

GHS Themes of The Week 2025-2026

W/C	Theme of Whole School or House Assembly	Notes	Personal Development
03.09.25	"Take the first step, you don't have to see the whole staircase, just take the first step." Martin Luther King Jr	New Year	1,2,10,14,23,24,27
08.09.25	"Respect is how to treat everyone, not just those you want to impress." Richard Branson	GH3-Focus on Respect	1,2,7,10,11,12,14,16,22,23,24,27
15.09.25	"A person who has never made a mistake has never tried anything new." Albert Einstein	Personal Development-Making the most of all learning opportunities at GHS	1,2,3,8,9,10,14,21,24,27
22.09.25	"The more languages you know the more you are human." Tomas Garrigue Masaryk	MFL House Week European day of Languages 26 th September	2,8,10,14,16,17,18,21,23,24,27
29.09.25	"Dig deeper, look closer, think bigger."	Black History Month	1,2,6,7,8,10,14,16,17,18,19,22,23,24,27
06.10.25	"Health is the greatest of human blessings." Hippocrates	World Mental Health Day 10 th October	2,3,4,8,10,14,23,24,25,27
13.10.25	"Every time a woman stands up for herself, she stands up for all women." Maya Angelou	Women's rights, girls' aspirations, challenging misogyny The first time a woman spoke in parliament was 13 th October 1908: Margaret Ann Travers Symons broke into the Commons to demand votes for women.	1,2,3,5,6,8,10,14,16,20,23,24,27,28
20.10.25	"The purpose of life is to believe, to hope and to strive." Indira Ghandi	Preparing for Diwali School Council Feedback to Pupils	2,6,7,8,9,10,14,16,17,18,19,22,23,24,27
Half Term			
03.11.25	"Choose Respect."	Anti-Bullying Week 10 th -14 th November World Kindness Day 13 th November	1,2,3,5,8,9,10,11,12,14,16,23,24,25,26,27
10.11.25	"The living owe it to those who can no longer speak to tell their story for them." Czeslaw Milosz	Remembrance Day	1,2,6,8,10,14,16
17.11.25	"Disability need not be an obstacle to success." Stephen Hawking	Disability History Month. Theme: Disability, Livelihood & Employment	1,2,3,8,9,10,11,14,16,23,24,27,28
24.11.25	"Mathematics rightly viewed possesses not only truth but supreme beauty." Bertrand Russell	Maths House Week	8,9,10,14,23,27
01.12.25	"Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people." (Luke 2:10).	The importance of advent in the Christian calendar.	6,7,8,9,10,14,16,19,22,23,24,27
08.12.25	"It isn't what we say or think that defines us, but what we do" Jane Austen	250 th Birthday of Jane Austen	1,2,8,9,10,14,17,21,27
15.12.25	"May everyone be happy and safe and may their hearts be filled with joy" Buddha	Celebrations, staying safe in the holidays. School Council Feedback to Pupils	2,3,4,8,9,10,14,25,26
Christmas Holiday			
05.01.26	"The most important thing in life is to stop saying, 'I wish' and to start saying, 'I will'." Charles Dickens	New Year 100 th Anniversary of the first demonstration of Television at the Royal Institute London 50 th Anniversary of first Commercial Concorde flight from London Heathrow to Bahrain.	1,2,3,6,8,9,10,14,23,27

