



Garton on the Wolds Church of England (V.C.) Primary School

Newsletter

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GARTON'S GOT TALENT

Well done to everyone who took part in the Garton's Got Talent competition. The judges were very impressed by the quality and talent on show; we definitely have some stars in the making!

Thank you to all those parents who attended and supported the children during their performances.

COMIC RELIEF 2026

Thank you to everyone who supported our Comic Relief appeal in school today. The children all looked fantastic in their red clothing; the buns were very well received too, thank you! We managed to raise over £100.00 pounds for the charity. Well done!



EASTER EVENTS

On **Friday 27th March 2026**, you are invited to an Easter Service at **9:15 a.m. in the church**. An Easter Bonnet Parade will also take place during the service.

During the day, all children will take part in an Easter egg hunt.

On behalf of the pupils and staff, we would like to take this opportunity of thanking the Friends of School for purchasing the eggs for the hunt and the prizes for the Easter bonnets!

Please could we ask that the children make their Easter bonnets at home and bring them into school on the morning of Friday 27th March, in preparation for the parade.

We have also organised a decorated egg competition to be held on the same day. Please could any entries be decorated at home and brought into school on the morning of Thursday 26th March, in preparation for the judging.



PARENT/TEACHER INTERVIEWS

Thank you to all those parents who took the time to meet with your child's class teacher.

We hope you found this to be a valuable meeting and learnt more about how your child is progressing, both academically and socially. Please be reminded, that if required, class teachers can be contacted through the Class Dojo app or an appointment can be made by contacting the school office.



END OF FINANCIAL YEAR

As we approach the end of the financial year, please can we ask that any outstanding monies are paid as soon as possible. Thank you for your support.



SWIMMING LESSONS

Swimming lessons for our Year 3, 4 and specific Year 5 pupils will commence on Thursday 16th April.

Lessons will take place during the afternoon session.

A letter providing further information has been distributed to the parents of those children involved.



EASTER HOLIDAYS



The children finish for the Easter holidays on Friday **27th March** and return to school on **Tuesday 14th April**.

BANK HOLIDAYS

Please note the school will be closed on **Monday 4th May**, for the bank holiday.



We *STILL* Need Your Vote!
Tesco Stronger Starts School
Library Project

As you are aware, the voting has now started and will continue until the end of March 2026.



Our goal is to enhance the school library into an inspiring, inclusive space where every child can read, learn, and explore their imagination. With your support, we can make this vision a reality.

Tesco Stronger Starts supports projects that benefit children and young people. The amount awarded is based on customer votes in our region:

- 1st place: Up to £1,500
- 2nd place: Up to £1,000
- 3rd place: £500

If we finish first, we will receive the full amount we requested - £1,500.

You can support our project by placing a blue token at the Driffeld Tesco store.

Remember:

- You receive one token per transaction, regardless of how much you spend.
- You do not need to purchase a carrier bag to receive a token.

Please tell your family and friends! Thank you for your continued support—together, we can enhance our library space that our pupils truly deserve!

PARENT/TODDLER GROUP

Our Parent/toddler group will continue to take place, on a Monday morning from 9:45 – 11:15 a.m. The Parent/toddler group is open to parents with children aged 0-4 years.



Please note that there is no charge for attendance at the group.

All members of the local community are more than welcome to attend, please do spread the word. Thank you.

SCHOOL CHOIR

Our school choir continues to take place on a Thursday morning from 8:30 a.m. with Mrs Heaton. The choir is open to all children in Key Stage 1 and 2 (Classes 2, 3 & 4). Please note there is no charge for the children to attend the choir.



AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

The After School Club continues to run from 3.30 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. each day. The themes for the Spring term are: -



Monday	Cookery Club
Tuesday	Indoor/Outdoor Games
Wednesday	Craft Club
Thursday	Needlecraft Club
Friday	Model Making Club

WHAT'S HAPPENING
W/C 23rd March 2026

Mon 23 rd	Class 1 visit Parent/Toddler group After School Club -Cookery Club
Tues 24 th	After School Club – Outdoor/Indoor Games Mr Wood After School Multi-Sports Club
Wed 25 th	Rev Jane in school – Easter crafts After School Craft Club
Thur 26 th	FS2 & Year 6 Pupils – Height, Weight and Measure programme After School Needlecraft Club After School Musical Theatre Club
Fri 27 th	9:15 – Easter Service in the church Easter bonnet parade Easter egg hunt After School Model Making Club Children break up for the Easter holidays.



Before & After School Club – Spring Term Booking Form

Child/ren's Name _____

Week 5	Before School Club			After School Club		
	7.45am –8.55am	8.00am -8.55 am	8.30am – 8.55 am	3.30pm – 4.00 pm	3.30pm – 4.30 pm	3.30pm-5.00 pm
Monday						
Tuesday						
Wednesday						
Thursday						
Friday						