

# Little Gonerby Church of England Primary Academy



## Newsletter



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### Message from Mr Hawkins

Dear families,

Welcome to Term 2 – the Christmas term! There are lots of exciting events planned this term, particularly as we get closer to Christmas. This is an important time for many of our families and for us as a Church school to commemorate the birth of Jesus.

Our **Academy Champions** are carrying out some monitoring in school at the moment and they are really pleased with how wonderful school is – well done to everyone involved!

We have had our first **Open Day** event for next year's admissions. We have three more dates scheduled so if you have a child due to start school in September 2025, please contact Mrs Gray in the office to arrange to have a tour.

Our **Asda Cashpot for Schools** funds are now over an incredible £244! Please keep on shopping there and linking your app so we can raise even more money over the next 29 days.

If you would like to get in touch to discuss anything, please speak to your child's Class Teacher or arrange an appointment at the school office.



Your support is always appreciated and it is due to the fantastic relationships that we have with our families that our children are able to be successful.

With the very best of wishes,

Mr Hawkins & the Little Gonerby team

### Diary dates

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|---------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 8 <sup>th</sup> November  | Healthy Relationships workshops in school (Year 2, 3 & 4).                     |
| 8 <sup>th</sup> November  | Year 4 Remembrance Day Class Assembly (2:30pm) – Y4 families invited to watch. |
| 11 <sup>th</sup> November | Anti-bullying week.                                                            |
| 15 <sup>th</sup> November | Reception 2025 admissions applications open.                                   |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> November | Road Safety Day as part of National Road Safety events.                        |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> December  | Mini Police session for Year 4 – Safer strangers.                              |
| 11 <sup>th</sup> December | Christingle – St Wulfram's Church – Year 2/3.                                  |
| 12 <sup>th</sup> December | Christmas Jumper Day.                                                          |
| 16 <sup>th</sup> December | EYFS/Y1 Nativity – afternoon performance (1:30pm).                             |
| 17 <sup>th</sup> December | EYFS/Y1 Nativity – morning performance (9:30am).                               |
| 18 <sup>th</sup> December | Christmas party day.                                                           |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> December | <b>End of Term 2.</b>                                                          |

### Attendance

Our whole school attendance is unfortunately currently below the Department for Education target of 95%.

We would appreciate your support in ensuring that your child is in school every day, unless they are unwell. Medical appointments (including the dentist) should be booked outside of school time where possible. Holidays will not be authorised and may lead to the issuing of a Fixed Penalty Notice (FPN).

### Safeguarding

Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility, however our key Designated Safeguarding Leads in school are:

Mr Hawkins – Headteacher

Mrs Gallaher – Family Support Advisor

Mrs Reynolds – Assistant Headteacher

Miss Steele – Senior Teacher

### Websites

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