



Great Gorillas Newsletter

W/c 15th September 2025

In **English** we will be starting a new project based on the book 'The Journey Home' written by Fran Preston Gannon. The book is about a group of endangered animals journeying to escape the threats to their lives. They find refuge on a desert island where they meet an animal now extinct - the Dodo. We will be writing noun phrases to describe a mystery animal. We will also be identifying different types of sentences: questions, statements, commands and exclamations and writing a fact-file about a Dodo.

In **Maths** we will be flexibly partitioning numbers to 100, writing numbers in expanded form and counting in 10s and 1s on a number line.

In **PE** we will be developing our throwing & catching skills as well as learning how to balance in gymnastics.

In **Music** we will be learning our songs for the harvest festival.

In **Computing** we will continue with Route Explorers, we will be writing instructions to complete more than one step of a route at once.

In **Science** we will be investigating what lives in our local habitat.

In **Geography** we will be learning about the main oceans of our world and locating them on a map.

In **Art** we will be working on our drawing skills by completing both 'continuous line' and 'blind' sketches.

In **R.E.** we will be finishing our work on the story of Jonah and will be reflecting on what it teaches us about God.

Notices

We will continue to work on the 10x times tables this week.

My Maths homework is set from 19.09.25 - 03.10.25. The homework is based on tens & ones.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact either of us.

Many thanks

Mrs S. Chadburn, Miss C. Bennison & Mrs S. Pitwell

"Guide me in your truth and
teach me, for you are God my
Saviour and my hope is in you
all day long." Psalm 25 v5



Our vision is to:

- Love our learning.
- Know that God is with us, loves us and has a plan for us.
- Make the world a better place.