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| **Term 1 and 2 - Key Dates**  **Grange Infant and Junior Schools** | | |
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| Friday 19th September | **GIS & GJS**  Jeans for Genes Day | Children are invited to wear jeans to school with their school jumper and make a voluntary donation of £1 for charity. |
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| Tuesday 23rd September | **GJS - Year 6**  School Nurse | School Nurse in for Height and Weight measurement screening. Letter to follow |
| Friday 26th September | **GIS & GJS**  European Day of Languages | Children will be taking part in activities related to different European languages |
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| Wednesday 1st October | **GJS**  Individual photos | Children to come to school in their full school uniform. PE kit to be bought to change into if it would usually be a PE day. |
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| Friday 10th October | **GIS & GJS**  World Mental Health Day | Our assembly focus today will be on looking after each other and ourselves. Children will take part in wellbeing activities in class. |
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| Thursday 16th/ Friday 17th/Monday 20th October | **GJS**  Book Fair | The Book Fair will be open in the Junior school after school. It will be in the Entrance Zone between 3:30pm and 4pm |
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| Tuesday 21st October | **GIS & GJS**  Harvest Festival  **Year 5**  Harvest festival assembly | In both schools we will be collecting donations of non-perishable food items for Swindon Food Bank- please can children bring in their contributions during the week beginning **13th October.**  Children in Year 5 invite parents in at 0900 for their Harvest assembly. |
| Tuesday 21st October | **GIS & GJS**  Term Ends | Last day of Term 1. School finishes at normal time. |
| Wednesday 22nd October | **GIS & GJS**  TD Day | School closed to children. |
| Thursday 23rd October – Sunday 2nd November | **GIS & GJS**  HALF TERM |  |
| Monday 3rd November | **GIS & GJS**  Term 2 Starts | Children return to school. |
| Monday 3rd November | **GIS**  Individual photos | Children to come to school in their full school uniform. PE kit to be bought to change into if it would usually be a PE day. |
| Wednesday 5th November | **GIS & GJS**  Fireworks Event | FOGs will be hosting their annual firework event at the Infant school in the evening. |
| Thursday 6th November | **GIS**  Flu Immunisations | Children will be offered their annual flu vaccinations. More information to follow. |
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| Monday 10th and Wednesday 12th | **GIS & GJS**  Parents Evening | Parents will be able to book an appointment to meet their child’s teacher  Information about how to book your appointment will be sent out nearer the time. |
| Week of 10th-14th November | **GIS & GJS**  Anti- Bullying Week | Children will be engaging in activities around the theme for this year: ‘Power for Good.’  **Odd Socks Day**- Children are invited to wear odd socks on **Monday 10th November**- A great way to celebrate what makes us all unique. |
| Tuesday 11th November | **GIS & GJS**  Remembrance | All children will observe a 2 minutes silence at 11am.  Children will take part in activities linked to Remembrance Day. |
| Tuesday 11th November | **Year 5**  Kingsdown Literacy Festival | Year 5 have been invited to Kingsdown School for the annual Literacy Festival to meet the author Gareth P Jones. |
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| Thursday 20th November | **GIS & GJS**  Christmas Voice Festival | Christmas Voice Festival at the Wyvern Theatre. Letter to follow. |
| Friday 21st November | **GIS & GJS**  Children in Need | This year’s theme is ‘The Great SPOTacular Appeal.’ Children are invited to come into school dressed in anything with spots. The appeal raising money for disadvantaged and young children around the UK. |
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| Week of 17th - 22nd November | **GIS & GJS**  Road Safety Week | At both schools we will raise awareness of road dangers and help our understanding of how we make safe and healthy journeys, every day. |
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| Week of 24th – 30th November | **Year 5 & Year 6**  UK Parliament Week | Children will undertake a range of activities to develop their learning and understanding of the UK parliamentary system. |
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| Friday 5th December | **GIS & GJS**  Christmas Tree Festival | There will be a Christmas tree festival held at the Juniors where each child will make their own Christmas tree decoration at 1330. |
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| Tuesday 9th December | **GJS**  Flu Immunisations | Children will be offered their annual flu vaccinations. More information to follow. |
| Wednesday 10th December | **Year 3**  Festival of Light Assembly | Year 3 children invite their parents to an assembly at 0900. |
| Thursday 11th December | **GIS & GJS**  Christmas Jumper Day | Children are invited to wear a Christmas jumper, t-shirt or tinsel to school and make a voluntary donation of £2 to Save the Children. |
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| Tuesday 16th December | **EYFS**  Nativity Performance | EYFS parents will be invited to watch their children in their nativity performance at 1430. |
| Wednesday 17th December | **EYFS**  Nativity Performance | EYFS parents will be invited to watch their children in their nativity performance at 1430. |
| Thursday 18th December | **Years 1-4**  Christmas Carol Performance | Year 1 to 4 invite parents to share our in annual Christmas carol concert at the Infants school at 1345. |
| Friday 19th December | **GIS & GJS**  Term Ends | Last day of Term 2. School finishes at normal time. |