

# Gwladys Street CP & Nursery School



## News Letter 22nd September 2023



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### MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD TEACHER

Dear parents/carers,

I can't believe how quickly the weeks are flying by! The parent meet/greet sessions have been really useful again this week. It has been brilliant to chat to so many of you at them and explain how we want to plan more opportunities for parents/carers to come into school. Apologies to class Russia who missed theirs due to illness and we will reschedule this asap.

The children had a wonderful time on Wednesday celebrating National Fitness Day. They were kept busy with sporting activities throughout the day, including Joe Wick's workout video!

In order to ensure the children are kept safe throughout the day, I would like to take this opportunity to remind you that the school office is only open to parents/carers from 8.00am - 9.30am then again from 3.15pm to 4.00pm. Please ensure you remember lunch boxes and swimming kits etc. during the morning as we will be unable to accept them if you try to deliver them outside office opening hours. Children's safeguarding is paramount and we need to reduce the footfall of people on site during the working day.

A big well done to the children who have come to school in the correct uniform. A polite reminder to parents/carers of children in Nursery or Reception that your child is to wear our school jogging suit. Pupils arriving in clothes that don't adhere to the uniform policy will be changed into the correct uniform upon arrival and changed back again at 3.30pm.

Finally, the children thoroughly enjoyed a visit from poet Tony Peek this week. The children enjoyed his poems and I could hear roars of laughter coming from both the Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 workshops!

Have a relaxing weekend and we look forward to seeing you all next week.

Best wishes, Ms Booth



### Is my child too ill for school?

It can be tricky

deciding whether or not to keep your child off school, nursery or play-group when they're unwell.

[Use this link for information and advice.](#)



Please click [here](#) to view term dates for the school year.



Gwladys Street School continues to a GOOD School. You can read the full report online by using the link [here](#).

## Attendance Matters

Whole School Target: 97% - This week's Whole school attendance: 92.31%

**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>	<u>Attendance %</u>	<u>Position</u>
Russia	97.04%	1st
Australia	96.80%	2nd
Ladybirds	96.51%	3rd
Kenya	96.38%	4th
China	95.0%	5th
New Zealand	94.14	6th
China	94.07%	7th
Morocco	93.98%	8th
Germany	92.76%	9th
India	90.40%	10th
Costa Rica	89.64%	11th
Caterpillar	88.18%	12th
Japan	88.0%	13th
France	86.88%	14th
Butterfly	83.75%	15th

**CONGRATULATIONS**



To the **317** children who had **100%** attendance this week.

**Congratulations**  
to Classes **Australia** and **Russia** who are our Attendance winners this week. The children will all receive a Golden time activity.  
**Well done!**

Nursery opens at 8.30am Teaching and Learning begins at 8.45am

Please make sure you are in on time

We currently have a waiting list for Nursery places.

To secure your place please make sure your child attends their sessions as poor attendance could result in your child's place being withdrawn.

School doors open at 8.50am - 9.05am

If you arrive at school after this time please bring your child/children to the school office.



## HOW GWLADYS STREET SCHOOL KEEPS YOU INFORMED .



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**Parent App** - Letters, Messages, News letters and general information will be sent out using this app. You will be invited to join via the email you provide.



**Parent Pay** - We are a cashless school. You will receive an activation letter once your child has been admitted to our school. [www.parentpay.com](http://www.parentpay.com)



**Study Bugs** - This is a free app to download to report your child's absence.



Find use on Facebook— Gwladys Street Community Primary & Nursery School



## PE TIMETABLE

**Monday:**  
**New Zealand**  
**Year 6 Swim-**  
**ming**

**Tuesday:**

**Australia & Year 5**

**Wednesday:**

**France & Year 4**

**Thursday:**

**Germany**

**Friday:**

**Year 3**

*All children must wear their PE kit to school on their PE day.*



Click [here](#) to view the lunch menu for next week



Are you entitled?

## Free School meals

Use the link attached to check if you are eligible for free school meals.

