

# Home/School Link Diary



**This Home/School Link Diary Belongs to:**

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**Class / Team**

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**My P.E. days are**

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Green Wrythe Primary School

Green Wrythe Lane

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Tel: 0208 648 4989

# Using your Home/School Link Diary

Please ensure your child brings this Home/School Link Diary with them to school every day.

**The Reading Diary Section** contains a weekly reading record to log home reading. Reading at home with your child is vital to their education and will help them progress across all areas of the curriculum.

Please talk to your child about what they have read and feel free to write a comment. (Was it interesting? Was it too easy/hard for them to read? What was your favourite part?)

**The Home School communication section** is intended to facilitate communication between school and home. Any issues or worries that parents or teachers may have can be recorded here.

**Please sign your child's Home/School Link Diary on a daily basis under the initials section.**

We have also included some **information pages** packed with key learning topics to help your child with English, Phonics and Maths.

# Term dates for 2025 to 2026

## Autumn term 2025

- **Inset Days: Monday 1st & Tuesday 2nd September 2025**
- **First day in for children: Wednesday 3rd September 2025**
- Half-term: 27th October to 31st October 2025
- **Inset Days: Monday 3rd November & Tuesday 4th November**
- **First day for children after half-term: Wednesday 5th November 2025**
- **Last Day of Term: Friday 19th December 2025 at 1.30p.m.**

## Spring term 2026

- **Inset Day: Monday 5th January 2026**
- **First day in for children: Tuesday 6th January 2026**
- Half-term: 16th February to 20th February 2026
- **Last day of Term: Friday 27th March 2026 finishing at 1.30p.m.**

*Note: Good Friday is on 3rd April and Easter Monday is on 6th April 2026*

## Summer term 2026

- **First day in for children: Monday 13th April 2026**
- Half-term: 25th May to 29th May 2026
- **Inset Day: Monday 1st June 2026**
- **First day for children after half-term: Tuesday 2nd June 2026**
- **Last day in for children: Friday 17th July 2026 at 1.30p.m.**

## Inset Days

Monday 1st September 2025  
Tuesday 2nd September 2025  
Monday 13th October 2025  
Monday 3rd November 2025  
Tuesday 4th November 2025  
Monday 5th January 2026  
Monday 23rd February 2026  
Monday 1st June 2026

*Please also refer to the website for updates to the school's calendar.*

# Behaviour for Learning Policy

Our Behaviour for Learning Policy aims to:

*Create a happy, vibrant, nurturing environment with high expectations for all.*

We believe that in order to enable effective teaching and learning, good behaviour is necessary. We seek to create and maintain an environment of mutual respect and understanding in which everyone can participate and take responsibility for the learning process by:

- Creating a consistent and positive approach to behaviour management throughout the school
- Creating an environment in which all children can feel safe, secure and respected
- Establishing an ethos of accepting difference and tolerance across the school
- Helping children understand, moderate and manage their own behaviour in ways that will be acceptable in the wider society in which they live
- Enabling children to develop their own sense of self-worth as well as tolerance and respect for others

# **Our School Values**

**At Green Wrythe we are....**

**Aspirational**

**Compassionate**

**Inclusive**

**Resilient**

**Responsible**

**Reflective**

# **Our School Rules**

*We have one set of rules that everyone is expected to follow.*

We will be the best we can be.

We care for ourselves, others and the environment around us.

We respect everyone and ourselves.

We stay positive, stay strong and keep going.

We won't just tolerate, we will accept.

We always think things over.

# Uniform

School uniform plays a valuable role in contributing to the ethos of our school. The wearing of our school's uniform instils a sense of pride, supports positive behaviour, and encourages a sense of identity, belonging to the school and with each other. School uniform also supports effective teaching and learning as well-being practical and smart.

- Green sweatshirt or cardigan- one with the school logo is available from our school supplier (please ask office for details)
- Black trousers (**no leggings**), shorts (**no cycling shorts**) or skirt (skirt and shorts length – no shorter than above the knee)
- Bottle green polo shirt with or without school logo
- Green checked summer dress
- Hijab headdresses can be black or dark green.
- Black flat shoes (**no trainers or boots**)
- White or black socks, green or black tights

Other optional items with our school logo are also available: waterproof coat, backpack, book bag and P.E. bag.

## P.E. Kit

- White t shirt
- Plain black shorts and black jogging bottoms for the autumn/spring terms (weather dependent)
- Trainers or plimsolls in EYs/ KS1
- Trainers for all Juniors (KS2)
- All earrings must be removed independently for PE.

All articles of clothing must be **clearly labelled** with the child's name. The school cannot accept responsibility for any lost items.

## Jewellery and hair

The only jewellery allowed in school is a single pair of stud earrings.

Nail varnish, fake nails, makeup and tattoos, including the stick-on variety, are not permitted.

Hair accessories need to be green, white or black.

Hair must be a natural colour. For short haircuts, nothing below a number 2 and no patterns.

# Attendance, Punctuality & Medical Conditions

## Arrival at school

Children coming to school should use the main entrance. The gates open at 8.40am and close at 8.50. 9:00am for Rainbow children. Children arriving after this time must enter through the main school office where their lateness will be recorded and enquiries made.

Please show consideration to local residents when parking near the school and park responsibly and with due regard for local traffic.

It is important to make sure your child gets to school on time. Children who are late miss valuable learning time and often make a poor start to the day, which can have an adverse effect on their learning.

## Absence due to illness

If your child is absent from school because of illness, you need to inform us as soon as possible on the first morning of absence via a telephone call or email. If your child is then away from school for more days please keep us informed.

## Leave of Absence Requests

Good attendance throughout the year is in the best interest of your child's education. The Governing Body have instructed that authorisation for absences will not be given for outings, family holidays, shopping trips or family visits. Green Wrythe School has a policy, reflecting national policy, which states holiday leave during term time should only be granted in exceptional circumstances. You will be liable for a fine if you take your child/children out of school during term time. If you do require leave for exceptional circumstances, this should be put in writing and emailed for the attention of the Head Teacher, Mrs De Sampayo, to [office@greenwps.org](mailto:office@greenwps.org).

## Medical Conditions and Accidents

If your child has a medical condition or needs to take medication during the school day please speak to the school office so that we can manage your child's condition at school.



# GREEN WRYTHE PRIMARY - HOME SCHOOL AGREEMENT

Mission Statement - 'We promote the well-being of everyone in a happy, vibrant,

nurturing environment with high expectations for all'

Vision - 'Be the best we can be'

## **Agreement for children**

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Signature (Pupil):

## **Agreement for School**

To help your child at school, we will

- Provide a balanced curriculum which meets the needs of individual children
- Encourage children to do their best at all times
- Ensure the school environment is a safe, caring and happy place
- Keep you informed about your child's education and report regularly on progress and behaviour
- Listen to and respond to needs and concerns
- Treat all people in school with consideration and respect
- Update you with regular newsletters

Signature (Class Teacher):

Signature (Head Teacher):

## **Agreement for parents/carers**

To help my child at school, I will

- Ensure that my child attends school regularly, on time and with the correct uniform and equipment
- Contact the school if my child is going to be absent
- Let the school know about any concerns or problems that might affect my child's work or behaviour
- Support the school's policies and rules
- Support my child with home learning
- Attend parents' meetings and discussions, respond to letters and reports about my child
- Treat all people in the school with consideration and respect

Signature (Parent/Carer):

