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GBSA Newsletter
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Great Bedwyn School Association (GBSA)

The Sunshine Roof!

We are delighted to announce that the construction of the Sunshine Roof is due to take place over the upcoming October half term. This will sit outside the Reception classroom and provide an all-weather play area for them to use throughout the year. It will also be a fantastic facility to be used by all the children in Red Kite Club.

Funding has been provided by the GBSA, school and the Tesco Appeal last year. An enormous amount of work has been undertaken by the school in terms of moving this initiative forward and we are grateful for that.



Why support the GBSA?

Funding from the government equates to about £4000/child/year.

Most of this is spent on simply maintaining the building, paying bills and staffing costs.

There is very little left to spend on other things (e.g. textbooks, IT, trips etc)

As with all public services, finances are being increasingly squeezed. Therefore, any funding to support the school and our children is more important than ever.



We hope this demonstrates what we can achieve with all our fundraising initiatives. Please do continue to support any GBSA fundraising events going forward. Anything you can offer, whether that is your time, skills, enthusiasm or finances, will be greatly appreciated by your children and the generations that come after them. Thank you!