

Girnhill Infant School

"Where children are at the heart of every decision to inspire brighter futures."



Weekly Overview

Thank you to everyone who joined us for our parent coffee mornings this week. In school, the children have immersed themselves in a range of activities across the curriculum. We also had the introduction of our baking club this week which the children really enjoyed.

Here are some photos of what has taken place in each class this week:



Hedgehogs have been looking at the story Hats of Faith in R.E. this week and learning all about different communities and cultures.



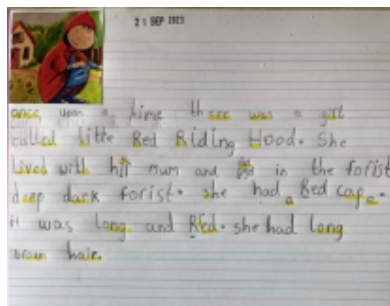
Squirrels have been learning about colours through the fiberoptic lights in our sensory room.



Badgers have been recognising and representing the number 1.



Rabbits enjoyed their first lesson using the chromebooks practising their drag and drop skills.




Otters have been practising their handwriting and spelling whilst writing dictated sentences.



Foxes have been practising their place value knowledge and representing numbers using tens and ones.

Weekly Attendance

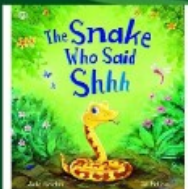
Class	Weekly Percentage
Badgers	94.32%
Rabbits	92.80%
Otters	94.17%
Foxes	 97.04%

The class with the best attendance this week is **FOXES!**

SMSC Question of the Week


FOCUS STORY: THE SNAKE WHO SAID SHHH

In this story the other animals make fun of Seth because of how he speaks. This story reminds us that just because someone might be different to us, that is okay. Everybody is unique.



IS IT OKAY TO MAKE FUN OF SOMEONE BECAUSE THEY ARE DIFFERENT TO US?

INFLUENTIAL INDIVIDUAL: AMANDA GORMAN



Amanda Gorman is an American poet and activist who has an auditory processing disorder. This also affects her speech making it difficult to pronounce her words.

Dates for the Diary

Date	Activity
Tuesday 26th September	Baking After School Club (3:15 - 4:00)
Wednesday 27th September	KS1 Sports After School Club (3:15 - 4:00)
Friday 29th September	9:00am EYFS Harvest Festival Celebration
Friday 29th September	2:30pm KS1 Harvest Festival Celebration
Tuesday 3rd October	Baking After School Club (3:15 - 4:00)
Wednesday 4th October	KS1 Sports After School Club (3:15 - 4:00)
Thursday 5th October	EYFS Stay and Read morning (8:45 - 9:05)
Thursday 5th October	Space Themed School Lunch
Friday 6th October	KS1 Stay and Read morning (8:45 - 9:05)

Polite Reminder

If any parents/carers have any concerns or queries regarding their child at school, this needs to be addressed with school directly. We urge you not to address any matters with other children or parents directly and ensure that you are speaking to school straight away in this situation then we can address the issue first hand. Thank you.

Parent Coffee Morning



Thank you to those of you who came to school this week for our parent coffee mornings.

We have listened to parent/carer feedback on surveys, that you wish to have more opportunity to find out about your child's learning at school. Because of this, we will be hosting the parent coffee mornings termly, looking at different elements of learning at Girnhill Infant School.

If you were unable to join us this time, please look out for further information about future events.

Harvest Festival



We will be donating food items to Featherstone Food Bank. If you wish to make a donation please bring any food item(s) to the main school office. We ask that you please ensure any items donated are non-perishable and have several months before the due by date.

Suggested donations are:



- Tinned soup
- Tinned meat
- Tinned vegetables
- Tinned fruit
- Packet items
- Biscuits
- Long life milk

School will also be providing a hamper as a raffle prize for our families. Raffle tickets will be on sale in the weeks before the harvest festival celebration.

We hope you can join us for this celebration.

Social Media

Please follow us on our social media platforms to see any key information and weekly learning that is taking place in school.

	@IPMATGirnhill
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Thank you!

Miss Robinson, Acting Headteacher