

# THORN GROVE GAZETTE

FRIDAY 28TH MARCH 2025



Dear Thorn Grove Families,

Welcome to this week's edition of Thorn Grove Gazette. This week is assessment week at Thorn Grove and the children have been busy showing what they know and have learnt over the last term and beyond. We have also launched our school Facebook page to showcase the many wonderful events and special learning moments that take place here in school. Please do follow us and share with family and friends. I would like to wish all of our Muslim families a blessed Eid for Monday; Eid Mubarak to all!

Have a lovely weekend  
Miss Vose

## Key Dates

Mon 31st Mar - Y6 Practise SATS Begin

Thu 3rd April - Year 2 Class Assembly

Tue 8th April - EYFS Stay & Play

Thu 10th April - Y3/ 4 Production

Fri 11th April - Easter Bingo

Fri 11th April - School Closes

Mon 28th April - School Reopens

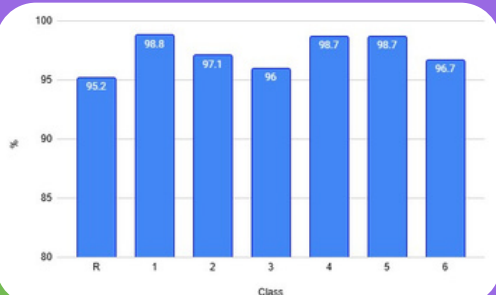
## Star of the Week



## Assembly Focus of the Week

This week in assembly we focused on the Muslim tradition of Ramadan and the celebration of Eid Ul-Fitr. Our children found out what Ramadan is, when it takes place and how Muslims mark this occasion. We were very lucky to have Tasneem and Ubaid speak very confidently about their lived experience answered questions from our children.

In preparation for Eid, we also learnt how to wish people a 'blessed Eid' ; Eid Mubarak.



## Weekly Attendance

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### Librarians Recommended Reads

"I enjoyed this book because it is action packed and has a really good description of what life was like during WWII, with the blitz etc. I really like the character Adonis (a gorilla!). I would recommend it to UKS2" - TG Librarians



### Year 4 Padel Tennis

On Wednesday morning, Team Glennie got to try a brand new sport. We went to the Soul Padel courts, near Decathlon, in Stockport and where Sue taught us the skills we needed to be able to play. Quick feet and our hand eye coordination was key. The phrase 'knees to trees, not nose to toes' really helped us get the right direction for our swing with the Padel racket.

We had such a fantastic time and some of us want to go again!



### CHS Wellbeing Ambassadors

Team Glennie and Team Maathai have been working with Cheadle Hulme School Y12 pupils, who have trained to be wellbeing ambassadors. The first session was getting to know each other's likes and dislikes.

Next, we looked at worries and they read 'Ruby's Worry' by Tom Percival to Team Maathai and 'When Worry Takes Hold' by Liz Haske. Both classes learnt a new breathing technique that we could add to our emotions toolkit.

This week, the focus was on digital wellbeing and what the positives and negatives are of having devices. It has been lovely to see the children build relationships with older children as positive role models and CHS students have enjoyed getting to know our children too.



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