



The Grange School, Daventry

Newsletter

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2022

Our Christmas Fayre is Friday 2nd December from 14.00-16.00hrs. Children can be collected from their classroom at 13.45hrs to join you at the fayre. If you are unable to attend, please don't worry. The children can join staff at the stalls till 15.15hrs.

Children who are booked into Kidz Zone will be collected from the stall's by Kidz Zone staff.

We are still looking for a few more stallholders. Stalls are £10.00 each and a donation for the raffle. You can contact the office to book your stall.

If you or anyone you know are able to donate any raffle prizes, then these will be happily received.

All clubs will be cancelled 2nd December.

We are looking forward to see everyone.

Vicki



Please be aware that, from now on, we will be using Dojo to inform you of any inappropriate behaviours and sanctions applied. Should you wish to discuss this further with staff, you will need to request a telephone or face to face conversation. Please make sure you are receiving notifications on your device.

CHILDREN IN NEED.

We have raised a fabulous £135 for Children in Need. There is still time to donate on ParentPay if you haven't already done so.

Thank you for your support!



DREAM

BELIEVE

ACHIEVE

Dates for Your Diary

NOVEMBER:

21/11/22- Year 6 Twycross Zoo

22/11/22 - Open Morning for New Prospective Parents - Email: admin@thegrangeschooldaventry.net to book your place!

23/11/22 - Parents' Evening - 3.30pm - 6.30pm - Book your slot now

28/11/22 - Bikeability - Invite Only (Year 5 / Year 6) Details to follow

30/11/22- Yr3 Church visit, we will be walking - Details to follow

DECEMBER:

01/12/22- YR3 String Concert for parents

30/11/22	Chocolate Day - Mufti - Donations for Christmas Fayre
1/12/22	Christmas Tree Dressing Day
2/12/22	Christmas Fayre 14:00 - 16:00
5/12/22	Y3 Christmas Production 14:00
6/12/22	Y1 Christmas Assembly 9:30
	Y4 Christmas Assembly 14:00
7/12/22	EYFS Christmas Production 9:30
	Y5 Christmas Assembly 14:00
8/12/22	Y2 Christmas Assembly 9:30
	Y6 Christmas assembly 14:00
	Christmas Jumper Day

12/12/22	EYFS Party - Sports Hall (am) Y3 Party - Arts Hall (am)
	Y1 Party - Sports Hall (am) Y4 Party - Arts Hall (pm)
13/12/22	Y2 Party - Sports Hall (am) Y6 Party - Arts Hall (am)
	Y5 Party - Sports Hall (am) - Arts Hall (pm)
14/11/22	Christmas Panto
15/12/22	Changemakers Ceremony (Y1,2,3) 9:15
	Children's Christmas Lunch
	Changemakers Ceremony (Y4,5,6) 14:30
16/12/22	Training Day

CLUBS - Wednesday 23rd November - Parents evening.

All clubs will run as normal on Wednesday 23rd November.



Please Park Considerately

Some parents have complained about cars being parked on zig zag lines, kerbs and corners. This endangers other road users, pedestrians and our children.

Please keep our children safe by parking safely.

Weekly Class Attendance

Week commencing 7th November - 11th November 2022

Class	Weekly Attendance %
Ash	89.1%
Oak	95%
Lime	97.7%
Birch	95.2%
Palm	95.5%
Willow	96%
Yew	92.3%
Maple	96.6%
Poplar	95.7%
Acer	85.6%
Bonsai	98.2%
Hawthorn	88.6%
Sequoia	92.7%
Sycamore	97.3%

Every pupil has a target of 96% attendance.

Please see our attendance policy for more information.

Whole school target -96.0%

Whole school attendance for week commencing 7th November - 93.9% - This must improve!

Well done Bonsai who got the highest weekly attendance-98.2% - look out for your reward!



Why is high attendance important to your child's education?

As a parent/carer we know you want the best for your children. Having a good education is an important factor in opening up more opportunities in adult life. We know that many of you feel that, for a variety of reasons, you have no choice but to take holidays during term time. But did you know that:

A child who is absent a day of school per week misses an equivalent of two years of their school life?

90% of young people with absence rates below 85% fail to achieve five or more good grades of GCSE and around one third achieve no GCSEs at all?

Poor examination results limit young people's options and poor attendance suggests to colleges and employers that these students are unreliable?

At least 1 million children take at least one half day off a year without permission?

7.5 million school days are missed each year through unauthorised absence?

