

## **Gwladys Street CP & Nursery School**



## **NEWSLETTER 3rd March 2023**











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#### MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD TEACHER

#### Dear Parent/carers

A big thank you to all of the parents/carers who came to our open evenings this week. It was wonderful to see so many of you and many more parents attended than previously. We have had great fun this week preparing a video as part of the pre-Eurovision celebrations. Miss Hennesey and Mrs Grimes have filmed a video with the children, which will be used to publicise the event. Further information to follow!

Sadly, our attendance levels were only 82% today but a big thank you to everyone who did send their children in. As a school, we feel the children have already missed too much learning, due to the global pandemic. All of our staff attended, school was fully open and those children who did attend had great fun building snowmen with their friends and drinking hot chocolate. Have a lovely weekend and we look forward to seeing you all on Monday morning bright and early.

Best wishes, Ms Booth.





Click here to view the lunch menu for this half term.





Please click <u>here</u> to view term dates for the school year.

View letters sent home HERE



#### **Attendance Matters**

Whole School Target: 97% - This week's Whole school attendance: 93%

Absence—if your child is absent from school you MUST contact the school before 9:00am each day of your child's absence. Failure to make any contact with the school will result in a home visit from staff and Head teacher.

Appointments—should be arranged outside of the school day and if this is not possible, medical evidence should be provided.

<u>Class</u>	Attendance %	<u>Position</u>
Kenya	98.6%	1st
Australia	98.1%	2nd
China	97.7%	3rd
India	97.3%	4th
Germany	95.8%	5th
Russia	95%	6th
Chile	94%	7th
Morocco	93.6%	8th
Butterflies	93.3%	9th
Costa Rica	92.5%	<b>10th</b>
New Zealand	92.3%	<b>11</b> th
Japan	88.2%	<b>12</b> th
Caterpillars	86.6%	13th
Ladybirds	85%	14th
France	83.2%	15th





to the <u>332</u> children who had 100% attendance this week



Download the App to report an absence.

### Congratulations

to Class AUSTRALIA and KENYA who are our Attendance winners this week. The children will all receive a Golden time activity.

#### **Attendance advice for Parents**

Being in school and having the best attendance possible underpins all the many benefits of school for your child, such as their learning, wellbeing and wider development. For some children, attending school every day will be harder than for others. This is why schools, and local councils in some cases, are committed to working together with families to solve problems and support your child's school attendance.

The letter attached provides you with some valuable information.

**Guide for parents on school attendance** 

# Perfect Attendance!



**KS1 AUSTRALIA** 



**KS2 KENYA** 





#### Star of the Week

#### Class

Caterpillars

**Butterflies** 

Ladybird

**France** 

German

Australia

**New Zealand** 

Kenya

Morocco

Chile

**Costa Rica** 

India

Russia

China

Japan

#### Name

Sereh S

Arabella L

Ivan S

Anjolaoluwa A

Callum A

**Thomas H** 

**Purity A** 

Mason H

**Scarlett D** 

**Cherry C** 

Freya N

Lainey-Jo L

Ishal N

Lilly-May C

Amelia L



Well done to our wonderful



**STARS OF THE WEEK** 

Your hard work and efforts

have not gone

unnoticed.











This year's Comic Relief theme is "Make a difference, Make someone smile".

All children attending school on Friday 17th March 2023 will enjoy a morning of Craft Making and Lego Building. Based on this theme.

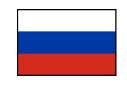
Gwladys Street will also be entering a competion with the chance of winning £1500 worth of Lego for our children to enjoy.

The children will also enjoy a Disco in the afternoon. There will be lots of prizes given out throughout the day.

All children must wear full school uniform

There will be collection buckets out on the playground at the beginning and the end of the day should you wish to make a donation.

