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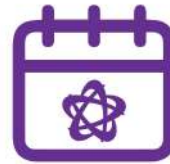
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The GLC Parent Newsletter

Autumn 1 2026



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from CEO



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At the GLC, we are very proud of what we continue to achieve together. We have the most wonderful young people-it really is a privilege to work with them, a fantastic staff team, committed governors and directors and extremely supportive parents and carers. It is this partnership that enables us to bring our motto All Different, All Equal, Together Improving Upon Our Best to life at each of our academies and across the GLC.

We have had a fantastic start to the new academic year. We have, once again, celebrated our highest results ever across the GLC as all our schools achieved results above the national average; in phonics, in the MTC, at the end of Key Stage 2 and in GCSES.

These results are testament to the commitment and excellent teaching from our staff, our focus to put our core values at the heart of everything we do and the amazing range of experiences and opportunities. We are also excited to be part of key community projects, for instance, the Youth Zone is well under way and will open next year-see aerial photos on page 7.

It is lovely to see the journey our children make from being 9 months in some cases all the way through to Year 11 and beyond. We love hearing about their success with apprenticeships, going on to the best Universities and onto exciting roles, sometimes, back at The GLC family.

We are also very grateful for all the support you give to your children, to our schools and across The GLC.

Have a good half term.



EXCEPTIONAL RESULTS!

Maths and English Results are Above the National Average

In Every GLC Academy



Celebrating Attendance Across the GLC!

We are incredibly proud of the 12 children across the GLC who achieved **three or more years of 100% attendance** and received a special award at the GLC Student Awards!



We are also delighted to celebrate **Herringham Primary Academy's** recognition in the FFT Attendance Awards, placing in the **Top 10% of the most improved FFT primary schools in England** for the 2025/26 academic year and the **Top 25% of similar FFT primary schools nationally** for attendance during the Summer Term 2025/26. These fantastic achievements recognise the commitment of our pupils, families and staff to making every school day count!



National School Attendance Award

2025/26 Academic Year



Herringham Primary Academy

Top 10% Most Improved FFT Primary Schools in England



National School Attendance Award

2025/26 Summer Term



Herringham Primary Academy

Top 25% of similar FFT Primary Schools in England



KS2

Summer Term 2026
Attendance Certificate -
Primary Similar Schools

This is awarded to schools whose Summer Term 2026 attendance was in the top 10% or top 25% of all FFT primary schools in similar circumstances. This is based on the proportion of FSM pupils from the January 2026 school census.



KS2

2025/2026 Attendance
Certificate - Most
improved primary
attendance

This is awarded to primary schools whose overall attendance improvement from 2024/25 to 2025/26 was in the top 10% or 25% of all FFT primary schools nationally.

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The GLC is a National Read-Aloud Challenge 2026 Finalist

The Gateway Learning Community has been shortlisted as a finalist for the Multi-Academy Trust Award in the National Read-Aloud Challenge 2026!

This is a fantastic achievement. Across July and August, pupils from your schools came together to read, read aloud and keep their reading momentum going all summer long. Every story they read added to your Trust's total, and together they've earned Gateway Learning Community a place among the very best in the country.



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#WeWill

Primary More Able Maths Masterclass Prime Numbers

The Primary More Able Maths Masterclass on Prime Numbers was a great success, with a fantastic turnout and strong engagement from both pupils and parents. The session was well resourced, and it was particularly encouraging to see parents actively supporting their children in developing their understanding of prime numbers.

Parent/ Pupil Voice

"Masterclass was insightful and well presented"

"Instructions were clear and explained in detail"

"Equipment and resources provided are really good"

"Maths masterclass was engaging, informative and I enjoy the class. I have more in depth knowledge on what factors, co-prime, prime and cryptography is. Thank you for organising."





#WeWill

Casson and Friends Dance Project GLC School Tour

We are incredibly proud of all the children who took part in the Leaving and Arriving dance project with Casson & Friends. Through their rehearsals and school tour performances, the children demonstrated our core values and competencies brilliantly. They showed responsibility by committing to rehearsals and supporting one another, aspiration by challenging themselves and performing with confidence, creativity through their ideas, movement and expression, and communication by working as a team and sharing the story of our Tilbury community. It was wonderful to see the children grow in confidence throughout the project and represent our trust so positively — well done to everyone involved!





