



## Diary Dates

### Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September

FoG (PTA) Foundation Stage Crafts session  
3:30pm in Lower Hall

### Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> October

FoG (PTA) AGM (4pm)

### Friday 5<sup>th</sup> October

FoG (PTA) Quiz Night

### Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> October

Foundation Stage Forest School  
Parent workshop ~ 3:45pm to 4:45pm

### Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October

Inset Day – School closed

### 22<sup>nd</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> October

Half term holiday

### 20<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup> November

Open Evenings

### Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November

Inset Day ~ School Closed

### 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> December

Christmas Performances

### Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> December

Last day of term for the Nursery

# Gordon Primary School

Amber Class

Nursery

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## Reminders

'Lending Library' is on a Friday. Your child needs a suitable book bag on that day. Please read the book with your child and encourage them to have a go at drawing a picture of something from the story. It is also great to see comments from parents about your child's response to the book.

We collect a voluntary donation of 50p per week at the end of sessions on Fridays to pay for snacks and other miscellaneous resources.

Please ensure that your child's outdoor clothing, cardigans, jumpers etc. are clearly named.

If your child is not going to be in Nursery please inform the Nursery staff in advance or, if your child is unwell, telephone the school office.

Please sign up to the Interactive Learning Diary so that you can share your child's achievements in nursery. Look out for the letter detailing how to logon.

## Learning

The new children will initially be settling in to the new routines and the established children will be encouraged to show increasing independence in all areas of learning and to develop their social skills.

Our topic work will be based on Stories, Traditional Tales and Autumn / Winter festivals. This will include fun activities around:

- *The Little Red Hen, The Gingerbread Man, After the Storm, Perfectly Norman*
- *Harvest, Diwali, Christmas*

We will also be starting our Forest School sessions soon. There will be a workshop for parents on 11<sup>th</sup> October at 3.45pm. Please come along to see our new Forest School site in the Key Stage 2 playground and have a go at some of the activities.



## Learning

Each child starts in the Nursery with their own particular experiences and their learning journey will therefore follow their individual needs. General learning opportunities in the Prime Areas will cover activities and experiences to:

- encourage children to be independent and interact appropriately with others
- develop fine and gross motor skills using a range of large and small equipment
- develop attention and listening skills, receptive and expressive language and social communication skills

**FUNDRAISING** Please sign up to [www.easyfundraising.org.uk](http://www.easyfundraising.org.uk), if you have not already done so, for your online shopping. It really is an easy way to raise funds for the school and costs nothing. Thank you!

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