



Gainsborough Primary & Nursery Academy Newsletter



20th June 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

Name the teddy winner

Thank you so much to everyone who came to support our Summer Fair last Friday. Once again we were blessed with beautiful sunshine and it was lovely to see so many of our wider Gainsborough community attending. We are pleased to announce that we raised around £1500 which is absolutely tremendous. A huge thank you goes to our PTA who organised the event – as you can imagine, it takes a great deal of hard work and preparation.

If you would like to join the PTA and help at future events, email gainsboroughpta@gmail.com for more information.



This week was the annual Town Sports competition which brings together around 30 schools from across Crewe & Nantwich to compete in field and track athletics events. After last year's brilliant performance, we were promoted from Group C to Group B and we are delighted that this year we finished fourth overall in our new group which is something to be really proud of. All of our children showed Gainsborough Grit and Determination in soaring temperatures. Our Y3 & Y5 teams finished third overall in the track events whilst Y6 came in at joint second.

Well done, Team Gainsborough!

Next week children will be meeting their new class teachers in preparation for September and we welcome our Reception and Nursery new starters on their transition visits. Year 6 pupils will be visiting their new High Schools and we wish them lots of luck.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs J Nurse

School Principal

Year 6

It's not long now until our Y6's take their next big step! They are looking forward to their transitions into high school and are working hard to put together an end of year leavers production. Our children are thoroughly enjoying learning their lines, actions and the words to our new songs. We hope you're looking forward to it as much as we are!

This week, our Y6's also learnt about the changes that happen to their body as they grow older. They could confidently, and sensibly, discuss the changes that occur in both males and females.

We were proud of the way they conducted themselves during this topic of conversation.





Cup Winners



- Class 1: Gabriella for super phonics work.
- Class 2: Lucas for fantastic writing.
- Class 3: Erik for writing his name and CVC words.
- Class 4: David M for excellent work in maths.
- Class 5: Ania for drawing and labelling a fantastic dragon, based on our next book, 'George and the Dragon'.
- Class 6: Taku for his resilience during his reading assessments.
- Class 7: Benjamin for great drumming talent in the Rock Steady concert.
- Class 8: Brajen for trying really hard in the reading assessment. Well done!
- Class 9: Luca for working really hard in his maths assessments.
- Class 10: Ramon for his dedication towards representing Gainsborough at Town Sports.
- Class 11: Ella for a great performance in our rounders game.
- Class 12: Collins for super progress in maths.
- Class 13: Darcie for learning all of her lines for the school production.
- Class 14: Luke for being an excellent representative of Gainsborough at Town Sports this week.



Attendance

National average Primary School attendance		96%	
Overall school attendance to date		94.87%	
Overall school attendance last week		96.3%	
Nursery Mrs Taylor		91.7%	
Class 1 Mrs Kettle & Miss Eccleston	96.6%	Class 2 Mrs Grocott	95%
Class 3 Miss Booth & Mrs Clewes	94%	Class 4 Mrs Hampshire	97.3%
Class 5 Miss Gee	98.5%	Class 6 Mrs Poulson-Green	97.5%
Class 7 Miss Hitchen & Miss Aitchison	97.1%	Class 8 Miss Lee	98.2%
Class 9 Miss Gough	95.7%	Class 10 Mrs Watson	96.9%
Class 11 Mrs Dewey	98%	Class 12 Miss Marshall	98.7%
Class 13 Mrs Kelly	94.5%	Class 14 Mrs Taylor	99.2%

Dates for your Diary

w/c 23 rd June	Whole school transition
25 th June	Y4 Grosvenor Museum visit
25 th June	Nursery Parent Lunch
27 th June	Y5 Non-swimmers swimming lessons
30 th June	Year 5 Carnival Day at The Oaks
1 st July	Y4 The Oaks Academy DofE visit
2 nd July 3.15-6.45pm	N to Y5 Parents' Evening
3 rd July 3.15-6.45pm	N to Y5 Parents' Evening
8 th July	Year 5 activity morning at Ruskin
9 th July	Year 6 Primary College
9 th July	Year 1 New Brighton beach visit
10 th July 1.15-5.30pm	Year 6 Parents' Evening
15 th July 3.30-5.15pm	Year 6 Leavers' Celebration
17 th July 2.15pm	Year 6 Leavers' Assembly
18 th July	Last Day of School

IMPORTANT
dates to remember

Lunchtime Menu - week 2 - w/c 23rd June 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				

Mrs Nurse's Special Award

- ★ Ronnie (c1) for his amazing writing.
- ★ Luca (c9) for his bravery.
- ★ Brax (c8) for running extra races at town sports.
- ★ Seby (c9) for improvement in his handwriting.



Parents' Evening

If you haven't already, please book your parents' evening appointments on Arbor (this is called guardian consultations on Arbor).

Nursery to year 5 parents' evenings are on the 2nd and 3rd July.

Year 6 parents' evening is on 10th July.

Parents' Evenings

You can now book online :-)



Gainsborough GRIT and Determination Awards

Class 7	Tolu
Class 8	Weronika
Class 9	Robert
Class 10	Raheem
Class 11	Mayank
Class 12	Mason
Class 13	Kasian
Class 14	Katie