Youth Zone Progress

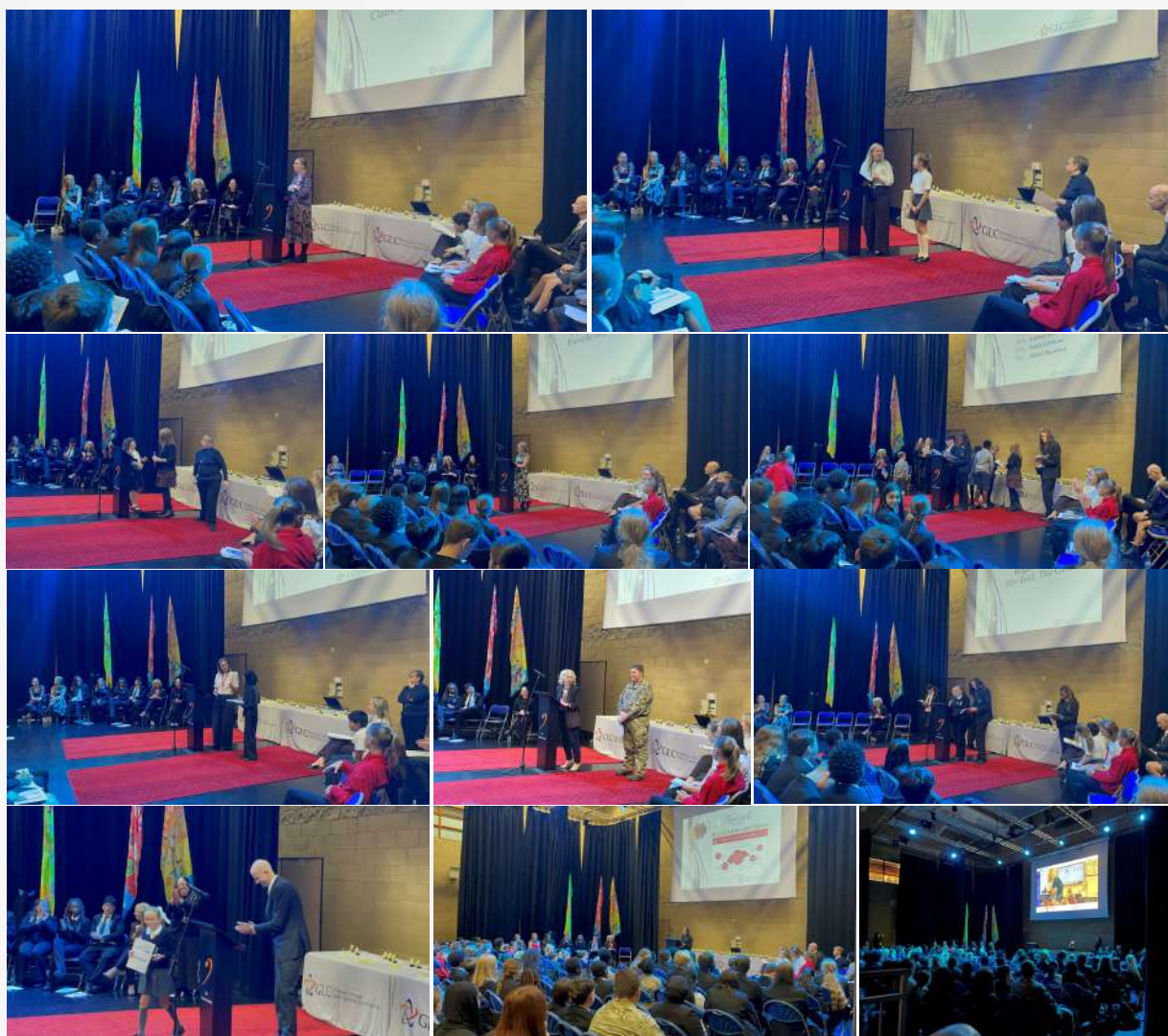
We are excited to share with you the progress made on the Youth Zone.





The GLC Student Awards Ceremony

This term, we celebrated the incredible achievements of students from across the Gateway Learning Community at our Student Awards Ceremony. It was a wonderful evening recognising academic success, creativity, dedication, resilience and the many ways our young people have gone above and beyond. We were delighted to hear from **GLC colleagues Danielle Robertson and Claire Devonshire**, who shared their inspiring GLC journeys. The evening was hosted brilliantly by the **Gateway Academy Head and Deputy Head Students**, with our **Primary Head Children** proudly **presenting the awards**. A huge congratulations to all our award winners, especially our **GLC Young People of the Year** — you have truly embodied our values port one another and strive to improve upon their best.



Open Evening Success

A huge thank you to everyone who helped make our Gateway Academy Open Day such a fantastic success! It was wonderful to welcome prospective students and their families into the academy, giving them the opportunity to meet our staff, explore our facilities and experience the welcoming and inclusive environment we are so proud of. We were delighted by the positive feedback and interest throughout the day and evening, and we look forward to welcoming many of our visitors back to the Gateway Academy community in the future.

