

Green Lane Primary Academy Weekly Newsletter

14th March 2025



Bike Register Event – Garforth Police Station

Do you have a new bike, or one you have not registered yet with Bike Register?
PCSO Dutton will be hosting a free bike register event at Garforth Police Station, Lidgett Lane, Garforth LS25 1LJ as follows:

Friday 14th March 2025
16:30 – 19:30 hours

If you would like to secure and register your bike, come along to Garforth Police Station where PCSO's will be present to register your bike.

Registering your bike means you could be reunited with your bike, in the event of it being stolen and it is free!
[#BikeRegister](#)

Pupil Absences

Please can we remind you that when you leave a voicemail for a pupil absence, you must state the following details:

Child's Name

Child's Class

Who is leaving the voicemail

Reason for absence - this cannot be 'unwell'

#AttendanceMatters

Target 96%	Week %	Year %
Year 1	97.3%	97.6%
Year 2	96.7%	96.7%
Year 3	96.6%	97.0%
Year 4	96.5%	97.4%
Year 5	99.0%	97.0%
Year 6	94.8%	96.1%
Whole school	96.8%	97.0%

Please can we remind all parents/carers that you must contact the school office each day that your child is absent. This is extremely important and we ask parents/carers to contact the office before 9:00am.

The preferred method of contact is via telephone.

Thank you for your cooperation with this, it is much appreciated.

Football

On Thursday, our U11 girls football team competed in the East Leeds Schools tournament at Boston Spa Academy. Ten schools from the area took part in a strong competition. The girls had to play 9 league games just to qualify for the semi-finals! In the semi-finals they played St Josephs (who had beaten them in the league phase) and the game went all the way to penalties after a 0-0 draw. In an extremely tense shootout, the girls prevailed winning 11-10!! Deighton (the only other team to beat the girls in the league phase) were the opponents in the final and the girls got their revenge with a 1-0 win to be crowned champions. It is the first team Green Lane have ever won that competition so a huge well done to all of the girls involved.



PSCO Visit - Cyberbullying & Online Behaviour

This week PSCOs Gemma and Lisa, visited Year 5 and 6 to talk about cyberbullying and the consequences of online behaviour. The PSCOs were really impressed with the questions and discussions that took place. The PSCOs gave the children valuable information on the impact and consequences of cyberbullying and discriminatory and threatening behaviour online.

We continue to urge parents to consider how much time children are sending online, and that suitable supervision is in place, especially when children are regularly accessing social media and platforms that they are too young for.

Green Lane's Got Talent 2025

A huge congratulations to all of the pupils who took part in Green Lane's Got Talent 2025. We were so impressed at the skills and confidence that the children demonstrated. Some of the pupils are at the start of their talent journey and others are really accomplished, after years of hard work and effort. It is so inspiring to see such young people with a passion for their hobbies. All of the children who performed will be able to achieve their Delta Star card for XXXXX. Well done!

1. Isabella Year 6 – Piano
2. Dominic Year 6 – Drums
3. Jarvis Year 2 – Magic!

As well as the live competition, we had our arts and crafts competition. We selected the winners yesterday and again, we were really impressed with the skills and effort the children had used to produce such fantastic creations.

Arts and Crafts

1. Florence Year 5 – Sewing
2. Isla Year 2 – Cake decoration
3. Alivia and Leianora Year 3 – Art



Year 1 Phonics Screening Check

Dear Parents/Carers,

At the end of Year 1, every Year 1 child across the country is expected to complete the Government Phonics Screening Check. The results of this check are reported to the Government and parents will be informed of their child's result.

This year the Phonics Screening Check will take place on:

Week Commencing: Monday 9th to Friday 13th June, 2025

In preparation for this, we would like to invite all parents and carers of Year 1 children on Thursday 27th March 2025 at 17.00pm – 17.45pm in the KS1 Hall to an information evening to discuss the details of the phonics screening check.

For those who are unable to make this evening, Powerpoint slides from the evening will be shared on the school website and Dojo after the meeting.

Free Karate Club - Wednesday 19th March 2025

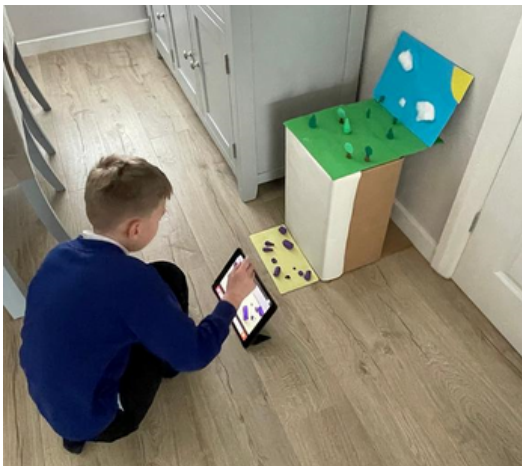
There will be a free karate club taking place at the academy on Wednesday 19th March 2025 - 15:15pm - 16:15pm. This is available for KS2 children.

