

Great Whelnetham CE Primary School

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Owls Newsletter – Autumn Term (2), 2025

Dear Parents,

This half term the 3-week blocks that we will teach are on **Geography** and *Music*. In Geography we will begin focusing on "The Four Nations" exploring the United Kingdom, from cities and towns to mountain ranges and coastal features! In **Music** we will be exploring the genre of classic rock. We will also be practicing for our carol singing visit to Cornwallis Court on December 11th.

In **Music**, we will continue our weekly **music tuition** on Friday. Please ensure pupils have their instrument on Friday.

In *Maths* Pupils will be working on:

Year 4: Area, multiplication and division.

Year 5: Multiplication and division and fractions.

In *English* pupils will be a writing personal project and a sensory poem. Our class novel this term is "Because of Mr.Terupt" This novel explores point of view and character development. It has always been a fan favourite in classes I have shared it with before!

I am also excited to share that we will be continuing to have **Forest School** this term. This will take place on a Wednesday morning. Please send your pupil ready for Forest School with their uniform to change into for the afternoon. As the weather is getting colder just a friendly reminder about warm layers and waterproof clothes.

NFER TESTING: This will be taking place the week 24th November and 1st December. Pupils will be assessed in maths, reading, spelling and grammar.

Home Learning: This will be set on FRIDAY and be DUE FRIDAY.

Maths	White rose workbook & Timetable rockstars
Spelling	This term these will focus on weekly patterns. These will also be shared on spelling shed. (TEST THURSDAY)
Writing	One weekly writing task will be assigned

Reading	A MINIMIUM of 3 nights a week for 20 minutes! Watch this space for a new
	reading challenge in Owls! 😊

I am looking forward to another lovely half term in Owls! If you have any questions, please do get in touch at my email address listed below.

Kind regards,

Mrs Reavis & Ms Robson

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What do I need and when?

Wednesday- Forest School Clothing Friday- Violin, P.E kit & Homework DUE