



Meet the Teacher

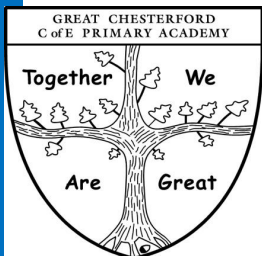
Year 5

2026-2027

Two are better off than one, because together they can work more effectively.
Ecclesiastes 4:9

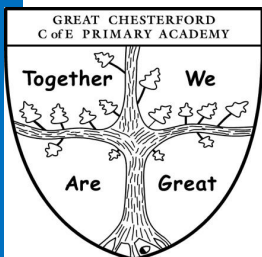
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General Reminders:

- Up to date contact and medical details
- Medicines etc. – complete form
- Inhalers in date (and children to take responsibility for them)
- Permission on arbor/in writing for children walking home alone
- Changes to collection arrangements in writing/email
- Letter or email to excuse from P.E. due to injury or illness
- Gates open at 8:40am. School starts at 8:45 a.m. Register closes at 9:05 a.m.
- Contact school office if child is unwell
- Avoid holidays and appointments in term time
- See newsletters/website for updates
- No phones



School Values:

'GREAT'

God's Guidance

Respect One Another

Excellent Behaviour

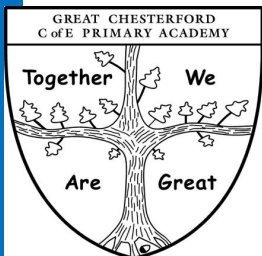
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Tremendous Teamwork

Supported through: Value Points, Praise Pads,

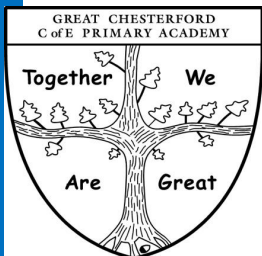
Half Termly HT postcards, Monthly Motivations

TPP, Zones of Regulation, Consequences for actions (restorative practice).



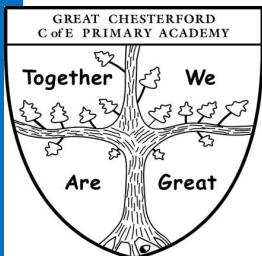
Healthy Schools:

- Snacks (fruit/veg, cheese and crackers, nothing heavily processed)
- Water
- Waterproof coat, sun hat, long lasting SPF etc
- No birthday cakes/sweets in school
- MIND



Uniform Expectations:

- **Correct School Uniform**
- **Jewellery**
- **Earrings**
- **Hair tied up**
- **No trainers**
- **PE Uniform on PE days**



Staffing:

Miss Foster – all day Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday

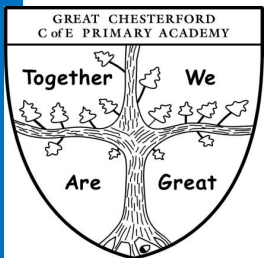
Mrs Munday – all day Thursday

AM:

Mrs Campbell – Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday (until 10:30 am)

PM:

Ms Hinds – Thursday and Friday (from 1:45 pm)



Curriculum:

Autumn Term – Space Invaders

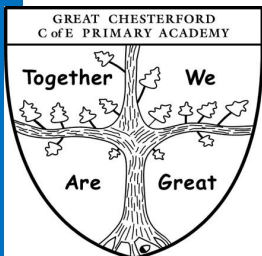
Main topic areas: Planets and the Solar System, Human circulatory system, Mountains, Anglo Saxons

Spring Term – Ancient Egypt

Main topic areas: Properties of Materials, Ancient Egypt, Climate Change and Pollution

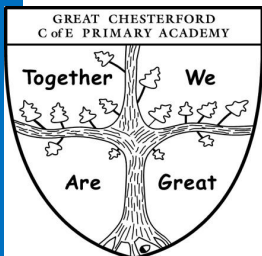
Summer Term – The Tudors

Main topic areas: All living things: animals and humans, The Tudors, local changes



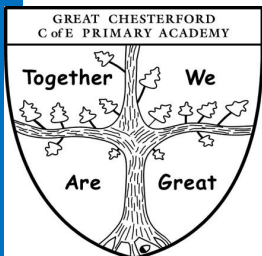
Curriculum:

- PE days – Tuesday (with Mr Duers) & Thursday
- Class Collective Worship – Friday 13th November 2026
- Playleading
- Bikeability
- Trips



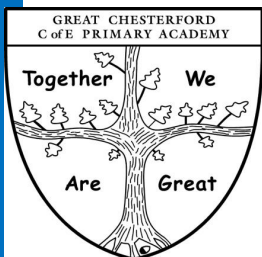
Homework:

- Parent communication method: Planner/Communication to support organisation (please check and sign once a week)
- 25 minutes (finish after this time)
- Reading for 15 minutes daily
- Children should ensure they are clear what is expected, tasks should be recorded in planner along with return date
- Highest standards of presentation
- How to complete e.g. Book provided – important to return it on the due date for marking in class
- Concerns will be followed up
- Weekly spelling test



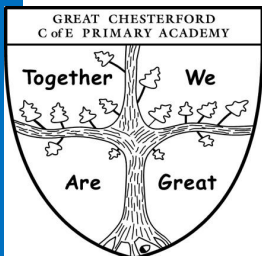
How to help your child:

- Encourage routines for homework
- Encourage independence e.g. asking for help if needed
- Regular reading with an adult – sharing/discussing a text
- Encourage a wide range of texts for reading
- Regular revision of number facts e.g. , number bonds (including decimals) times tables and telling the time



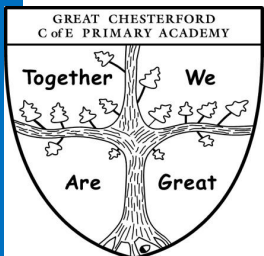
Sporting Events:

- USSP Sports activities
- Some focus on team-building and skill development others have increased competitive element with opportunities to progress to additional stage(s)
- Aim to include everyone at some point during the year
- Transport – generally coach, sometimes ask parents to transport for single year group 'finals' events.
- Completing all details and consent on Arbor – tight deadlines



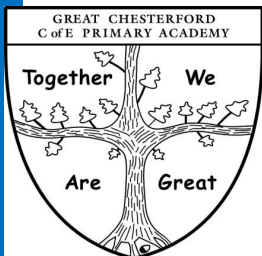
Equipment needed:

- **Essential:** One small pencil case containing a HB pencil, 30cm ruler, eraser and pencil sharpener
- **Additional useful items:** Own blue handwriting pen (not biro), own glue stick, 5-10 own coloured pencils, own highlighters



Keep in Touch:

- Please keep us updated of anything that may affect your child's learning
- Use planner for non-urgent communication
- Any concerns email admin or see me



Thank you for coming.

We are looking forward to a GREAT year ahead!