GCSEs may seem a long way off for you and your child, but all absence at any stage leads to gaps in your child's learning. This in turn can:

Mean that they fall behind in work,

Affect their motivation,

Affect their enjoyment of learning,

Lead to poor behaviour,

Affect their desire to attend school regularly,

Affect their confidence in school,

Mean they miss out on the social life of school and extracurricular opportunities and experiences,

All children are expected to have a minimum attendance of 96% and we will do all that we can to support you to ensure that your child achieves this target. If you feel you need any support with this, please contact Mrs Best in the school office.



Local Food Bank



-Following on from all the support Daventry Food Bank has given to our families, we have decided to help support all year round, by having a donation station at the school. We have placed a shopping trolley in the reception area by the office, where you are able to leave any donations. . Thank you for your continued support.

FOOD BANK DAVENTRY

Daventry Food Bank works in partnership with many frontline support agencies to deliver emergency/essential food supplies to anyone who is in crisis.

Find us on **Facebook**

All donations provided at this collection point are distributed to families and individuals in crisis within Daventry and surrounding villages.

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING YOUR LOCAL FOOD BANK

<http://www.daventryfoodbank.org.uk>

MOST NEEDED ITEMS

- SOUP (CHICKEN/TOMATO/VEGETABLE)
- TINNED POTATOES
- TINNED VEGETABLES (PEAS/CARROTS/SWEETCORN)
- TINNED TOMATOES
- RICE/PASTA
- PASTA SAUCES
- MILK (UHT OR POWDERED)
- SUGAR
- TINNED CURED HAM/CORNED BEEF/FISH
- TINNED MEAL (CHILI/CURRY/STEW ETC)
- INSTANT MASH POTATO
- TEA BAGS/COFFEE
- TINNED FRUIT
- JAM
- BISCUITS
- BREAKFAST CEREALS
- CARTON OF FRUIT JUICE

Please remember we are a referral agent for the foodbank. If you require any support please email mrs.hennessy@thegrangeschool.net

Information

Fresh Start Catering

If you could take a moment to complete the Fresh Start Catering survey via the link below please.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1bLMhiz-w0Wi7VomCzFcuTk-Sawwdp0-rkWZSnXqGOKM/edit#settings>

Parent Pay Text Messages

You may from time to time receive text messages we send via Parent Pay.

Outdoor PE

With the colder weather approaching, please make sure your child has a navy/dark hoodie or jumper in their PE bag.

Parents Evening Bookings

Parents Evenings is 23rd of November from 15.30hrs till 18.45hrs. You should now have received a link for booking your slot.

Afterschool Clubs

All Afterschool Clubs finishes at 16.00hrs with the exception of Young Voices/Choir on a Thursday (16.30hrs) Please make sure you collect promptly.

Clubs Term 3

Clubs for term 3 will be advertised via Parent Pay in the next few weeks. You will need to submit your choice through Parent Pay.

BIG BOUNCE AT THE LEISURE CENTRE

Countdown to Christmas Ho Ho Ho

BIG BOUNCE
Huge Indoor Inflatable Play Event

10% ONLINE BOOKING SAVING
USE CODE "SCH10"
AT CHECKOUT
DURING NOVEMBER

SUNDAY 18th DEC
RUGBY SCHOOL SPORTS CENTRE

TUESDAY 20th DEC
DAVENTRY LEISURE CENTRE

Unlimited Play on a Arena Full of
Supervised Inflatables & Interactive Games
Festive Fun for Primary School Aged Children

 **BOOK NOW!** *Tickets Selling FAST*

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ATTRACTIONS

- Christmas WinterWonderland Snow Globe
- Rockin'Rodeo Rudolph - Festive treasure Hunt
- Slides - Obstacle Courses - Sports Games
- Bungee Run - Speed Cones - Wrecking Ball
- Nerf Shootout - ToTal Wipeout Sweeper

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Kidz Zone Christmas Club

19/12/22 - 23/12/22



PROVIDING FUN FILLED HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES FOR CHILDREN AGES 4 - 12



BOOK NOW
www.kidzzoneclub.com

Christmas Multi-Activity Holiday Club

Mon 19 - Fri 23 December 2022
The Grange School, Daventry

Over 20 activities!

Enrichment Activities
Laser tag - Zorbs - Scooters - Den Building - Disco
A different one each day

Limited Spaces!

Our Ofsted registered Multi-Activity holiday clubs held at **The Grange School, Daventry** is open from **Mon 19 - Fri 23 December 2022**.
The venue has fantastic facilities including; indoor areas, indoor hall, playground, a large field and outdoor exploring areas.
Each full day consists of 4 guided activity hours where children take part in 'Sports Starz' & 'Creative Starz' activities. Accompanied with free play and weekly themed activities, there is something for everyone!

10% EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT available 'KZ19' exp 16.12.2022

Childcare vouchers/tax free childcare accepted!

