



GOREFIELD

Newsletter

MAY 2026

*"May, more than any other month of the year, wants us to feel most alive." —
Fennel Hudson*

One Term to Go!

As we look ahead to our final term of the school year, we are looking forward to a busy and exciting few months. There are lots of activities, trips, celebrations and special events planned across school, giving everyone plenty to look forward to.

Well Done Year 6!

A huge congratulations to all of our Year 6 pupils for completing their SATs last week. We are incredibly proud of the hard work, determination, and resilience you have shown throughout the year and during the tests themselves.

You approached the week with positivity and maturity, and you should all feel very proud of your efforts. Thank you also to our staff and families for their continued support and encouragement.

Now it's time for Year 6 to enjoy the exciting activities and opportunities planned for the rest of the term!



KS1 School Council Gardeners

Our KS1 School Council children have been busy helping to brighten up the local community by planting flowers and plants in the village planters.

The children worked wonderfully together and showed great enthusiasm while learning about gardening and caring for the environment.

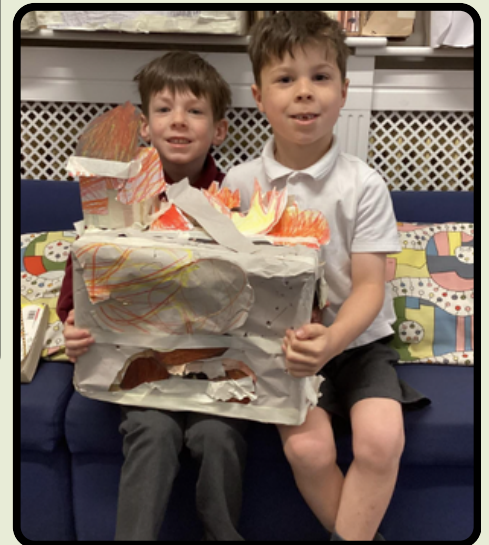
We are very proud of their hard work and community spirit and we hope everyone enjoys seeing the colourful displays around the village over the coming weeks.



The Great Fire of London

As part of their learning about the Great Fire of London, our KS1 children created their own houses inspired by those from 1666. The children worked hard to design and build their models, thinking carefully about the materials and style of homes from the period.

To help bring history to life, the children then watched as the houses were safely set alight, demonstrating how quickly the fire spread through London. It was an exciting and memorable experience that helped deepen the children's understanding of this important historical event.



Ninja Skipping

Year 5 had a fantastic time taking part in their Ninja Skipping trip at the end of April! The children showed great enthusiasm and energy as they learned new skipping skills, practised tricks, and took part in fun challenges and activities throughout the day.

It was wonderful to see everyone encouraging one another, building confidence, and enjoying being active together. Well done to our Year 5 children for their excellent behaviour and positive attitude during the trip.



Welcome and thank you!

We are delighted to welcome Miss Pulman to our teaching team. After half term, she will be teaching our Year 3/4 class and we are very pleased to have her joining our school community.

We know the children will make her feel very welcome and we look forward to the exciting opportunities and experiences ahead in Year 3/4.

We would also like to say a huge thank you to Mrs McHaffie for all the hard work, care and support she has given during her time teaching Year 3/4. We are incredibly grateful for everything she has done for the children and the school.

The Roving book company

We are delighted to welcome back 'The Roving Book Shop' into school on **Thursday 4th June**. Staff from the company will set up a book shop in the hall stocked with high-quality texts for all ages and interests. Each class will have time to browse the book shop throughout the afternoon and can make purchases at this time. The book shop will also be open at the end of the school day for parents and carers to buy books and for the Reception children as they will be on their trip to Church Farm that day.

If your child is purchasing their own book during school hours, then please could money be sent in a named envelope. Staff will ensure that children buy an age appropriate book, however, if children would like to purchase a poster, we ask that parents and carers agree this at home time when they take their child into the shop.

Adults can also make card transactions.

By purchasing books on the day, you are supporting the school earn a small commission to buy books for each class.



After school adventures

Please see below for our clubs on offer for the final half term.
These can be booked on Arbor as usual.

AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS

GOREFIELD PRIMARY ACADEMY

GOREFIELD GAME MASTERS

Where every Monday is a winning move! With Mrs Morgan.

FILM FANATICS

Midweek movies and tasty treats - Tuesdays with Miss Rankin.

NEON NINJAS

Music, neons and sports games on a Wednesday with Miss Wakeham.

THURSDAY TRAILBLAZERS

A different adventure every Thursday with Mrs Davies.

SCRIBBLE SQUAD

Where doodles dance and colours sparkle - join Mrs McHaffie on a Friday.

To sign up, go to Arbor after school club.
Spaces are limited so please only book the sessions your child can attend.

Diary Dates

Date	Event
Monday 1 st June - Friday 12 th June	Year 4 Multiplication Tables check.
Tuesday 2 nd June	KS2 School Council trip to Houses of Parliament
Wednesdays 3 rd June - 8 th July	Year 5/6 swimming at the Hudson.
Thursday 4 th June	Reception class trip to Church Farm
Thursday 4 th June 2-4pm	The Roving Bookshop
Friday 5 th June	Year 5 Wisbech Reads.
Monday 8 th June - Friday 12 th June	Year 1 Phonics Screening check.
Monday 8 th June	Friends Group - The Great Gorefield Bake Off.
Wednesday 10 th June	Year 1 Wisbech Reads at Wisbech Castle/Library/Museum.
Friday 12 th June 1.15pm	Sports Day back up date.
Saturday 13 th June	Visit our stall at the Gorefield Show!
Tuesday 16 th June	Reception Class Assembly
Tuesday 16 th June	Year 6 Wisbech Safety Zone.
Wednesday 17 th June 9am	Year 1/2 Class Assembly.
Wednesday 17 th June	Swimming Gala - George Campbell Leisure Centre (4 children)
Thursday 18 th June	Year 5 STEM at TCA.

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Friday 19 th June	Friends Group - Sponsored World Cup Run.
Tuesday 23 rd June	Mexican Themed Lunch.
Thursday 25 th June	Year 3/4 trip to Gullivers.
Thursday 25 th June	Year 5/6 class assembly 9am.
Friday 26 th June	Non-Uniform - raffle prize donations for summer fair.
Monday 29 th & Tuesday 30 th June	Year 6 UALS Transition Days.
Wednesday 1 st July	Travelling by Tuba - in school concert for the children.
Thursday 2 nd & Friday 3 rd July	Year 6 UAH & TWA Transition Days.
Friday 3 rd July	Steve Smallman school workshop visit.
Tuesday 7 th July	KS2 Production AM performance 9.15am.
Wednesday 8 th July	KS2 Production PM performance 1.30pm.
Friday 10 th July	Friends Group - Summer Fair.
Monday 13 th July	Golf Day
Tuesday 14 th July	Rocksteady Concert.
Wednesday 15 th July 6pm	Year 6 Leavers event at Play2day.
Friday 17 th July	Year 6 leavers assembly 9.15am.