



Turves Green Primary School Newsletter



11TH JULY 2025

Hello parents and carers,

What an amazing week it has been here at Turves Green Primary!

Pupils in 3B visited the Botanical Gardens! The children explored a variety of exotic plants, walked through tropical glasshouses, and even spotted some colourful birds in the aviary. They were fascinated by the different environments and learnt how plants adapt to survive in rainforests and deserts. It was a fantastic, hands-on learning experience that brought their science topic to life. A big thank you to all those who made the day run so smoothly!

Year 4 held their Recorder Showcase on Wednesday, which saw guests come in and watch them display their amazing musical skills. They played delightful songs and I am sure all those who attended will agree - they were impressive. Thank you to those who attended!

On Thursday we had our SEND Coffee morning, where parents and carers were sharing how we support pupils with SEND at TGP. Lovely to hear some great, positive feedback from parents and carers, as well as listen to some suggestions. It's wonderful to work together.

Finally, our Year 6 pupils had a fantastic time visiting Symphony Hall in Birmingham this week. The children were amazed by the stunning architecture and the incredible acoustics of the concert hall. They learnt about different instruments. The highlight was watching a live performance - it was an inspiring and memorable experience for all!

Next week will be our final week of the school year, but that doesn't mean we take our foot off the pedal! We have our Y6 assembly to parents and carers on Tuesday at 2:15pm - have your tissues ready! We also have the Reception Farm assembly on Thursday at 9:00am.

Have a great weekend and enjoy the warm weather!

Take care,
Mr Lewis
Head of School



Please see link attached with summer holidays activities in Birmingham, this can also be found on our website under newsletters.

<https://turvesgreen.excelsiormat.org/assets/Documents/Attachments/Summer-Activities-2025.pdf>

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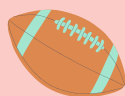
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Before and After School Clubs

WB 14th July 2025

Please note all school clubs are on an allocation basis and your child must have received a letter confirming their place to attend.

MONDAY	Choir Year 1&2 Multi-Sports Club
TUESDAY	Year 3&4 Netball Club
WEDNESDAY	Year 5&6 Cricket Club
THURSDAY	No afterschool activity club
FRIDAY	No afterschool activity club



Upcoming events:

☐ **Monday 14th July**
3P Botanical Gardens Trip

☐ **Tuesday 15th July**
Year 6 Leavers Assembly 2:15

☐ **Tuesday 15th July**
Year 6 Leavers Party

☐ **Thursday 17th July**
Reception Farm Assembly 9:00am

Governors Awards

Today we had our Governors Awards assembly, each year group picked 3 people to have an award. Well done everyone!

Head Teachers Award for Excellence

Aleeyah RC - Caylan 1C - Freya 2W - Joleen 3B -
Sharshviga 4C - Blake 5E - Louis 6M

Governors Certificate for Well Being of Others

Penelope RF - Arlo 1SB - Kendal 2C - Charlie 3P -
Farah 4W - Eva 5E - Jamie 6SC

Governors Certificate for Being a Great Role Model

Adam RC - Arsema 1SB - Ollie 2W - Elsie 3P - Olivia 4W -
Leo 5W - Ngarai 6SC

Next weeks PE:

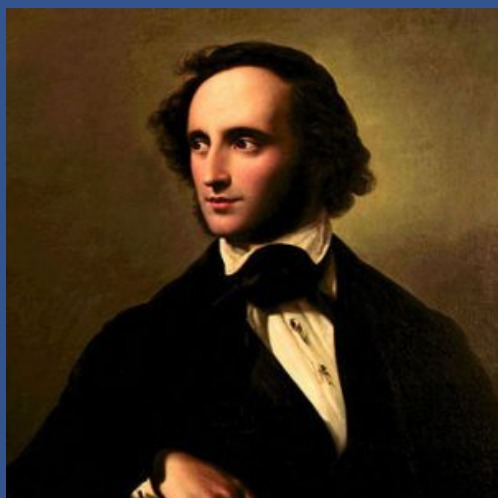
MONDAY	2C, 2W 3B & 3P
TUESDAY	5E, 5W & 6SC Swimming Reception
WEDNESDAY	1C, 1SB 4C & 4W
THURSDAY	No PE
FRIDAY	6M

Reception to leave PE kits in school to change into on PE days
Years 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 to wear their PE kits to school on their PE days

Composer of the week
Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847):

Felix was lucky enough to be born into a rich family, with loving parents who encouraged him to be a musician. And he certainly had the right name. Felix is Latin for "happy."