The session will take place with a trained martial arts teacher, James Parker.

Should you wish to book a place for your child, please do so via MCAS, under Clubs. Once the event is fully booked, it will state 'Full' and therefore, no further places will be able to be booked.

Future Animator in the Making!

D.Ataack has been working on his animation video over the last 3 months. He was so inspired by the Year 4 class text 'The Iron Man,' that he put his animation skills to the test. He made all the props to recreate the opening chapter of the Iron Man, where he falls off the cliff and puts all his body parts back together. The 29sec clip took 3 months to make, using 179 individual photos. It was directed, produced, written and edited by D.Ataack. This is a great achievement and shows the passion D.Ataack has for Animation. We hope to see more amazing videos in the future.



Parking - Concerns from members of the public

Local residents have contacted the academy to complain about inconsiderate and dangerous parking. The contact specifically related to Crimble Green. They report that people are parking across their drives, on corners and that people are block residents access to their own street.

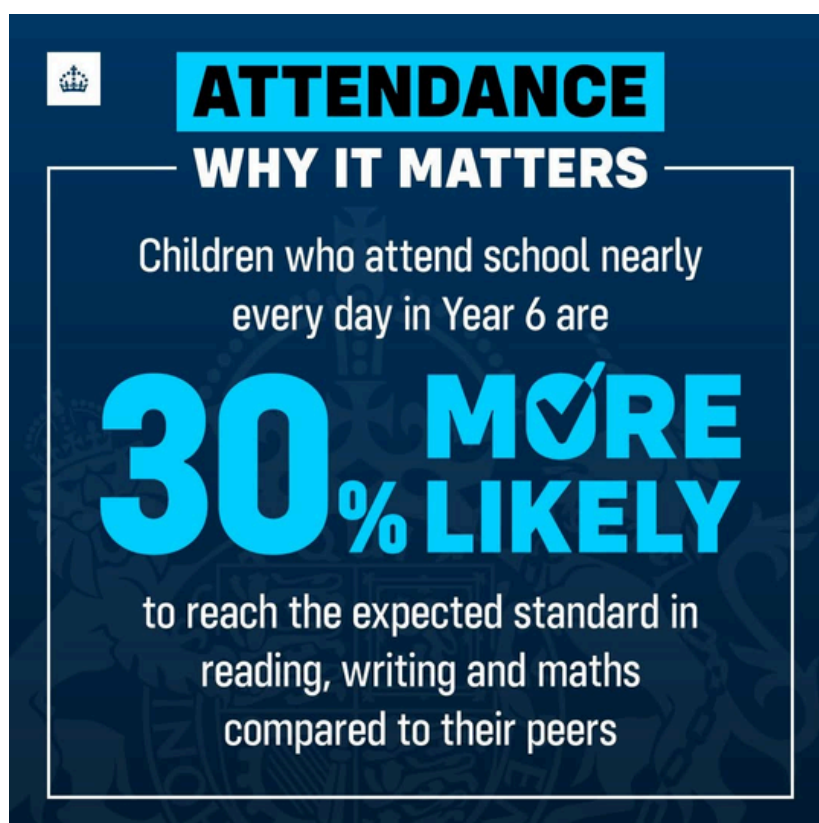
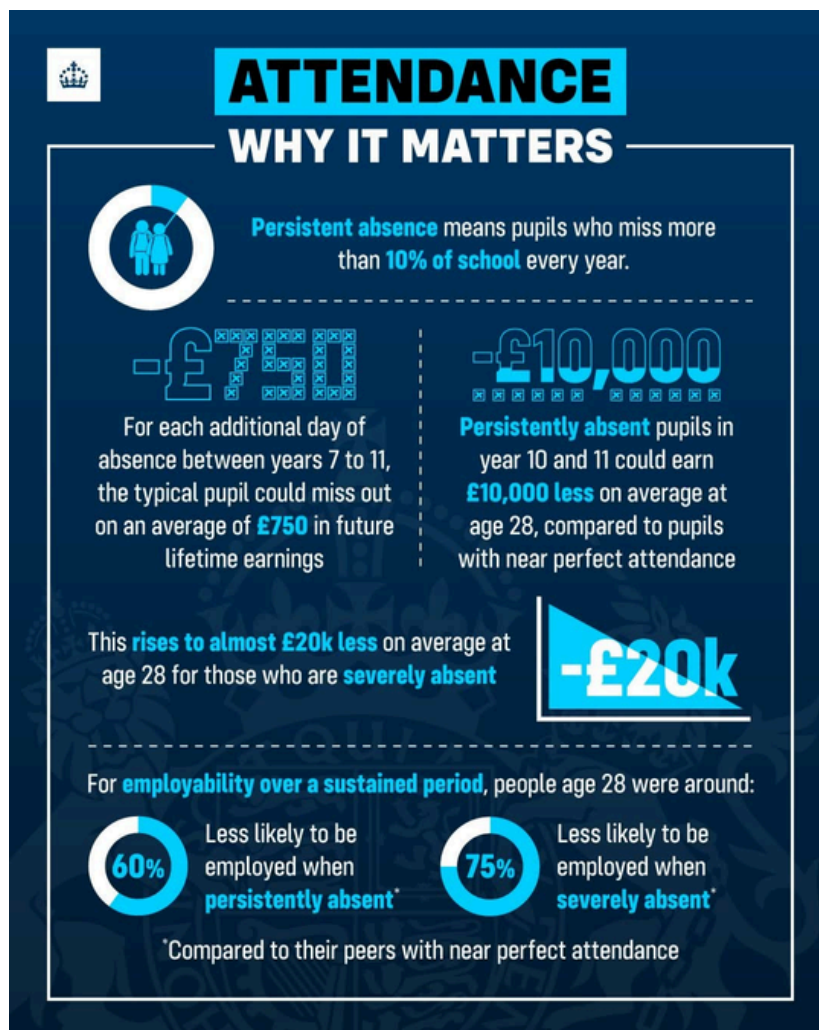
There is parking available around school, but it does mean that people may need to walk for part of the journey. Please park considerately. Whilst neighbours do live near a school, this does not mean that they should have any issues with being able to enter or leave their own properties or streets.

