



Grindleton Church of England Primary School

Newsletter

5th September 2025

What a wonderful, busy first week back it has been! The school has been buzzing with excitement, and it has been lovely to see so many happy faces returning after the summer, ready to take on the year ahead. A very warm welcome as well to our new pupils and families — we're so pleased you've joined our school, and we can't wait to get to know you better.

The Year 3 children have settled brilliantly into their new class and learning the new routines, and the new Reception pupils have fitted in perfectly. The positive energy across the school has set us up for a fantastic year. Thank you, as always, for your continued support — it makes such a difference. Here's to all the learning, growth, and memories we'll be sharing together and in the words of our school motto, may we all 'Grow and Shine in God's Glory' throughout the year ahead.

I will be at Grindleton School all day every Tuesday and Thursday and every Friday morning. Please do not hesitate to contact me at Bolton-by-Bowland School when I am there., should you need to talk to me urgently (Tel 01200 447632)

With kindest regards,

Mrs Abram

Reminders

A few reminders as we start the new school year:

Uniform: Skirt, pinafore or black school trousers. White Polo shirt with or without school logo, burgundy jumper/cardigan with logo. White or black socks or black tights. Black shoes.

Please ensure that children bring a coat to school everyday.

PE Kit: Black shorts, plain white t-shirt. Black Pumps, **trainers** for outside. Children can bring a pair of black jogging pants for outside games in the cooler months.

Jewellery: Children are allowed to wear a plain gold/silver stud (no hoops) but they must be able to take them out for PE which is now on Mondays and Thursdays or cover them up with a plaster (to be provided by parents)

Water bottles: Please ensure that children bring a water bottle daily which can be refilled when required at our water machine.

Toast—Toast is available for snack at morning break at £1 per week payable on Monday or half termly in advance.

Parking: To keep our children as safe as possible, unless arranged with the school, please do not park around the back of school when dropping off or picking up your children. There should be adequate parking on the road or the Pavilion car park. Thank you for your understanding in this matter.

Individual/Family Photographs

The photographer will be in school next Tuesday, 9th September, taking individual and family photographs from 9am. If you have siblings who you would like included in these photographs, please make arrangements with Mrs Ingham.



BOOTH'S Supermarket Book Table

Mrs Bush (Chair of Governors) nominated Grindleton School for proceeds raised from the sale of pre-loved books during the month of July. £202.05 was raised for School Funds



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Jeans for Genes Day—Friday 19th September 2025

On Friday 19th September we will be raising money for a very important charity—Jeans for Genes.



The charity supports individuals and families affected by genetic disorders. The funds raised go towards vital research, support services and grants, that aim to find cures and provide better support for those living with genetic conditions

We invite children to come to school in their jeans/denim for £1 (or more) per child.

HARVEST FESTIVAL—THURSDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER AT 9AM

You are invited to join us in Church for our annual Harvest Festival.

This year we will once again be collecting for the Ribble Valley Food Bank.



Any donations can be brought into school on the day and children will take them into Church:

Cereal, rice, pasta, tinned food.

Laundry detergent, washing up liquid, chocolate



Diary Dates

SEPTEMBER

- Tues 9th Individual and Family Photos
- Fri 19th Jeans for Genes Day
- Thurs 25th 9am Harvest Festival in Church
- Fri 26th Macmillan Coffee Morning—more details to follow

OCTOBER

- Mon 13th Whole School Swimming x 2 weeks
 - Fri 24th Non Uniform Day
- School closes at 3.30pm and re-opens **TUESDAY** 4th November at 8.55am

NOVEMBER

- Wed 5th FLU VACS—**please return form to Mrs Ingham no later than Friday 12th September**

You can contact us at anytime by calling 01200 441257 or email Mrs Ingham

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