Mendelssohn was born in Hamburg, Germany, and grew up in Berlin. The Mendelssohn family held regular Sunday afternoon concerts at their house, so Felix grew up with music all around him. He was already a terrific pianist as a child, and started composing when he was ten. As a teenager, Mendelssohn had already written some of his greatest music. He was also a wonderful visual artist.



Mendelssohn was very close to his older sister, who also played the piano and composed. The two of them not only made music together, they also put on plays – like *A Midsummer Night's Dream* by William Shakespeare.

Mendelssohn loved to travel. His trips to other countries inspired some of his best music, like his *Scottish* and *Italian* Symphonies.

Mendelssohn also became well known as a conductor. When he was just 20, he put together and conducted the first concert of Johann Sebastian Bach's *St. Matthew Passion* since Bach's lifetime.

NEW LUNCH MENU!



Week 3

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Mediterranean Sausage & Vegetable Hot Pot, Mediterranean Veggie Sausage Hot Pot or Fish Fingers	Chicken & Broccoli Pasta Bake, Vegetable Pasta Bake or Vegetable Sausage Hot Dog	Roast Turkey, Sage & Onion Seasoning & a Rich Gravy Sauce Herb Roasted Quorn	Mexican Chicken & Vegetables, in a Warm Floured Mini Tortilla, Mediterranean Veggie Sausage Hot Pot or Battered Fish	Traditional Pepperoni Pizza Homemade Margherita Pizza
Cheesy Potato Wedges, Baked Beans, Broccoli	Diced Potatoes, Garlic Bread, Peppers & Sweetcorn, Salad Cart	Minted New Potatoes, Carrots & Peas, Salad Cart	Sauté Potatoes, Sweetcorn, Baked Beans	Chipped Potatoes, Baked Beans, Peas, Sauces
Ice Lolly	Lemon Iced Donut	Strawberry Jelly & Fruit	Toffee & Apple Sponge with Custard Sauce	Chocolate Chip Cookie

Salad Cart, Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt Available Daily



Be an attendance HERO
Here Everyday Ready Ontime





Changes at The End of this School Year



We are coming to the end of the school year and there will be some changes. Some changes are planned, and others may happen on the day. This is okay. My teachers will support me.

Some things will be the same in school and some things will be different over the next two weeks. This is okay. I can use my planner to help me prepare for changes.



Same =	Different ≠
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • My friends • School dinners • School rules: Ready, respectful, and safe • Playtimes with OPAL 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I will have a different teacher on some days. • Different learning • Special events 

If I feel anxious about the changes I can:




- Tell a grown up
- Take deep breathes
- Count back from 10



I will have a super last three weeks. I will be happy and proud.



My End of School Year Planner

Saturday 28th June	Sunday 29 th June	Monday 30 th June	Tuesday 1 st July	Wednesday 2nd July	Thursday 3rd July	Friday 4 th July
				Transition Afternoon! 	Sports Day  (fingers crossed for sun!)	
Saturday 5 th June	Sunday 6 th June	Monday 7 th July	Tuesday 8 th July	Wednesday 9th July	Thursday 10th July	Friday 11 th July
		Year 6 Summer Fayre 				
Saturday 12th July	Sunday 13 th July	Monday 14 th July	Tuesday 15 th July	Wednesday 16th July	Thursday 17th July	Friday 18 th July
						End of term fun in class! 