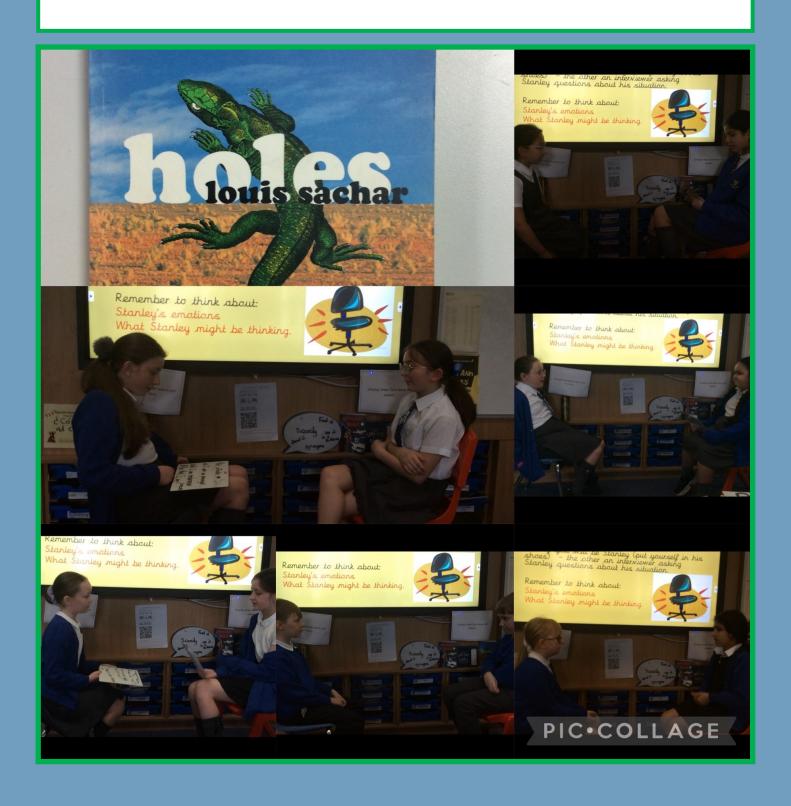




## Look at the wonderful week Year 5 have had.



Year 5 are really enjoying studying our assigned text Holes in English and have been exploring empathy. We put ourselves into the shoes of Stanley Yelnats and role played with a partner what he might have been feeling and thinking during main events in the novel.



#### **SCHOOL UNIFORM**

Full school uniform must be worn





Exceptions can only be made if you have contacted school in advance.

#### **PE TIMETABLE**

Monday: FS2, Yr3 (Kenya)

**Tuesday:** 

Year 5

Wednesday:

Year 2 (New Zealand), Year 4 Swimming, Year 5

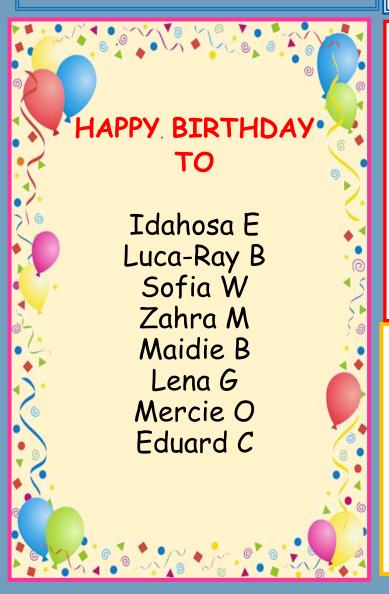
**Thursday:** 

Year 2 (Australia)

**Friday:** 

Year 1, Year 3 (Morocco) Year 6

All children must have their PE kit in school with them on their PE day.





**Family Support** 

Our Calm Central team is here to offer



you

support about any concerns or issues.







Worried about a child or young person?

If a child or young person is at risk of harm, abuse or neglect please report it to:



CARELINE Call 0151 233 3700















Parent
and
Toddler
sessions are
held in school
every
Wednesday
morning
9-10am

Please come and join us with your little one.



Join us every Wednesday from 2.30pm in the Breakfast room for coffee, cake and a chat.

Everyone is welcome.









#### Children Heard and Seen.

Children Heard and Seen support children, young people and their families who are impacted by parental imprisonment. We strive to support their needs, listen to their concerns and ensure that their voices are heard. We offer family support work, 1-1 support, a volunteer mentor for 12 months, Drawing and Talking therapy sessions in school, music projects and holiday activities.

#### **Our Support Offer**



Support around communicating with children, including ways to tell your child that their parent is in prison.



1-1 mentoring to ensure that a child is able to try new things, access resources, and develop resilience, coping strategies and life skills to help them make sense of their situation. This provides them with the tools to make positive life choices and maximise their potential.



Group support work for children, young people, parents and grandparents, focused on meeting others in similar situations and reducing isolation.



1-1 support for children and parents to explore, understand and manage their feelings about their family member in

If you know a family that would like support please email us at info@childrenheardandseen.co.uk call us

on **07557339258** or send us a direct message to our Facebook page.



#### Click here to find out more information



from pre-birth to crawlers

## 'bumps and babies'

County Methodist Hub Harlech Street, L4 3RJ

Mondays, 1:30pm - 3pm

Having a baby? Care for a baby? Join us on Monday afternoons for...



🔒 a cuppa 🔒 chat 🔒 sensory toys 🤮



baby bank: clothes and essential items to take-away

for more information please contact Alison 07393 011140



Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.

— Nelson Mandela —

AZ QUOTES

You are allowed to set the boundary.
Your child is allowed to be upset about it.

@seed.sleep