Click below to view the video



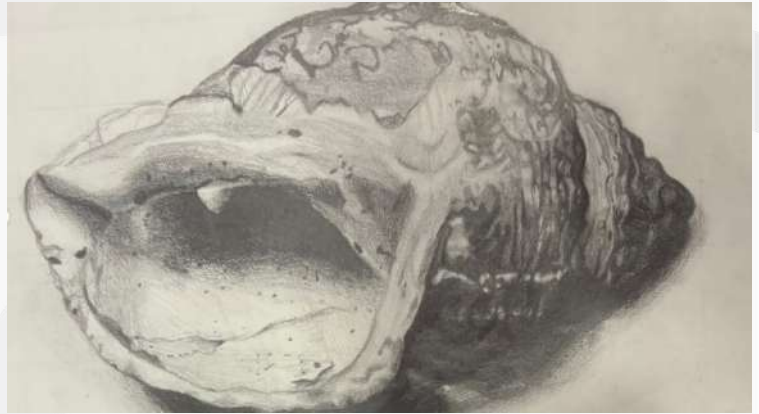
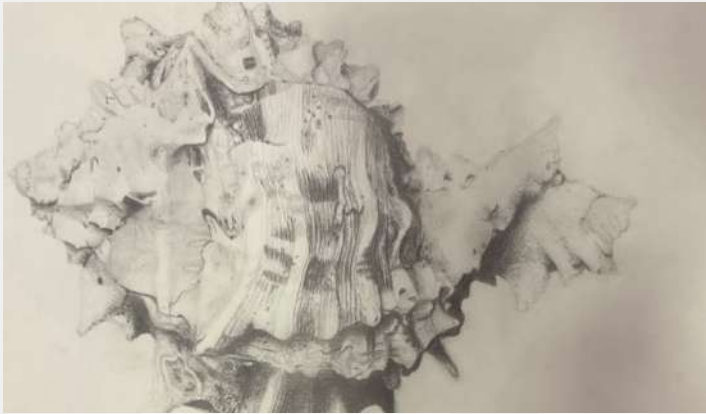
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Inspiring GCSE Art and Photography

Our Year 10 GCSE Art & Photography students are already exceeding our expectations with their creativity, commitment and enthusiasm. We can't wait to see all the amazing things they create!





Culture Day

Our Year 10 Leadership Team played a key role in planning and delivering a fantastic Culture Day 2026. Students enjoyed a wonderful range of activities, including food tasting in the canteen, face painting, henna-style tattoos, flag painting and bracelet making. The celebrations culminated in two outstanding performances from Sydney and our very own Year 10 band, who entertained our wonderful students and brought the day to a memorable close.

A huge well done to our Year 10 leaders for their creativity, enthusiasm and dedication in making Culture Day 2026 such a special celebration of culture, community and togetherness!



Upcoming whole-school production of Legally Blonde Jr.

We would also like to thank parents and carers for your continued support and encouragement throughout this process. We appreciate that rehearsals require commitment from students and families alike and your support makes a real difference in helping us bring this ambitious and exciting production to the stage.

We look forward to sharing more updates with you as we move closer to the performances. We are confident that the students' hard work and dedication will result in a fantastic show and we cannot wait for you to see what they have been working so tirelessly to achieve.

Thank you once again for your continued support. We are incredibly proud of all our students and look forward to celebrating their achievements in Legally Blonde Jr.





History Competitions, 2 Week Challenges

Our History Competition encourages students to explore beyond the curriculum and showcase their creativity! Week 1 challenged students to create Egyptian Top Trump Cards, with **Eglantine O'Neil Roman** announced as the winner. Week 3 focused on Roman mosaics, with **Ronnie Gainey** taking the prize! Week 5 will celebrate Black History Month. Students have the chance to win a £10 Lakeside voucher, with a grand prize draw at the end of the academic year!





Learning New Games Together

During wet play, the children have been learning new games to enjoy with their peers. These activities provide valuable opportunities to develop communication and social skills, build resilience, practise turn-taking and cooperation, and encourage positive relationships with others. The children have really enjoyed learning new games, working together and having fun with their friends, while developing their confidence and ability to play cooperatively.





Wacky Hair Day

What a fantastic day we had across the whole school for our Wacky Hair Day!

It was brilliant to see everyone getting involved, showing their creativity and enjoying the opportunity to do something a little different. A huge thank you to all our families for helping create such fantastic hairstyles and supporting the day.

What a wonderfully wacky day!





Drumming in Year 4

Year 4 had their first exciting steel pan drumming lesson this term! The children were introduced to the instruments and learnt how to hold their beaters correctly before having a go at playing different notes on the pans. They listened carefully, followed instructions and showed great enthusiasm as they began to explore the sounds and rhythms of the steel pans. It was a fantastic first lesson, and we look forward to seeing their confidence and musical skills develop as they continue their learning!





