

This week at WGPA ...

Term 1 – Monday 16 September 2024



WEST GRANTHAM

Church of England Primary Academy

Dear families,

Last week was a busy week in school, the children have all settled and engaged well with their learning. The children actively **'champion, rejoice and achieve'** in all areas of the curriculum. Each class have their curriculum novel which is centred around a big question; these can all be found on our newly designed school website <https://www.wgpacademy.org.uk/> this contains key information about our wonderful school.

In school we have developed 'team houses'; the children voted for their house captains last week, I wonder which house will be in the lead when we gather the points this week? In school we are actively promoting activities to support the children to become 'agents for change' this will involve a variety of community events and activities.

On Friday we will be supporting the Jeans for Genes Charity. Children are invited to come to school wearing their school polo shirt with a pair of jeans this Friday. A small donation of 50p is welcome, however I must stress that this is not compulsory. Children will be learning about why we are supporting this charity during our collective worship on Wednesday.

Mrs Drury is on the road to recovery and is hoping to be back in school very soon. We send her our love and best wishes.

Have a wonderful week and as always please do not hesitate to make contact if I can help in anyway,

Mrs Smyth

Key diary dates:

Week commencing 16th September

Reception Baseline Assessments to be completed (if you have any questions, please see Mrs Thacker)

Friday 20th September
Jenes for Genes Day

Wednesday 25th September
Lockdown Drill

Friday 27th September
National Teaching Assistants Day

Wednesday 2nd October
EYFS Open Event 2025-2026

Friday 4th October
National Teachers Day

Wednesday 9th October
Mental Health parent workshop

Thursday 10th October
World Mental Health Day

Tuesday 15th and Wednesday 16th October
Parents Consultations

Wednesday 16th October
School photographs

Friday 18th October
Whole School Values Assembly

Friday 18th October
Last day of term 1

Monday 28th October
INSET DAY

Tuesday 29th October
First day of term 2

Our School Vision

To champion and rejoice in those we serve, creating an environment where excellence is achieved and potential fulfilled.



Mental Health Parent Workshop

WEDNESDAY 9TH OCTOBER 2PM

Following the success of the last event, the Pastoral Team are holding another Parent Workshop for World Mental Health Day.

Come for a cuppa, treats, and some discussion together about 'Developing Healthy Sleep Patterns'

ALL PARENTS & CARERS INVITED!

Our Pastoral Team:

Miss Greaves
Mr Deighton
Mrs Coverley
Mrs McGibbon
Mrs Mammatt

The team are on hand daily to support, they also hold weekly drop-in sessions at the Hope Community Café. They will also be leading a variety of workshops throughout the year.