

# Girnhill Infant School

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



## Weekly Overview

Welcome back to all of our school community! It has been a pleasure seeing you all again after the Christmas break. It has been a wonderful return to school, with children enjoying being back and throwing themselves into their learning.

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



Hedgehogs have been practising their 1:1 correspondence using counting frames.



Squirrels have been consolidating their work station learning.



Badgers have been learning all about British birds and using their new vocabulary about migration.



Rabbits have been using their imperative verbs.



Otters have enjoyed their first lesson on our new history unit about castles.



Foxes have been learning how to exchange up and down in maths.

# Weekly Attendance

Class	Weekly Percentage
Badgers	94.22%
Rabbits	92.73%
Otters	 96.67%
Foxes	94.29%

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

## Stay and Read Mornings

Please come along and join us for the stay and read mornings this half term!

### Stay & Read

23/01/24 08:45 - 09:05  
Hedgehogs am & Badgers

23/01/24 12:15 - 12:30  
Hedgehogs pm

24/01/24 08:45 - 09:05  
Rabbits / Otters / Foxes

Parent/Carers are welcome to join in our Stay & Read session based in class.



# Dates for the Diary

Date	Activity
Tuesday 16th January	Music and Singing After School Club (3:15 - 4:00)
Wednesday 17th January	KS1 Football After School Club (3:15 - 4:00)
Thursday 18th January	Makaton Choir After School Club (3:15 - 3:45)
Week Beginning 22nd January	Year 1 Balance Bike Sessions
Tuesday 23rd January	EYFS Stay and Read Morning
Tuesday 23rd January	Music and Singing After School Club (3:15 - 4:00)
Wednesday 24th January	KS1 Stay and Read Morning
Wednesday 24th January	KS1 Football After School Club (3:15 - 4:00)
Thursday 25th January	Makaton Choir After School Club (3:15 - 3:45)

## Welcome to new members of staff

I would like to introduce you to two new members of staff who have joined our school community.

Miss Bathgate is our new attendance officer. You will meet Miss Bathgate on a morning meeting and greeting as you enter school. If you need to report a child's absence please speak to Miss Bathgate.



Miss Wellings is joining us as Reception Class Teacher in Badgers Class. You will meet Miss Wellings at our class events as well as on the class door/gate daily.



## Easy Fundraising

Thank you so much to everyone who has already donated to school through the Easy Fundraising app. If you haven't already done so please check out the information below to sign up and register!

Girnhill Infant School is now registered with Easy UK, so over 7,000 brands will now donate to us for FREE every time you use Easy UK. Just follow the three easy steps below to give your support!



## How to support Girnhill Infant School

- 1** Sign up  
Provide us with a few details to set up your profile with easyfundraising.
- 2** Download our browser extension  
Our Donation Reminder plug-in pops up automatically when you shop to let you know when a donation is available.
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You'll be able to see how much you've raised in your account and we'll send updates on when Girnhill Infant School gets paid.

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/girnhill-infant-school/>

## 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, Headteacher