Creativity, Curiosity and Resilience in Action at Lunchtime!

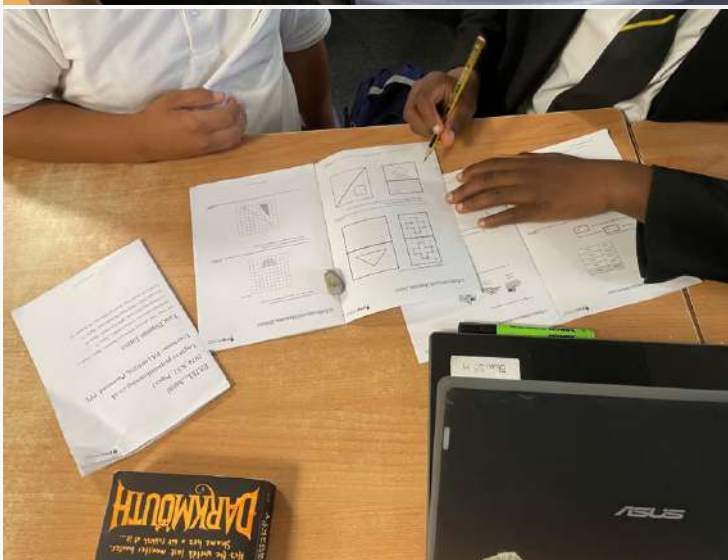
Learning doesn't stop in the classroom. At lunchtime, children continue to develop the GLC core values and competencies as they build friendships through acts of kindness, explore their imaginations through creative play, and strengthen their communication skills through games and conversations with their peers. From performances on our creative stage and finger knitting to role play, Lego building and penalty shootouts, there's something for everyone to enjoy — all supported by our fantastic GPFS Play Leaders!





Peer-to-Peer Mentoring in Action!

Gateway Academy students are supporting our Year 6 pupils with their academic studies. Our primary pupils are consolidating their learning and building resilience, while the Gateway Academy students grow in confidence and communication. Growth all round!





5/6 Boys Football - Thurrock SSP Event

18.9.26

7 boys represented GPFS at a football tournament. The boys performed phenomenally, winning four out of their six group-stage games before progressing to the semi-final, where they secured an impressive 2-0 victory.

The team reached the final and were incredibly unfortunate to

lose 2-1 to a last-minute goal. Despite the narrow defeat, the boys finished 2nd overall and won a medal as a reward. A brilliant achievement that showcased their teamwork, determination and resilience. Well done, boys!

5/6 Girls Football - Thurrock SSP Event

11.9.26

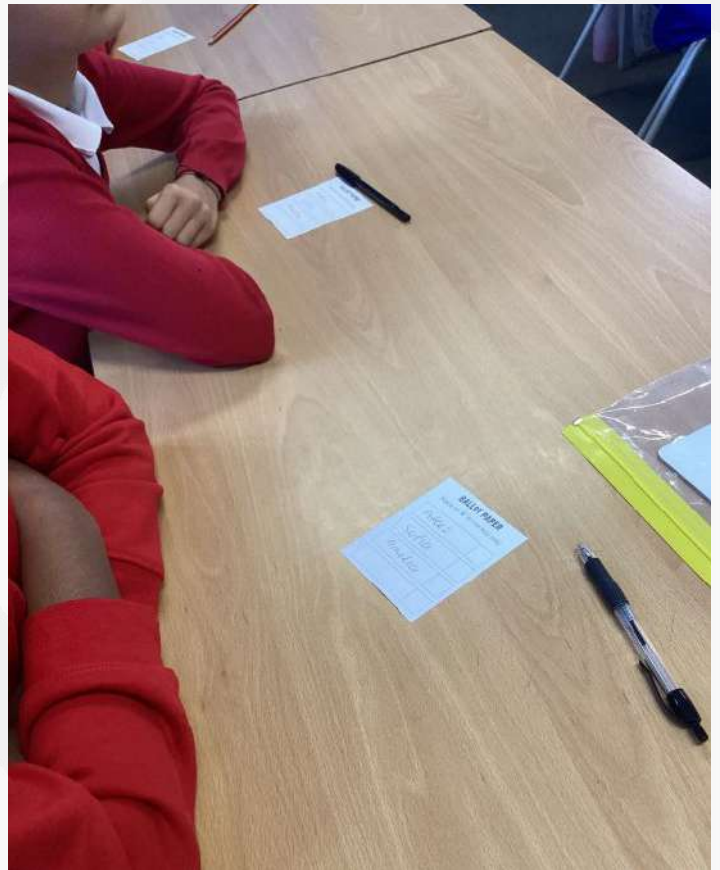
7 girls from Years 5 and 6 proudly represented the GPFS in a football event. The team performed brilliantly, remaining unbeaten throughout the tournament and finishing 5th overall. A fantastic achievement that showcased their teamwork, determination and resilience. Well done, girls!





