

Our Communication Plan- Grange Junior School

We believe that good communication between parents and the school is incredibly important. We have created this plan to set out our main forms of communication, purpose and frequency.

Please ensure that you support us in making this successful by regularly checking your emails especially on a Friday and ensuring that your contact details are always up to date.

Parents Evening	Parents Evenings are held for all pupils twice a year. These are usually held at the beginning of Term 2 and Term 4. These consultation meetings are an invaluable opportunity to discuss a child's progress, targets, successes, attendance and possible additional needs.
Reports	Main written reports will be sent home at the end of term 6 and a summary report will be given to parents at the end of term 4.
	Reports include reference to progress, attainment, attendance and a summary of how an individual child has achieved over the course of the year.
Weekly Roundups	At the end of each week, we send home a Weekly Roundup. This celebrates our week at school and provides ongoing useful information and key dates and events coming up.
Letters	Letters are also used as a form of communicating information to parents as and when required and are e-mailed. We will always endeavour to send letters home on a Friday, so you have chance over the weekend to check your emails and read the content.
Text messages & e-mail	Text messages and e-mail are used as a means of communicating messages with parents, as and when appropriate.

Facebook and Twitter	As a school we will be using social media platforms to celebrate good news
	Follow us here. https://www.facebook.com/GrangeJuniorSchool
School website	The school website is updated regularly.
	The is our main form of communication and publishes: Key policies, including statutory policies Curriculum Staffing Resources to support learning Contact details Statutory information required by the DfE https://grange-jun.swindon.sch.uk/
Additional meetings	At times, it may be appropriate for the school to request an additional meeting with a parent/carer or vice-versa. This may be, for example, to discuss the specific educational needs or behaviour of a pupil. We recognise the importance of working in partnership to support all children who attend Grange Junior School and thank you in advance for your support in this.
Contacting the school	If you would like to speak to a member of staff at the school, you can contact us in the following ways. By telephone- 01793 822405 By email: School Office: admin@grange-jun.swindon.sch.uk
	Mrs Gordon: hgordon@grange-jun.swindon.sch.uk We always endeavour to contact a parent within 48 hours and will always do our utmost to arrange an individual face-to-face meeting as soon as possible. In the first instance please make a meeting with your child's class teacher or Year Group Lead. SLT will also make themselves available for meetings with parents at a mutually agreeable time.