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This week at Keresley Grange..



## Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2026

### Toothbrushing Guide

You all know how important your child's teeth are but it can be a battle with your child, for lots of reasons. We have found a guide which has some really useful hints in. It is attached to this newsletter.

### School expansion consultation

Thank you to those parents who attended our meeting about this yesterday. Our consultation finishes next **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March**. If you have any comments/questions to make, please email them to: [expansion@keresleygrange.coventry.sch.uk](mailto:expansion@keresleygrange.coventry.sch.uk)  
Find out more information and look at the information shared at the meeting on our website: <https://www.keresleygrange.co.uk/news/?pid=3&nid=1&storyid=1113>

**We hope to hold another meeting soon to share our exciting building plans with you!**

### Breakfast Club survey

The Department for Education would like to know what Keresley Grange parents think of breakfast clubs. Please give your responses:

[https://ipsos.uk/BCLUB\\_XFF](https://ipsos.uk/BCLUB_XFF)

## Message from Mr Astley

What a great week of fun it has been at Keresley Grange this week. As ever, the effort put into the costumes for World Book Day was excellent and children had lots of fun being Harry Potter, Matilda and so on! I am pleased to say that there was no Matilda 'behaviour' though!!

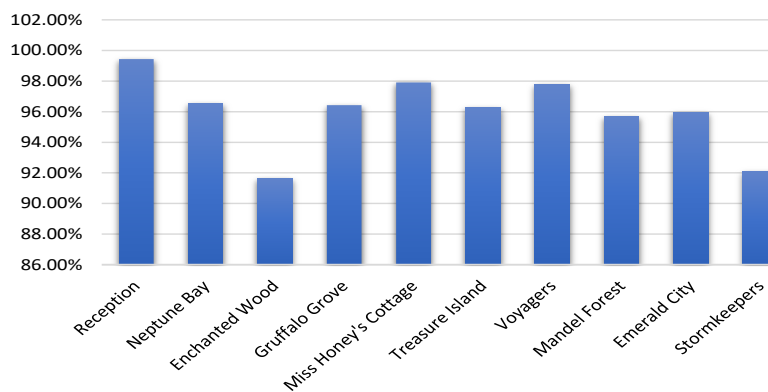
Today, thank you so much for your donations for our PTFA Spring Fairlet, which is happening after school on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March. Your support is always crucial.

We are entering a really busy time in school and, as it is a short half-term, we are cramming lots in. Your help is so important. Please ensure that your child does the homework they are given, and are always reading and practising number facts. These important skills for life will help your child every day in school.

Year 6 children are working up towards their SATs tests in May. If your child is in Year 6, please make sure they do their extra homework – it can make such a difference.

Have a lovely weekend. Hopefully we will continue to see the sun!

### Best Attendance



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Wow! It has been a superb week for attendance, with us blasting the national average attendance through the roof with a whopping 96.4%. This has meant that most of our children have been able to make great progress in their learning this week. Let's keep this up!

If your child is not in school for one morning, they will miss 3 lessons. If they miss a whole day, they will miss 5 lessons. They will not get this learning time back and this can make a difference in their termly tests. So that your child can do well, make sure they are in school every day on time. Important tests are happening in a few weeks and every day counts towards this.

### Parking and road safety

Our Year 5 Junior PCSOs were out with the speed cameras this week on Waste Lane. Make sure you impress them with your safe driving and parking when bringing your child to and from school. Think about our neighbours as well, please.

### Tip of the week...

Do you fancy getting out and about this weekend? Have you tried these local places?

<https://visitcoventry.co.uk/things-to-do/activities/adventure-outdoor/>

### MEGA MONDAYS!

We gave out our first prizes this week for randomly selected children who were in school on time on Monday. Your child could be next so make sure they are **in school by 8:55am on Monday!**

### 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.



### Fri 20<sup>th</sup> March – Comic Relief AND PTFA Fairlet

During the day we will be raising money for Comic Relief. Please also remember to spend some money at our PTFA Fairlet after school on this day.