House Captain Speeches

Pupils gathered to hear candidates give their house captain speeches. Everyone listened as the hopeful leaders shared their ideas for teamwork and school events. Following the presentations, the students took part in a democratic vote to choose their new representatives. This exciting experience taught the children about citizenship and let everyone have a say in shaping their school community.





Year 3 Trip to Colchester Zoo

Year 3 had a fantastic day at Colchester Zoo! They explored a wonderful variety of different habitats and discovered so many fascinating animals along the way. The children enjoyed learning about different species and seeing them up close, making it a brilliant opportunity to explore and learn more about the natural world. It was a wonderful day filled with adventure, discovery and lots of fun!





Varjak Paw by SF Said

Our Year 4 readers have made a fantastic start to our class novel, Varjak Paw by SF Said! We have just finished Chapter 6, and the children are completely hooked on Varjak's adventure.

Here is what has happened in our story so far:

- **Meet the Paws:** We met Varjak, a young Mesopotamian Blue kitten with glowing amber eyes, who lives high up in the Contessa's grand house with his family.
- **An Unwelcome Visitor:** Everything changes when a mysterious Gentleman arrives with two silent, sinister black cats. The Contessa suddenly disappears, and the Gentleman takes over the house!
- **A Warning from the Past:** Varjak's grandfather, the Elder Paw, warns the family about the danger. He shares the secret tales of Jalal—their legendary ancestor—and tells Varjak he must escape the house to find a dog to help them.
- **The Brave Escape:** After a heartbreaking moment where the Elder Paw protects Varjak from the Gentleman's cats, Varjak makes a daring leap over the high wall into the unknown, dangerous city.

The children have been working on their retrieval and inference skills, analysing character motives, and identifying expanded noun phrases in our writing lessons.





Year 5 Forest School

Year 5 pupils spread out across the forest school area to explore and enjoy the crisp autumn air. Several students worked together, using pieces of wood and string to experiment with stabilising a swing. Nearby, others crouched down, searching under logs for different plant and insect species. One group of pupils even decided it was time to build a house! Overall, a wonderful time spent being curious and developing our communication





Go Ape

Year 5 at Go Ape: Building Resilience and Teamwork

During our class trip to Go Ape, Year 5 stepped out of our comfort zones and into the treetops for a day of high-altitude adventure and team building!

- **Tackling Challenges:** Up in the canopy, we faced wobbly rope bridges, zip lines, and tricky obstacles. When some of us felt nervous about the height, our classmates cheered us on, helping us build real resilience to keep going and finish the course.
- **Communication and Compassion:** Down on the ground, we took part in collaborative team games that required careful listening and clear instructions. If someone struggled, we showed compassion by encouraging them, working together as a team to solve puzzles, and making sure everyone felt included and safe.

It was an unforgettable day that taught us how much we can achieve when we support one another!



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Year 1 - An Amazing Adventure at Barleylands Farm!

Our school trip to Barleylands Farm was an absolute hit! The children had an incredible time exploring the farm and taking part in so many wonderful activities.

Here is a quick look at what we got up to:

Masterchef Moments: Trying our hands at making delicious pizzas!

Winged Wonders: Watching an awe-inspiring birds of prey show.

Tractor Adventures: Taking a bumpy, fun-filled ride around the farm.

Animal Encounters: Getting up close and feeding our friendly farm animals.



Year 3 Nutrition

Year 3 explored how nutrition helps our bodies grow, stay energised, and remain healthy! Through a fun hands-on tasting activity, the children sampled food from different nutrient groups-from energy boosting carbohydrates to proteins-and learned why eating a balanced diet is so important for keeping us strong.



Carbohydrates are like fuel for your body! They give you lots of energy to play, learn, and grow. You can find them in foods like bread, rice, pasta, and cereals. Yummy cakes and biscuits also have carbohydrates, especially sugars!



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DEAR time

It was lovely to see so many parents join us for our DEAR (Drop Everything and Read) time. 📖 It was wonderful to see children and parents sharing the joy of reading together and creating such a calm and enjoyable atmosphere throughout the school. Thank you to everyone who took the time to join us and make this special reading session such a success!



Horizon, Exploring Forest School

In Horizon, we have been deepening our understanding of the world around us, both indoors and outdoors. One of the highlights of our learning was our Forest School experience. The children were excited to explore a new environment, noticing different features of the natural world and investigating their surroundings with curiosity and wonder. It was wonderful to see them developing their confidence, independence and observational skills as they explored together.

We are looking forward to continuing our adventures and seeing where the children's curiosity takes us next!