I have contacted local parking services and asked them to patrol the area. I have also asked residents to report any further concerns directly to parking services if they are having specific problems. I understand that they are monitoring vehicle descriptions and registration plates.

AAB Member - Parent

We are currently looking for a new parent Academy Advisory Board (AAB) member. An AAB runs differently to a governing body, as the Delta Trust Board delegate some areas of responsibility, on a local level, whilst maintaining overall responsibility. We are looking for a parent member with skills and experience in education, business, safeguarding, finance, health and safety or governance. This supportive role involves being a critical-friend to the academy to ensure that we achieve the best outcomes for the children of Green Lane and Garforth. If you would be interested, please contact info@glpa.org.uk and Mrs Sercombe will be able to provide more information on the election process and potentially, to organise an interview.

Attendance



Poetry is eternal graffiti written
in the heart of everyone.



Garforth Parish Church Cricket Club

Booking Links and QR codes below :

Look forward to seeing you there!

<https://ecb.clubspark.uk/Book/46768052-9b65-4011-b324-c0a48f574a2b?venue=garforthparishchurch>

All stars

<https://ecb.clubspark.uk/Book/273250d9-595a-472e-a8ba-80a78274452c?venue=garforthparishchurch>

Mixed Dynamos

<https://ecb.clubspark.uk/Book/0e605477-95aa-4cd4-8777-9e060306bf87?venue=garforthparishchurch>

Girls Only Dynamos



A promotional poster for Phoenix Karate. The background features three men in a martial arts training session. One man in a black shirt is in the center, holding a blue padded target. To his left, a man in a red shirt is performing a high kick. To his right, another man in a red shirt is in a ready stance. The overall tone is energetic and professional.

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BUILD CONFIDENCE

LEARN MARTIAL ARTS

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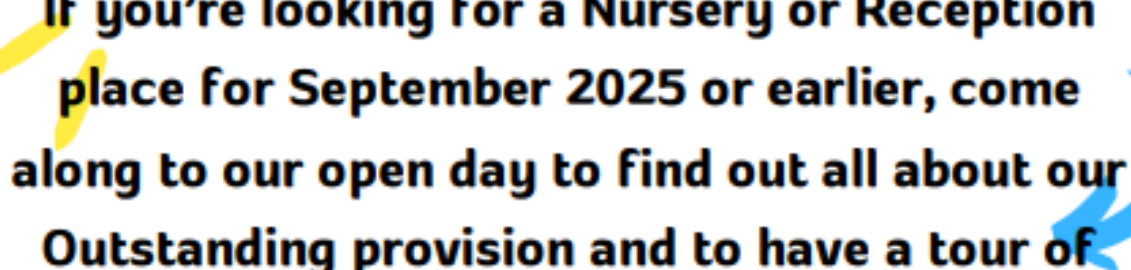


Thursday 22nd May 2025

4:00 - 5:00



NOW OFFERING 30 HOURS!



