grove class. I'm really keen to ensure pupils have a supportive classroom which enables every child to feel confident and ready to learn. Outside of school, I love keeping active – especially through running and swimming. I'm really looking forward to getting to know the whole school community even better!



Mobile Phones & Photos on the school site

Keep mobile phones out of sight of children. You are not permitted to use mobile phones during the working day or to take photographs of children on personal devices. You must refrain from posting photos or recordings on social media, websites or any public forum.

Please do not screenshot photos of any children from our official Facebook page and repost them on your own pages. Please do not use children's names when commenting on our Facebook posts.

Parking

Please continue to remember safety and park carefully at Coundon Hall Park car park or on the side of roads. If possible, please try to park a little further away and walk some of the distance.