Year 4 Steel Pan Music – Lesson 3

This term, the children continued developing their steel pan skills. They have been learning to identify the different notes and their corresponding letters, building their confidence and beginning to put their knowledge into practice.



Go Ape Trip - Teamwork

Year 5 went to Go Ape for their school trip and it was amazing to see how compassionate, kind and encouraging the students were to each other. We even had a member of the public call the school to say how incredible the students were!



Key Stage 1 Bedtime Stories

On Monday 12th October, our Key Stage 1 children enjoyed a cosy bedtime story session at Lansdowne Primary Academy! Dressed in their comfiest clothes, the children relaxed with drinks and snacks while listening to stories with their friends. It was a lovely opportunity to share the magic of reading and create some special memories together!





Our Family Tree

This term, the children have been bringing in their family photos to add to our wonderful Family Tree! It has been lovely seeing all the familiar faces and talking about the special people in our lives. Having photos of their families in our classroom helps the children to feel settled, happy and secure.





Girls' Football Tournament

Our girls' football team delivered a fantastic performance at the SSP Thurrock schools' tournament, showing incredible determination, skill, and team spirit from the very first whistle.

Facing off against strong rival teams, the players demonstrated great tactical awareness, seamless passing, and relentless energy on the pitch. Whether defending under pressure or pushing forward to create scoring opportunities, every team member played with heart and outstanding camaraderie. They represented the school with immense pride, and their hard work and unity made today's tournament an absolute success.





New House Teams

We are thrilled to announce the official launch of our brand-new house teams: Phoenix, Pegasus, Hippogriff, and Thunderbird! Over the coming weeks, children will discover which house they have been allocated to, marking the beginning of an exciting new chapter for our school community. House teams are set to be a major focus this year, designed to build community spirit, celebrate shared achievements, and foster a deep sense of belonging for all our children and their families. With plenty of friendly competitions, house events, and exciting announcements just around the corner, we can't wait to see the enthusiasm unfold.





Year 4, Exploring Packaging

Year 4 kicked off their new Design and Technology project by exploring and analysing a wide variety of existing product packaging! The children investigated different shapes, structural strength, materials, and net templates to evaluate what makes a box both functional and eye-catching.





Year 1 Trip to Barleylands

As part of our DT unit, Year 1 enjoyed a visit to Barleylands Farm.

During the day, the children had the opportunity to make their own pizzas and develop their understanding of where our food comes from. They also enjoyed feeding the animals and taking part in a tractor ride around the farm.

The visit provided the children with a valuable opportunity to build on their classroom learning through practical, hands-on experiences. They thoroughly enjoyed exploring the farm and learning more about food and its origins.