<https://www.cloudforedu.org.uk/ofsm/sims>



## Our Pre Loved Uniform shop is open.

**We have very kindly been donated uniform donations from families who no longer need it.**

These items of clothing have been washed by a member of staff and checked that they are all in a resalable condition.

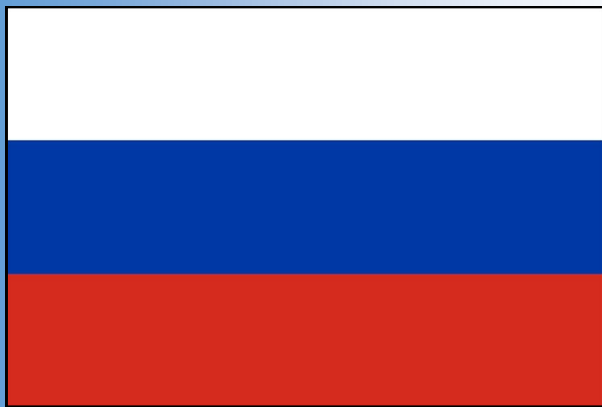
[Access the store by clicking here.](#)



# Perfect Attendance!



EYFS/ KS1 Australia



KS2 Russia

## TEAM

### Stars of the Week

<u>Class</u>	<u>Name</u>
Caterpillars	Eva Louise
Butterflies	Africa
Ladybird	Agnia
France	Tiwa
Germany	Thomas DB
Australia	Joudy
New Zealand	Cody
Kenya	Great
Morocco	Buddy
Chile	James MM
Costa Rica	Leighton
India	Benjamin B
Russia	Jake K
China	Adeoluwa
Japan	Lena GC



Well done to  
our wonderful

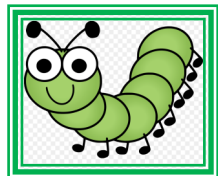


TEAM

STARS OF THE WEEK

Your hard work and  
efforts have not gone  
unnoticed.





# Look at the wonderful week Caterpillars have had.



Nursery has enjoyed exploring a variety of activities in our environments. We have been working on building friendships and talking about our feelings and zones of regulation. The children have begun their phonics, where we have been using our best listening skills to listen for familiar sounds in the environment. Over the next few weeks we will be building on our self-regulation skills, learning all about the number 1 and having lots and lots of fun. We will shortly be giving out learning journeys to parents which will share what things we have been learning in nursery and keep you updated. Don't forget to look out for photos on our twitter page.



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Please make sure you are in on time

To secure your place please make sure your child attends their sessions as poor attendance could result in your child's place being withdrawn.

# Mr Peek's Poetry Funtime

On Tuesday we had an exciting visit from Tony Peek who has been a writer and poet for 15 years. Tony led some great assemblies with reception and both key stages and had the children

in fits of laughter with his very funny poems. During the day Tony worked with classes and was inspiring the children to write their own poems. Thank you to the families who purchased some of Tony's poetry books. We hope you enjoy reading them at home and sharing them with your



We've had a lovely toddler session this week.

It was lovely to see new faces and watch the little ones engaged in the fun activities.

**Parent and toddler sessions will be held every Wednesday morning 9-10 am**

Please feel free to attend these sessions with your little ones.



# LIVERPOOL MATHS PARTY

Let's Explore Maths Through Books

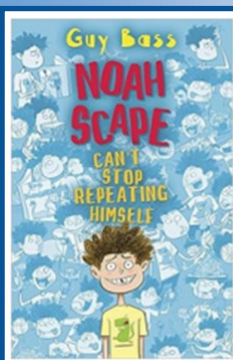


This years Liverpool Maths Party is all about 'Exploring Maths through books'

Therefore on Friday 29th September, staff will be reading books with a Maths link. Pupils will then create their own class versions to share with younger year groups through Reading Assemblies.