If you're looking for a Nursery or Reception place for September 2025 or earlier, come along to our open day to find out all about our Outstanding provision and to have a tour of the whole school. EYFS staff will be available to chat to and ask any questions. To book a place email info@glpa.org.uk



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Main

Chicken Nuggets

or

Veggie Hot Dog (V)

Served with Fries, Baked Beans & Sweetcorn

Dessert

Chocolate Chip Cookie

Yoghurt

Fresh Fruit

Diary Dates

Thursday 27th March 2025	Year 1 Phonics Screening Information Evening - 17:00pm - 17:45pm - KS1 Hall
Wednesday 2nd April 2025	EYFS (Nursery & Reception) Easter Bonnet Parade - 9:15am - 10:00am
Thursday 3rd April 2025	EYFS (Nursery & Reception) Easter Bonnet Parade - 9:15am - 10:00am

Stars of the Week!

Year Group	Names
Year 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> K.Bell for fantastic listening skills and teamwork in PE. F.Lambert for fantastic listening skills and teamwork in PE. P.Harding for her resilience with her numberbonds. C.Holt for his dedication and hard work in his weekly Spelling test.
Year 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> M.Womersley for her perseverance in Maths and for challenging herself with some tricky concepts. D.Taylor for being resilient in his Writing.
Year 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> C.Nelson for always demonstrating an excellent attitude to his learning and for giving 110% every day. S.Childe for a big improvement in his MTC score and for achieving full marks in his Six Skills assessment.
Year 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> I.Bytheway for using ambitious vocabulary choices in her persuasive writing this week. G.Shaw for being resilient with her Handwriting and for putting great effort in with her persuasive Writing this week.
Year 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> D.Sasanipour for writing an amazing report about dogs, using a variety of generalisers and adverbials from the toolkit. He has taken on board previous feedback in relation to punctuation and as a result, this has also improved dramatically. C.Chan for an excellent performance on the piano in the Green Lane's Got Talent final. Well done!
Year 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A.Johnson for the use of his skills in our Tag Rugby lessons. L.Thomas-Harding for having a brilliant attitude towards learning this week and for being extremely polite.

MENU

WEEK 3	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN DISH	5 Quorn™ lasagne with herb bread	Beef burger with baked potato wedges	Roast gammon with creamy mash potato & gravy	Easter Themed Menu - Please see above	Crispy fish fingers with chunky chips
VEGETARIAN MAIN DISH	5 Vegetable tikka masala with 50/50 rice	Vegetable & bean wraps	6 Vegan sausage & mash potato with gravy		6 Quorn™ nuggets with chunky chips
ACCOMPANIMENTS	Seasonal vegetables Salad bar	Seasonal vegetables Salad bar	Seasonal vegetables Salad bar		Seasonal vegetables Salad bar
DESSERTS	Oaty jam squares	5 Apple pie with custard	Lemon cake		5 Fresh fruit & whip
FRESH FRUIT OR YOGHURT	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt	Fresh fruit or Yoghurt		Fresh fruit or Yoghurt
JACKET POTATO AND SANDWICH SELECTION	Jacket potato and sandwich selection	Jacket potato & beans, cheese or tuna mayo OR cheese panini	Jacket potato and sandwich selection		Jacket potato and sandwich selection

MENU

Eating all your fruit & veg will help you grow BIG and STRONG (like me!)

KEY 5 - 1 OF YOUR 5 A DAY 6 - MEAT-FREE MONDAY - CHEF'S CHOICE 6 - PLANT-BASED (VEGAN)

Allergens and intolerances All of our food is lovingly hand crafted and prepared on site daily. We have an allergen procedure in place, so please ensure you make our catering team aware of your allergens/ your child's allergens prior to using the restaurant. Our Kitchens are used for multi-purpose production so we cannot guarantee the above dishes are completely free from allergenic ingredients or traces of these.

Please note that the above menu is for week commencing Monday 24th March 2025. All meals have to be ordered via MCAS by the end of the day on Thursday 20th March 2025.

Safeguarding

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility.

Please report any concerns you have.

- For more information on our safeguarding approach and policy, view our statutory information under the 'About' tab on our website.
- The Leeds Safeguarding Children Partnership also has information and resources in relation to safeguarding children and adults:

www.leedsscp.org.uk

- Please refer to our Whistleblowing Policy if you have concerns regarding the conduct of an adult in school. You can also contact the DSL or the Trust:

safeguarding@deltatrust.org.uk



Mrs Sercombe



Mrs Owen



Miss Dedicoat



Mrs Hector

The Team

If you are concerned about a child or have any form of safeguarding concerns, you can speak to anyone in our school staff team, including:

Mrs Sercombe:
Head of Academy and Designated Safeguarding Lead.

Mrs Owen and Miss Dedicoat:
Assistant Principals and Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead s

Mrs Hector:
Pastoral and Safeguarding Team

We hope you found this newsletter useful!

Your views and feedback are very important to us.

If you have any feedback please contact us using any of the channels below.