



Dates for your diary

18th - 22nd March - Year 6 France trip

PTA disco - 26th March

28th March - Last day of term, school ends at 2pm.

Monday 15th April - Children return to school

Week beginning 13th May - Year 6 SATS week

GCA NEWS

Dear GCA parents and carers,

Dear GCA families,

Attendance

We are seeing a decline in attendance at the moment. The impact this has on learning as well as social interactions is huge. We understand that there are times your child may be unwell but please do make every effort to ensure your child is at school every day. We will not authorise time off for holidays and encourage you to ensure these are booked in school holidays.

Coach parking

On Monday 18th, the coach for the Year 6 trip will be trying to park as close as possible to the school at around 8.30am, so we kindly ask that you try not to park close to the school entrance on this occasion.

This weeks attendance

Whole school - 88.9% ↓

Year 1 - 83.84% ↓

Year 2 - 88.37% ↓

Year 3 - 94.71% ↓

Year 4 - 92.72% ↓

Year 5 - 84.18% ↑

Year 6 - 91.07% ↑

Attendance matters

On time, everyday,
This is the GCA way.



Music Lessons

Applications for help with fees with Hertfordshire music fees are now open. All the information and how to apply is available [here](#) Funding is available at the 50% and 100% levels to help more children discover their musical voice.

Easter STEM camps

Easter Tech Camp's are available on 2nd-5th April at St St Mary's Junior Mixed School and 8th-12th April at Pixmore Junior School from 9 am to 4 pm each day. There are a limited number of spaces available for children eligible for FSM to attend the camp funded by the council. More info can be found [here](#) and [here](#).

Best wishes

Mrs Ruck