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12.01.26	"She was never bitter or self-pitying." Rob Bonnet (on Helen Rollason)	Helen Rollason, the first female sports presenter on BBC Grandstand Themes: Character/Facing adversity with positivity	1,2,3,6,8,9,10,14,23,27
19.01.26	"Horse gifts the world with true freedom of mind, body and spirit." Chinese Astrology	Preparing for Lunar New Year: Year of the Horse.	1,6,7,8,9,10,14,16,17,18,19,22
26.01.26	"For a Better Future."	Holocaust Memorial Day 27 th January	1,2,6,7,8,11,12,16,17,18,19,21,22,24,27
02.02.26	Official Theme TBC	Children's Mental Health Week 3 rd -9 th February	
09.02.26	Ramadan is the celebration of a faith known for great diversity and racial equality." Barack Obama	February 17 th Ramadan March 19 th Eid al-Fitr	1,2,6,7,8,16,17,18,19,22,24,27
Half-Term			
23.02.26	"One should never try to go back- the essence of life is going forward." Agatha Christie	World Book Day 5 th March English House Week 50 th anniversary of Agatha Christie's Death	2,3,8,9,10,16,17,21,23,24,27
02.03.26	"The key to a rich life and career: love yourself, value yourself, back yourself and believe in yourself." Rasheed Ogunlaru	National Careers Week International Women's Day 8 th March	1,2,8,10,21,23,28,27
09.03.26	"Your best and wisest refuge from all troubles is in your science." Ada Lovelace	British Science Week Science House Week	6,7,8,10,21,23,27,28
16.03.26	"She wasn't broken. She saw and interacted with the world in a different way. That was her." Helen Hoang	Neurodiversity Awareness Week	1,2,3,6,7,8,10,16,17,21,23,24,27
23.03.26	"I do not want art for a few any more than education for a few, or freedom for a few." William Morris	Birthday William Morris 24 th March Themes: equality and equity of opportunity	1,2,3,6,7,8,17,15,27,16
Easter Holiday			
13.04.26	"To be an artist is to believe in life." Henry Moore	World Art Day 15 th April School Council Feedback to Pupils	2,3,6,7,8,9,10,17,18,19,21,23,24,27
20.04.26	"On earth, there is no heaven, but there are pieces of it." Jules Renard	Earth Day 22 nd April St George's Day 23 rd April 8 th May David Attenborough's 100 th Birthday	1,2,6,7,8,9,12,13,17,18,19,27
27.04.26	"There are shortcuts to happiness and dancing is one of them." Vicki Baum	International Day of Dance 29 th April	2,3,4,8,9,17,21,23,24,
05.05.26	"Every act of kindness, no matter how small, has the power to create a ripple effect of compassion." Mary Seacole	Anniversary of the Death of Mary Seacole 14 th May Themes: Character, kindness.	2,3,6,7,8,16,17,18,15,23,24,27
11.05.26	"We will not have failure-only success and new learning" Queen Victoria	Victoria Day 24 th May (celebrated in Scotland and Canada to commemorate Queen Victoria's birthday) 125 th anniversary of death of Queen Victoria	1,2,3,8,9,10,14,17,18,27
18.05.26	"Difference is an accident of birth, and it should therefore never be the source of hatred or conflict." John Hume	Word Day of Cultural Diversity 21 st May	1,2,6,7,8,10,16,17,18,19,21,22,23,24,27

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Half-Term			
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01.06.26	“Be who you are and say what you feel, because those who mind don’t matter and those who matter don’t mind.” Dr. Seuss	LGBTQ+ Pride School Council Feedback to Pupils	1,2,3,7,8,16,23,24,27
08.06.26	“Perseverance and spirit have done wonders in all ages.” George Washington	250 th Anniversary American Declaration of Independence	1,2,3,8,9,10,14,16,17,18,27
15.06.26	“Music is life itself” Louis Armstrong	World Music Day 21 st June	2,3,6,7,8,9,17,21,23,27,
22.06.26	“Machines can think but only humans can dream.” Alan Turing	Birthday of Alan Turing 23 rd June Themes: Avoiding easy shortcuts/safe use of AI	2,3,8,9,10,15,16,17,23,24,27
29.06.26	“We can’t change the direction of the wind, but we can adjust the sails.” Indian Proverb	Arts Week Preparing for East & South-East Asian Heritage Month	2,3,6,7,8,10,16,17,18,19,21,22,23,24,27
06.07.26	Challenge Week “Being challenged in life is inevitable, being defeated is optional.” Roger Crawford 1,2,3,4,8,9,15,14,21,23,24,27		
13.07.26	“No one has ever become poor from giving.” Anne Frank	Charity Week/School’s Out School Council Feedback to Pupils	1,2,8,11,14,15,19,21,23,24,27