



The Greg Vine



Issue 1

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HAPPY NEW YEAR!



Clubs & Activities

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

AT Sports

3.30-4.30pm

Friday

Just Gymnastics with Millie
Jones

8-8.45am

OUT OF SCHOOL CLUB NEW

MOBILE NUMBER

07707 150526

A Happy New Year and very warm welcome back to all the children and families at St. Gregory's.

It's been my pleasure this week to start to get to know the children and staff, and I've been humbled by the kindness and warm welcome which have been extended to me. I am both proud and excited to be the headteacher at this wonderful, small school.

What has struck me as I walk around the classes is how dedicated the staff are to doing their absolute best for your children. We are passionate about providing the best education and support that we can, and have high aspirations for what our learners can achieve, while maintaining pupil wellbeing through a caring approach.

The New Year is a great time to restart any positive habits which may have been sidetracked during the build up to Christmas, such as regular reading, homework and bedtime routines and I would encourage you to renew the focus on these areas, if required.

The school staff began the year with an inspirational day of training at Lacey Green Academy, where we learnt how to implement Read Write Inc, a highly-effective approach for the teaching of reading and phonics. I am looking forward to sharing further details of this with you next week.

We are also planning in the near future to provide details of forthcoming clubs, including football. Please look out for announcements as soon as we can confirm dates and arrangements.

I am very grateful for your support and look forward to meeting more of you in the near future.

Mr. Perry



Birthdays this week

No birthdays this week :(



PTA UPDATE

CLASS ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK

	Attendance	Lateness
Class 1	98.6%	2
Class 2	98.9%	0
Class 3	92.5%	2

THIS WEEK CLASS TWO ARE THE
"SUPADUPAS"

Wishing everyone a Happy New Year!

PTA Chairperson vacancy - please get in touch if you're interested.

Christmas Raffle and Tombola - Over £1800 raised, with £900 going to our PTA!! Special thanks to Liz Murphy for organising and to everyone for their generosity!

Easy fundraising -We're doing great! Don't forget to raise donations when online shopping in the January sales. ;)

SPORTS, CLASS & OTHER NEWS

Class One

In maths we are learning about shapes and sorting patterns.

We have enjoyed meeting our friends after the holiday and have been playing lots of games in the playground at break time.

In assembly with Mr Perry, we have been talking about being kind.

By Blaize S & Amelia W

Class Three

In maths we are learning about Ratio. We are also doing multiplication and division speed tests in which we have 15 minutes to answer 144 questions. In literacy we are writing descriptions about our new story, which we don't know about yet!

In art we are looking at African Art.

By Samson A & William E



Class Two

In maths we are doing a lot on multiplying and dividing by 9 & 6. In literacy we wrote a diary entry about our holidays

In Spanish we have been learning names of foods and we listened to a story read in Spanish about a greedy rat! In Spain to celebrate Epiphany, people leave hay and shoes at their door hoping for gifts when the Kings come. In RE we talked about Epiphany and the meaning of this. The Wise came to visit the new baby Jesus and brought gifts of gold, frankincense and Myrrh.

By Bruno A & Oisín P