

Gooderstone Gazette



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In the same way, I tell you, there is
rejoicing in the presence of the angels of
God over one sinner who repents. **Luke**
15: 10

Stars and Wows

**Team
Points**
Einstein: 35
Curie: 31
Newton: 24

Congratulations
EINSTEIN!

Owls

Star of the week is, Aster for always being polite and listening well.

Wow of the week is, Elsie for her amazing knowledge of the Easter story.

Writer of the week is Taron for exploring mark making and telling us all about them.

Skylarks

Star of the week is, Roan for being respectful and helpful.

Wow of the week is, Rosie WA for being super enthusiastic about all of our science this week.

Writer of the week, is Alana, for a fantastic retell of Jim and the Beanstalk.

Kestrels

Star of the week is Ellie, for making good choices in classes.

Wow of the week is Oisin, for excellent scientific vocabulary this week.

Writer of the week is Paloma, for a well written leaflet.

What have we been up to?

This week in Owls & Goslings, we have enjoyed lots of science for science week. We have explored the children's question - Do plants need mud to grow? We have put seeds into various materials such as cotton wool and sand and will observe the results over time. We also had lots of fun learning about pollination for our SAW day and transferred pollen from flower to flower.

This week in Skylarks, we have completed some exciting experiments for Science week! We started by examining different fruits to see if the seeds were on the outside or the inside and learnt that the seeds are where new plants grow from. We were very excited to extract DNA from a strawberry and learnt that DNA decides the size of the strawberry, taste, colour and shape. We also observed sunflowers heads and investigated Oliver's question about why so many things in nature are spiral shaped. We arranged seeds on the sunflower in different patterns and found that a spiral pattern meant the most seeds could fit.

This week in Kestrels, we have been super Scientists! We have planted tomato seeds to see in which conditions it will grow the best in an observation over time. We have also looked at animal adaptations, made magic colour-changing potions using acids and alkalis, and we have created DNA family trees using sour patch people!



COMIC RELIEF

Sendco

On **Friday 21st March** we will be participating in Comic Relief!

The school council have decided that they would like to wear their own clothes and have some funny hairstyles at the cost of a £1 donation.

This year, all school's have been given a just giving page to raise money. The QR Code is here!

Thank you for your support in raising money for this incredibly worthwhile cause.



New discount code for all uniform from MyClothing.com
Code = UNIFORM10%
Expires = 31/03/2025
Click the link!
[MyClothing.com](https://www.myclothing.com)

Upcoming Events

- **17th March: EINSTEIN non-uniform day!**
- **19th March @2.30pm:** Owls & Goslings Showcase
- **21st March:** Comic Relief - Non Uniform + Funny Hairstyles! Donate £1!
- **25th March: Cricket** - All Year Groups **PE KIT**
- **26th March @9am:** Easter Service at St Georges Church
- **27th March:** Parents Evening
- **28th March:** Cake Friday!
- **28th March @9am:** Skylarks Celebration Assembly
- **31st March @9am:** Skylarks Showcase
- ***RESCHEDULED* 31st March @3.15pm:** PGL Meeting with Miss Stanley
- **4th April:** Last day of term
- **7th April - 23rd April:** Easter Holidays

SENDCo Information and Support - Mrs Tinkley SENDCo
If you have any concerns about your child and would like to talk to Mrs Tinkley, please do not hesitate to contact her via email or telephone the school.

[Family Voice Norfolk February 2025 News letter](#)

[Family Action February 2025 Newsletter](#)

[Just One Norfolk: 0300 300 0123](#)

[Making Sense of SEND event- 19 March 2025](#)

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Einstein!

Congratulations **EINSTEIN!** You have a non-uniform day **Monday 17th March!**



Cake Friday!

Congratulations to Teddy, who won our Cake Friday today!

We would like to thank Miss Dinsdale for her eggcellent, chocolate cake and everyone for taking part.

We have raised an incredible £30.11!

We look forward to our next Cake Friday, which will take place Friday 28th March with a wonderful creation from Mrs Clarke!

We still have some cake friday spaces available to donate a wonderful cake! Please visit the office if you would like to join in.



Let Every Light Shine

