



# Grange Moor Primary School

## March Parent Newsletter

**Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2026**

Dear Families

Another month and another newsletter! This also brings another opportunity to say thank you for all your ongoing support to school. March has seen a fabulous Science Week as part of this month's subject spotlight and as ever we appreciate you supporting children to get involved as well as giving your time too. It was a fantastic turn out to share all things Science on Friday 😊 We are looking forward to one final week together before the Easter break. Remember children can decorate an egg or Easter Bonnet to bring to school on Friday – there will prizes for winning entries, just for a little Easter fun! There will also be the old favourite chocolate tombola happening on Thursday after school thanks to our wonderful Friends of Grange Moor group too. Wishing you all a lovely break when it gets here! Miss Barker 😊

### **Dates for the Diary**

Remember, we have a parent planner on the website that we will keep updated of important dates for families to know.

#### [Parent Planner | Grange Moor Primary School](https://grangemoorps.co.uk/parents/parent-planner)

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Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March – Last Day of Term, School then closes for two weeks.  
Monday 6<sup>th</sup> April – School Re-opens to all children.  
Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> April – 3:30pm Class 3 Parents Meeting regarding Residential  
Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April – Wear Something Green in exchange for a plant, seeds, plant pots etc for Earth Day.  
Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May – School Closed BH

### **After School Clubs Next Half Term**

Available to book via Arbor from 7am on the 1st April.  
Monday – KS2 Tag Rugby & All age outdoor club  
Tuesday – Arts and Crafts Club  
Thursday – KS2 Girls football & All age rounders

### **Communication**

Please do use the website and Facebook Page if you are a user to keep in the loop and spread the word.

<https://grangemoorps.co.uk>

Search Grange Moor Primary School on Facebook and give the page a Like and Share

### **Subject Spotlight – Science**

We had an amazing Science Week at both Birdseye First School and Grange Moor Primary School – a week filled with experiences, learning and experiments to create awe and wonder. Our theme was curiosity – asking and answering our scientific questions. We learn in our Science lessons that the world around us is a fabulous mix of chemicals and elements that combine in different ways and can be affected by processes that we often take for granted. Children learn about their bodies, life processes and systems including how we breathe and how we digest food. We explore how plants grow and how life is formed. We explore changes that happen automatically and those that happen in response to a stimulus. Science is all around us and is such a fascinating subject. Thank you for your engagement in Science Week – we hope you have enjoyed it and perhaps even used it as a starting point for some new interests or projects at home.

### **An Update from Friends of Grange Moor**

FoG have been busy working in the background as ever supporting school. Thank you from the group for the chocolate donations already received for the tombola, any more that could be brought in early next week would be appreciated 😊 The next project organised by the group is a visit from Dunnybees for children in school, where pupils can immerse themselves in the beauty of Nature as part of Earth Day on 22<sup>nd</sup> April. We can't wait!

### **An Update from our Governors**

Hello everyone,

Together, the governing bodies of Birdseye and Grange Moor are becoming one so we can better and more effectively support both schools as Grange Moor prepares to join The Mast Academy Trust. This collaboration strengthens our shared commitment to providing the very best for our children, staff, and wider community.

Thank you for your continued support during this exciting time of change. Please do reach out to us if you'd like to discuss anything or learn more about the work we do — we're always happy to hear from you.

Nancy Halliwell and Laura Jones  
Co-Chairs of Governors

On behalf of the Governing Body of Grange Moor Primary School