



Gainsborough Primary & Nursery Academy Newsletter



16th May 2025

Dear Parents/Carers

A huge well done to all of our Year 6 pupils who sat their statutory tests this week. They certainly showed plenty of Gainsborough Grit and Determination and we were proud of each and every one of them!



Next week is Healthy Living Week at Gainsborough and the children will be learning about different aspects of living a healthy lifestyle.



Coram Life Education (with the help of Healthy Harold the Giraffe), will be visiting every class to deliver workshops around themes such as 'Taking Care of Myself', 'My Wonderful Body' and 'Meet the Brain', whilst class lessons will be looking at healthy eating, personal hygiene and the importance of sleep and exercise, as well as managing stress and mindfulness.



We will also be exploring the contents of lunch boxes to see what makes up a balanced and nutritious packed lunch.

During the week, classes will be practising hard for Sports Day which takes place after half term, so please make sure that your child has a PE kit in school EVERY day.

Just a reminder that we finish for the half term break on Friday 23rd May and school re-opens on Monday 2nd June.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs J Nurse

School Principal

Lunchtime Menu - week 2 - w/c 19th May 2025

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Veggie Sausage Roll Mushroom Tagliatelle	All Day Breakfast Veggie Breakfast	Katsu Chicken Curry Jacket Potato	Chicken Fajita Homemade Pizza	Chicken Goujon Falafal
Ham / Egg / Cheese / Tuna available every day				

Year 1

Year 1 had lots of fun on their sunny walk on Thursday afternoon. We had to spot a college, high school, primary school, church, shop and lots of different types of houses. Some of us even spotted our own house!





Cup Winners



- Class 1: Tiffany for coming to school with a huge smile.
- Class 2: Gabriel for trying hard to be a more independent writer.
- Class 3: Rebecca for super maths.
- Class 4: Calista for excellent counting in 5's.
- Class 5: Erik for his fantastic expression during our assembly rehearsals.
- Class 6: Jaxon for his excellent drama skills.
- Class 7: Laylah for always trying hard in every lesson.
- Class 8: Mabel for trying a new event in Sports Day practice and giving it her all! Well done, Mabel!
- Class 9: Tanzeela for being brilliant in every way.
- Class 10: Mia for being a fabulous scientist and being actively involved in class discussions during our lessons.
- Class 11: Aysha for excellent descriptive words and phrases about Mr Tom.
- Class 12: Buddy for great progress in maths and always giving it 100%.
- Class 13: Francesca for always having a smile on her face.
- Class 14: Katie for super resilience this week.



Attendance

National average Primary School attendance		96%	
Overall school attendance to date		94.71%	
Overall school attendance last week		96.03%	
Nursery Mrs Taylor		94.6%	
Class 1 Mrs Kettle & Miss Eccleston	93.9%	Class 2 Mrs Grocott	94.2%
Class 3 Miss Booth & Mrs Clewes	97.2%	Class 4 Mrs Hampshire	97.3%
Class 5 Miss Gee	98.2%	Class 6 Mrs Poulson-Green	98.5%
Class 7 Miss Hitchen & Miss Aitchison	97.9%	Class 8 Miss Lee	91.2%
Class 9 Miss Gough	93.2%	Class 10 Mrs Watson	99.6%
Class 11 Mrs Dewey	97.9%	Class 12 Miss Marshall	93.3%
Class 13 Mrs Kelly	100%	Class 14 Mrs Taylor	98.8%

Dates for your Diary

19 th -21 st May	3.15pm	School Book Fair
20 th May		Y3 Mosque visit
23 rd May	9am	Reception Stay and Get Active
23 rd May		Y5 Non-swimmers swimming lessons
23 rd May		Last day of school
26 th May - 30 th May		Half Term – school closed
2 nd June		School re-opens
2 nd June		Y2 Runway Visitor Park visit
4 th June	10.15am	Nursery & Reception Sports Day
4 th June	1.30pm	Y1 & Y2 Sports Day
5 th June	10.15am	Y5 & Y6 Sports Day
5 th June	1.30pm	Y2 & Y4 Sports Day
25 th June		Y4 Grosvenor Museum visit
18 th July		Last Day of School

Mrs Nurse's Special Award

- ★ All of year 6 for their efforts this week, we're really proud of them.
- ★ Tommy (c2) for a positive attitude.
- ★ Eilayah (c6) for brilliant story writing skills.
- ★ Isla (c12) for exemplary manners in the dinner hall.
- ★ Collins (c12) for showing kindness and consideration.



School Bike Shed

May we take this opportunity to remind you that bikes and scooters are left in the school bike shed at your own risk. We recommend that you use a bike lock for security. We do have an additional bike shed outside the Y3 classrooms which is behind a gate that is locked during school hours and children are welcome to use this as an alternative.



Gainsborough GRIT and Determination Awards



Class 1	Patrik
Class 2	Andy
Class 3	Aliza
Class 4	Ayat
Class 5	Rekar
Class 6	Darrel

Year 2 Football

Well done to our year 2 pupils who represented Gainsborough at the Multi-Academy Trust football event last night.

Ameera, Eddie, Ibrahim, Annabelle, Evan, Jayden, Tilly and Eilayah showed true sportsmanship and performed brilliantly.



Gold Stars May Half Term Holidays



Monday 26th May

Spring bank holiday
Closed



Tuesday 27th May

Bottle cap butterflies
Bug hunting



Wednesday 28th May

Hand print dinosaurs
Bumble bee finger puppets



Thursday 29th May

Teddy bears picnic
Paper plate rainbow



Friday 30th May

Bingo
Movie and popcorn

