

Gainsborough Primary & Nursery Academy

Newsletter



19th September 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are pleased to introduce to you our School Council for 2025-26!

We have representatives from every class from Y2 to Y6 who were voted into their position by their classmates.

Gainsborough School Council is just one of the many ways that we include the children's views in different aspects of school life. Pupils' ideas and opinions are valued and councillors meet each month to discuss items that matter to them. Pupils complete a questionnaire every year and the Council seek to address any issues that have been raised. This month important decisions will be made about our Winter menu for school lunches; we can't wait to see what

they choose!

Year 2 - Erica & Adhav

Year 3 - Anais & Evan

Year 4 - Larissa & Ollie

Year 5 - Kyaan & Wasif

Year 6 - Aysha & Noah





We would like to remind you that everyone is warmly invited to our Macmillan Coffee morning on Friday 26th September. Doors will open as you drop off your child for school and there will be a selection of cakes, coffee, tea and juice for a cash donation to Macmillan. Our choir will also be on hand to entertain you, so we do hope that you can join us to support this worthy cause.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs J Nurse

School council

Dates for your Diary

23 rd September		Y4 Library Visit
25 th September		Y1 Library Visit
25 th September	5.00pm	Y6 Robin Wood Parent Meeting
26 th September	9.00am	Macmillan Coffee Morning
30 th September	12.50pm	Y6 Family Lunch
2 nd October	2.45pm or 5pm	Y1 Phonics and Reading Meeting
8 th October		Y6 Crucial Crewe Visit
27 th – 31 st October		Half Term
5 th November		Y3 Chester Zoo visit



Class 1: Ania for trying new foods at lunchtime.

Class 2: Eric for fantastic maths work.

Class 3: Olivia-Mae for trying to write in a pre-cursive handwriting style.

Class 4: Piper for always having a go.

Class 5: Zian for trying his hardest to form his letters correctly. Keep it up, Zian!

Class 6: Peter for trying so hard to learn his target spellings.

Class 7: Lumen for working hard to use the Word of the Day in her sentence accuracy activity.

Class 8: Zayn for always trying his very best.

Class 9: Fatah for excellent tennis skills and teamwork in PE.

Class 10: Darcey for not giving up and being resilient.

Class 11: Nevaeh for writing a great setting description of the moon.

Class 12: Phoebe for a wonderful hardworking attitude.

Class 13: Natalia for being a model pupil in all lessons.

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Class 14: Evie for maximum effort with absolutely everything! She's been a superstar since starting in Year 6 💥



<u>Attendance</u>				
National average Primary School attendance		96%		
Overall school attendance to date		95.65%		
Overall school attendance last week		94.3%		
Nursery Mrs Taylor		97%		
Class 1 Mrs Kettle & Miss Eccleston	93.6%	Class 2 Mrs Grocott	96.5%	
Class 3 Mrs Crowther & Mrs Clewes	94.8%	Class 4 Mrs Hampshire	94.6%	
Class 5 Miss Gee	98.6%	Class 6 Mrs Poulson- Green	94.6%	
Class 7 Mrs Watson	91%	Class 8 Mrs Dewey	96.7%	
Class 9 Miss Oliver	93.8%	Class 10 Miss Marshall	92.4%	
Class 11 Miss Lee	96.6%	Class 12 Miss Booth	90.7%	
Class 13 Miss Hitchen	91.6%	Class 14 Mrs Taylor	94.3%	

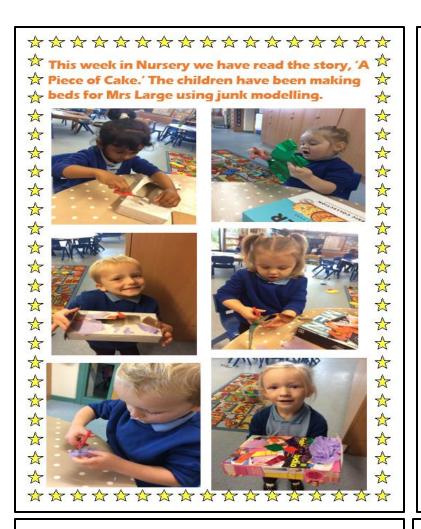
Mrs Nurse's Special Award



- ★ Jibreel (N) for fantastic name writing.
- ★ Jaiden (c13) for a brilliant piece of artwork and writing.
- ★ Ariana (c5) for having good manners in the dinner hall.

Lunchtime Menu - week 2 w/c 22nd September 2025

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





Year 2

Year 2 have had a fantastic start to their new school year. They have settled into the new routines and have transitioned well into this new school year.

Lots are children have brought in their school PE kits which is needed every Monday and Wednesday for our dance lessons. Also, many pupils are reading at home 4 times to which is excellent as it helps continue their reading progress. Children who read 4 times or more a week are rewarded on a Friday and often have their photograph uploaded onto Facebook.

In Maths, the children have been recapping counting in 10's and used this knowledge to help partition two- digit numbers into tens and ones.



In English the children began their focus text, The River, by Marc Martain which is beautiful story about a little boy called Tom and his journey through a city, forest, jungle and farmland. So far, they have learnt how to use question marks, co-ordinating conjunctions and commas. The children have applied this new knowledge to a short character description.

Gainsborough GRIT and Determination

Awards

Class 1	Diana
Class 2	Freya
Class 3	Eric
Class 4	Ronnie
Class 5	Deviishaa
Class 6	Meek



Bikes and Scooters

Please do NOT allow your child to scooter or bike ride in the car park. There are a lot of people around at the start and end of the day. Thank you for helping us to keep everyone safe.



