

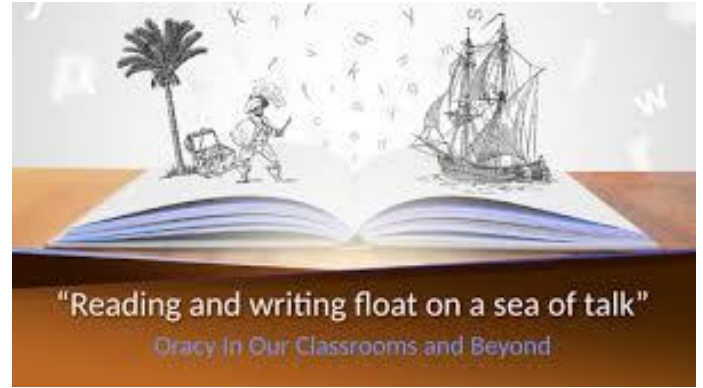


Gainsborough Primary & Nursery School Newsletter

13th September 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

This week your child will have brought home a curriculum brochure which provides you with an overview of what they will be learning during the Autumn term in all areas of the curriculum here at Gainsborough. Of particular importance, under each curriculum heading, there is a list of key subject specific vocabulary and terminology that your child will be taught. You can help at home by supporting your child to use and learn this new vocabulary by talking to them about what they have been learning at school and encouraging them to use the correct terminology.



You will also find information on the brochure about upcoming educational visits which may help you to plan ahead and budget for the costs. Here at Gainsborough, we always try to provide one free visit in the local area as well as one visit further afield each term.

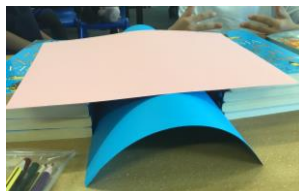
If your child's curriculum brochure has become lost in transit between home and school, you can find a copy on the school website on your child's year group page. Click on the 'Classes' tab or ask the school office for another paper copy.

Finally, you will remember Gainsborough and Cledford Primary School in Middlewich, who we are currently federated with, were due to join the Alexandra Multi-Academy Trust this academic year. The process has been delayed by the Department for Education. We are still working in partnership with the schools in the trust and we will update you on timescales in due course.

Have a lovely weekend
Mrs Nurse

Year 5

Year 5 have been learning all about bridges in their D&T lessons. We have learned about beam and arch bridges, and which one is stronger. To prove this we made our own D&T bridges using card and then tested their strength.



This week in Nursery we have created a handprint friendship tree and pictures on the interactive whiteboard.



Mrs Nurse's Special Award

- ★ Andrew (N) for fantastic name writing.
- ★ Lylah (c5) for being Ready and Respectful.
- ★ Jaden (c14) for mature and sensible behaviour choices.
- ★ Keegan (c4) for eating all his lunch and having good manners.



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This week the children have been introduced to Fred the Frog in our Read Write Inc lessons. Please take a look at the QR codes to find out more and have some fun playing a Fred game.



As the weather is changing, please make sure your child has a named coat in school.

Reception



Cup Winners



- Class 1: Sunny for being a good friend.
- Class 2: Olivia for super maths with tricky patterns.
- Class 3: Deviishaa for being a super role model.
- Class 4: Ivander for excellent contributions during whole class teaching sessions.
- Class 5: Chloe for writing some brilliant sentences about the Storm Whale.
- Class 6: Ozzy for his superb description of Vivaldi's Four Seasons music.
- Class 7: Diana for always being enthusiastic and for having beautiful handwriting.
- Class 8: Mabel for always being on task and trying hard in every lesson.
- Class 9: Sophia for her excellent handwriting and presentation.
- Class 10: Zuzanna for making a great start to our rewrite of Tadeo Jones using creative expanded noun phrases.
- Class 11: John for excellent recall of French vocabulary for greetings.
- Class 12: Natalia for having a positive attitude to learning and impeccable presentation.
- Class 13: Osama for settling in well to life in year 6.
- Class 14: Patricia B for improved punctuality.



Lunchtime Menu - week 2 - w/c 16th September 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
BBQ Pulled Pork Tuna Pasta Bake	Homemade Pizza Pasta Carbonara	Roast Chicken Roast Quorn Fillet	Chicken & Tomato Pasta Jacket Potato	Fish Star and Chips Vegetable Frittata
Ham / Cheese / Tuna	Ham / Cheese / Tuna	Ham / Cheese / Tuna	Ham / Cheese / Tuna	Ham / Cheese / Tuna

Attendance

National average Primary School attendance	96%
Overall school attendance to date	96.12%
Overall school attendance last week	96.52%
Nursery Mrs Taylor	95.7%
Class 1 Mrs Kettle & Miss Eccleston	96.6%
Class 2 Mrs Grocott	99.1%
Class 3 Miss Booth & Mrs Clewes	95.9%
Class 4 Mrs Hampshire	96.3%
Class 5 Miss Gee	100%
Class 6 Mrs Poulson-Green	91.7%
Class 7 Miss Hitchen & Miss Aitchison	99.7%
Class 8 Miss Lee	91.7%
Class 9 Miss Gough	97.2%
Class 10 Miss Iddenden	91.1%
Class 11 Mrs Dewey	99.1%
Class 12 Miss Marshall	99.3%
Class 13 Mrs Kelly	95.7%
Class 14 Mrs Taylor	98.6%

Dates for your Diary

20 th September	C8 swimming lessons
23 rd & 24 th September	Year 6 L2 Bikeability
7 th to 9 th October	Year 6 Robinwood Residential
21 st October	Year 4 L1 Bikeability



Reception and KS1

Gate

Staff will be available at 8.35am to take any messages for the class teacher or for you to speak to them.

The doors open at 8.40am for the children to come into school.

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