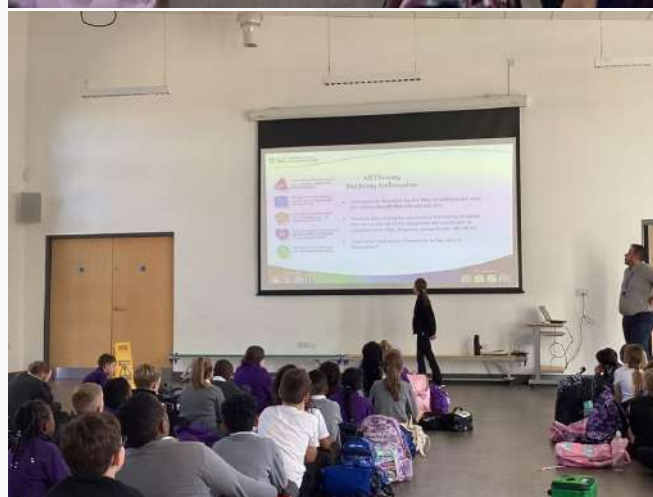
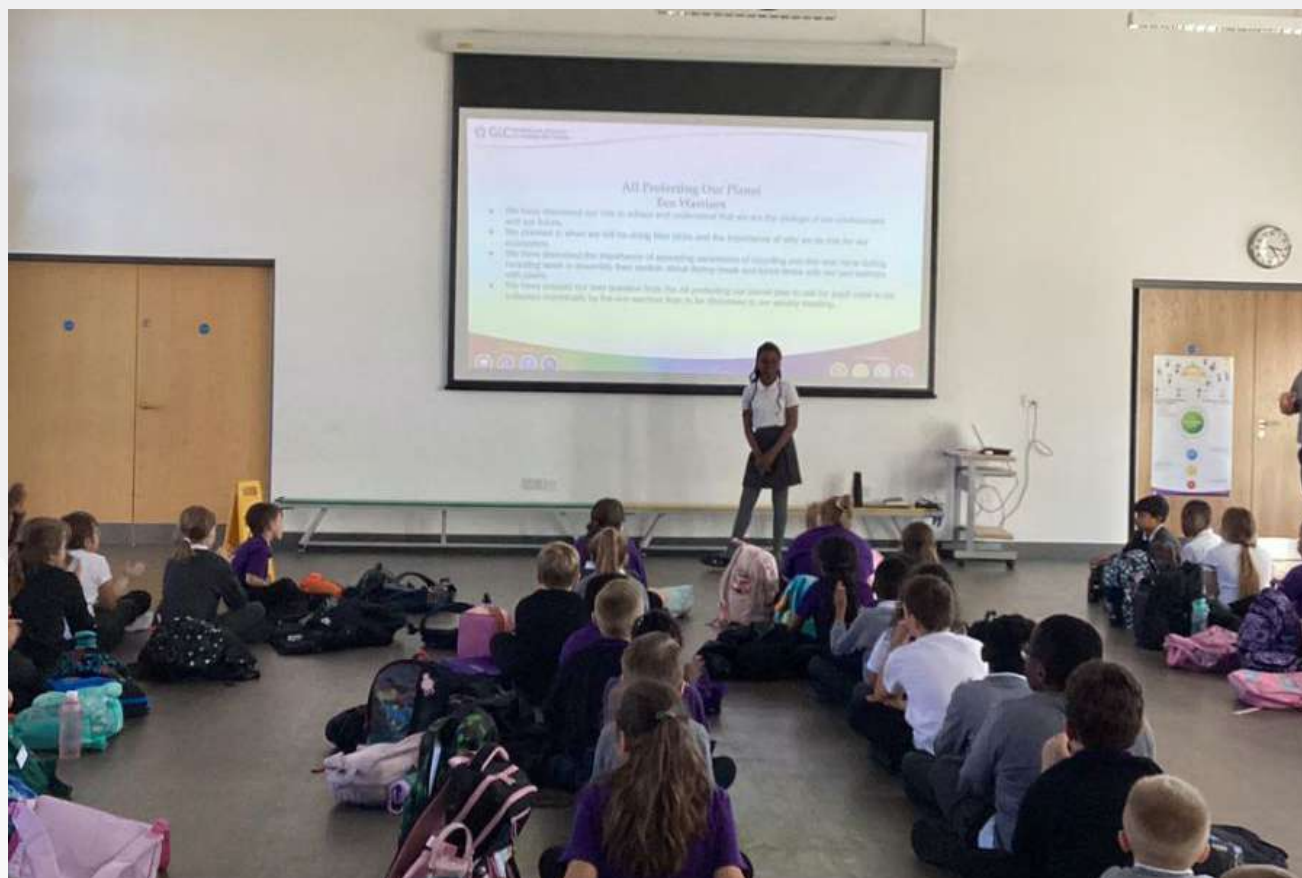


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Pupil Leadership Meeting

This term, our pupil leadership groups came together to share and celebrate all of the wonderful work they have been doing throughout Autumn 1. It was fantastic to hear about the different projects, initiatives and activities taking place across our schools and to see our pupils confidently sharing their ideas and achievements with one another.





Bringing Owl Babies to Life!

What a special day we had in Reception! We were delighted to welcome **Nite Owls** into school to meet these beautiful birds. The children were fascinated watching the owls fly around our hall. One of our highlights was seeing a child have the special opportunity to release an owl back to its owner.

How lucky we were to bring our much-loved story, *Owl Babies*, to life and create such magical memories together! A huge thank you to Nite Owls for this wonderful experience!





The GLC Thrive Hive

Lansdowne Primary Academy



Our Vision

To foster a welcoming space where all parents and carers are empowered to lead fulfilling lives [no matter their path], thrive personally, and collaborate with The GLC to nurture their children as active, thriving citizens within a diverse, truly fair and equal community.

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Please see the details of the latest **vacancies**:

Check out the new vacancies webpage [Gateway Learning Community - Vacancies](#)

GA	GPFS	HPA	LPA	TPA	GLC
English Teacher	Inclusion Advocate	Child and Family Support Assistant	LSA	Teacher	
	Sports Coach	Bespoke Provision Lead	SEND LSA	Inclusion Advocate	
	SEND LSA	Early Years Practitioner	Teacher		
	Classroom Teacher		Read Write Inc. Fast Track Tutor		
	Breakfast Club Assistant				
	Early Years LSA				

Please share with your friends and family and on your social media platforms to encourage the right candidate to join our team. #jointheglctrust

As part of the GLC recruitment strategy the GLC will pay current employees a finders' fee of £500 (subject to necessary deductions) for every appointed teacher and/or LSA they recommend (please see recruitment and retention policy for full details).