WHAT'S ON THIS CHRISTMAS?

Activities to try...
Den building, Scooters, Themed Arts & Crafts, Puzzles, Quiz's, Circus Skills, Talent Show, Nature Explorers & more!

Sports we play...
Running Games, Dodgeball, Nerf, Indoor Curling, Archery, Ball Games, Football, Cricket, Outdoor & Adventure & more!

Free Play...
Football, Ball Games, Hoops & Skipping, Swing Ball, Air Hockey, Table Football, Ping Pong & more!

Mon 19 Dec
Winter Wonderland

Tue 20 Dec
Christmas Tales

Wed 21 Dec
Winter Olympics

Thurs 22 Dec
Christmas Party

Fri 23 Dec
Christmas around the world



Email : hello@kidzzoneclub.com

Phone : 01525 591036

Website: www.kidzzoneclub.com



PRICING & PAYMENT

Passes	Times	Price per day	Price per week
Normal hours	9:00am - 4:00pm	£22.50	£105
Normal hours * early bird*	8:00am - 4:00pm	£25.50	£120

Book now: www.kidzzoneclub.com (10% off listed prices: 'KZ10')

4 year old pass: Children age 4 can attend for 4 hours please contact hello@kidzzoneclub.com to arrange this - the 4 hours can be am or pm and the cost is £16.



Holiday Club Dates and Venues

VENUES

The Grange School,
Staverton Road, Daventry
Northants, NN11 4HW

DATES

Mon 19 - Fri 23 Dec 2022

Daily Activities..

Children will take part in 4 different activities each day linked to the daily theme; from the list below:

Sports Starz!

- Running Games
- Ball Games
- Nerf Wars / Curling
- Go-Fencing
- Arrows Archery
- Cricket / Rounders
- Tri Golf
- Tennis
- Outdoor & Adventure

Creative Starz!

- Themed puzzles / quiz
- Themed Arts & Crafts
- Nature Explorers
- Circus Skills
- Talent Show

Free Play!

A choice of:

- Balls
- Swing ball
- Hoops & Skipping



Holiday Club Activity Timetable

8:00am - 8:30am	Free play	12:00pm - 1:00pm	Lunchtime & free play
8:30am - 9:00am	Indoor games		
9:00am - 9:30am	Free play	1:00pm - 2:00pm	Creative Starz
9:30am - 10:30am	Sports Starz	2:00pm - 2:30pm	Free play
10:30am - 11:00am	Snack time & Free play	2:30pm - 3:30pm	Sports Starz
11:00am - 12:00pm	Sports Starz - Outdoor & Adventure activity	3:30pm - 4:00pm	Reward time 'presentation'

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- Please book online before your child's first day.
- Packed lunch, snacks and drinks are required. **Please note: all Kidz Zone Clubs are nut-free zones**.
- Please label all clothing and items being brought to the club.
- Please wear suitable clothing and trainers for indoor and outdoor activities: sun hats & sun cream during warmer days, or warm clothing & a waterproof when the weather is cooler or more seasonal.
- We suggest packing spare clothes.
- Sessions that are not attended are still charged unless 10 days notice is given.





the national
sleep
helpline

**Does your child
suffer with
sleep issues?**

**Do you struggle
with your child's
bedtime?**

**Will your child
not sleep in
their own bed?**

WE CAN HELP

03303 530 541

Sunday - Tuesday & Thursday 7pm - 9pm
Wednesday 9am - 11am



Around 50% of children will have a sleep issue at some point*

WHAT IS THE NATIONAL SLEEP HELPLINE?

In partnership with Furniture Village, The Sleep Charity has launched a brand new National Sleep Helpline to ensure that everyone has access to high quality, evidence-based advice.

HOW CAN THE NATIONAL SLEEP HELPLINE HELP YOU?

- Run by a team of specialist trained sleep advisors
- Offer you some practical strategies and recommend services that could help
- Ensuring you understand how sleep plays an important part in your child's mental health and wellbeing
- Listen without judgement and help you decide what next steps are right for you
- Empower you with sleep knowledge so you can understand why your child might not be sleeping well and how that can change

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DID YOU KNOW?



CAN INCLUDE:

HOUSEHOLD BILLS
(SUCH AS GAS AND ELECTRICITY)

RENT

COUNCIL TAX

HELP WITH BUYING FOOD

CHILDCARE COSTS

**AS WELL AS OTHER
IMPORTANT DAILY ESSENTIALS**

THERE ARE PEOPLE ON HAND TO SUPPORT AND
ADVISE YOU, **SO PLEASE GET IN TOUCH TODAY.**



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visit: westnorthants.gov.uk/cost-of-living
call 0300 126 7000*

*Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm



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