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<https://thurrockcvs.org/wp-content/uploads/2026/10/fya.pdf>





What's On Brochure

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Sept - Dec 2026

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Tuesday 20 October

Friday 23 October

Tuesday 27 October

Wednesday 28 October

Sessions start at
11am, 1pm and 3pm



Thurrock Museum, First Floor,
Thameside Complex, Orsett Road,
Grays, RM17 5DX

 thurrock.gov.uk





FREE SCHOOL UNIFORM EVENTS



free for everyone, no referral needed!

FRIDAY

3pm - 4.30pm

16th October



SATURDAY

10am - 11.30am

17th October



Community Church Chadwell St Mary
Defoe Parade, Chadwell St Mary, RM16 4QR

- Take as much as you need for your family
- **PLEASE NOTE:** We are unable to accept donations this month due to limited storage capacity



CHURCH IN ACTION

Part of:



COMMUNITY CHURCH





**Afterschool
Activities
(4 - 8 years)**



**Book in
advance**



**Outdoor play
(Weather permitting)
3:30pm - 4:30pm
Monday 7 September**

**Arts and Crafts
3:30pm - 4:30pm
Wednesday 9 September**

**Make your own playdough
3:30pm - 4:30pm
Monday 13 September**

**Big cook/ little cook
3:30pm - 4:30pm
Wednesday 16 September**

**Lego Blocks
3:30pm - 4:30pm
Wednesday 30 September**

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OCTOBER

HALF TERM CLUBS

KIDS CLUB

STRUCTURED DAY

Group led activities, free play and more!

GYMNASTICS

GAMES

ARTS & CRAFTS

FUN

FRIENDS

AND MORE!

KIDS CLUB DATES:

- ★ Monday 26th
- ★ Wednesday 28th
- ★ Friday 30th

MORNING SESSION
10AM - 1PM

£20
PER DAY

10AM - 4PM
£35
PER DAY

2 DAYS FOR £65
ALL 3 DAYS FOR £95

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3 MORNINGS FOR £50

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A FUN-FILLED SESSION FOR OUR GYMNASTS

- ✓ Free play in the gym
- ✓ Halloween arts and crafts
- ✓ And more!

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- ★ Thursday 29th

10AM - 12PM
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PER SESSION

12:30PM - 2:30PM
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PER SESSION

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Halloween Party Fun & Games Fancy Dress (optional)

30th October 2026

11am to 12.30pm

Suggested donation of £2 per child

We are registered as a charity in England and Wales (269425)

Where

All Saints Church Hall, South Ockendon.

What

Community Events

When

30 Oct 2026





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GNOME

Nice
beard

Nice hat

28.10.26 | 7.00 - 9.00pm | £30pp

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£5

Per person,
tables up to
8 people

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We support the health and wellbeing of children and families



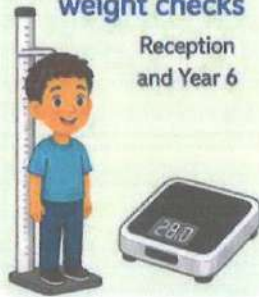
Hearing and vision checks

Reception Year



Height and weight checks

Reception and Year 6



Health questionnaires

Reception and Year 6



Support and advice for you and your family



Help with healthy eating and staying active



Bedwetting and toileting support (6 years+)



Parent drop-ins

Coffee mornings to talk and get support



Onward referrals to other services if needed



HENRY Healthy Families: Growing Up Programme

Free online programme for families
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Our team



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Healthy, thriving children and families



HENRY's free **Healthy Families: Growing Up** programme is for parents and carers of primary-school age children – it will help you develop a healthier, happier lifestyle that the whole family can enjoy.

The programme covers these 5 themes across 8 sessions and provides everything you need to help your children flourish.

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- What children and the whole family eats
- Family lifestyle habits
- Enjoying life as a family

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Programme details

If your child is above the national recommended growth percentile, Henry can support with:

- Family lifestyle habits
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- Being active
- Emotional wellbeing

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ACTIVate

Free holiday clubs, fun activities and food across Essex and Thurrock!

- ✓ Specialist SEND, mental wellbeing and youth clubs
- ✓ Sports and games, arts and crafts, cooking and so much more!
- ✓ Nutritious snacks and tasty meals
- ✓ Run by qualified, local club providers
- ✓ Family support, resources and guidance
- ✓ Discretionary paid and paid for spaces

WHAT IS ESSEX ACTIVATE?

Essex ActivAte is the name for the exciting activity clubs run by Active Essex! During school holidays, local club providers across the county deliver free holiday clubs and fun activities to get eligible primary and secondary children active, as well as support young people to make friendships and learn new skills, helping to enhance their wellbeing.

Please only book your child/ren a space at an Essex ActivAte club if they will attend. If they are booked on and do not attend, other children may miss out on this beneficial opportunity across the holidays.

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