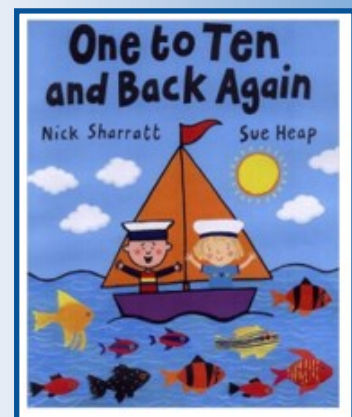
You could share your love of Reading and Maths at home by reading some of the books or playing some of the games with a Maths focus that was sent out through Parent App

In the next few months, we will be inviting you into school to come and play Maths games with your child. Keep an eye out for your invite!



## Noah Scape Can't Stop Repeating Himself- Guy Bass and Steve May

Noah Scape loves dinosaurs and spaghetti with tomato sauce. But Noah doesn't always get what he wants and when school doesn't revolve around dinosaur facts and lunch isn't always his tried and tested favourite, well... enough is enough! It's time for him to stop wishing and to decide on exactly what he needs; a world full of Noahs!



## The Perfect Fit- Naomi Jones and James Jones

No matter how hard she tries, Triangle doesn't roll like the circles, or stack like the squares...so she sets off to find friends that look exactly like her. But when she finds the other triangles, playtime isn't as fun. She misses the shapes that roll and stack; she misses being different. So she starts a new quest, one that gets all of the different shapes playing and having fun together!

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO

Layton G  
Iakov  
Sarjo Yusuph  
Esmee S  
Benjamin S  
Ava B  
Ferenc  
Callum A  
Tommy G  
Sonny Mc  
Amelia M  
Great

**S** Speak to somebody if you need help

**A** Ask an adult before going online

**F** Friends are real people we know

**E** Enjoy play, have fun and stay safe

e-safety adviser

**Stay safe online**



## Are You 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**



# TIMETABLE

ALL ACTIVITIES ARE **FREE**

## MONDAY

Women's Fitness Class  
11 - 12pm  
The People's Place

Walking Football  
(Ages 40+)  
6.30 - 8pm  
The People's Hub

## TUESDAY

Stay and Play  
10 - 11.30am  
The People's Hub

Stand Together  
(Ages 65+)  
10.30am - 12.30pm  
The Blue Base

Youth Zone  
(Ages 12-16)  
5.45 - 7.45pm  
The People's Hub

## WEDNESDAY

Stand Together  
(Ages 65+)  
10.30am - 12.30pm  
The Blue Base

Sit and Knit  
12 - 1.30pm  
The People's Hub

Stay and Play  
1 - 2.30pm  
The People's Hub

Yoga and Mindfulness  
1.30 - 2.30pm  
The People's Place

Keep Your Boots On  
(Ages 60+)  
2.30 - 4pm  
The People's Hub

Spirit Choir  
6.30 - 7.30pm  
The People's Hub

Walking Football  
(Ages 40+)  
6.30 - 8pm  
The People's Hub

## THURSDAY

Everton Cares Fitness Class  
10am - 11am  
The People's Place

Sing and Sign  
(booking required)  
1 - 2pm  
The People's Place

Yoga and Mindfulness  
1 - 2pm  
The People's Place

Youth Zone  
(Ages 8-12)  
5.45 - 7.45pm  
The People's Hub

## SATURDAY

Dads' Club  
Last Saturday of every month  
10 - 11.30am  
Clubmoor Children's Centre

Dads' Club  
First or second Saturday of the month  
10 - 11.30am  
The People's Hub





# SCHOOL UNIFORM



## Full school uniform must be worn every day.

Please make sure it has your CHILD'S NAME in.

### Nursery (F1)

pupil's uniform will be:

- Royal blue jogging suit consisting of round neck jumper and royal blue jogging bottoms.
- White polo shirt.
- Velcro black shoes with black soles.



### Reception (F2)

pupil's uniform will be:

- Royal blue jogging suit consisting of round neck jumper and royal blue jogging bottoms.
- White polo shirt.
- Velcro black shoes with black soles.
- Grey socks or tights.



### Year 1 and Year 2

pupil's uniform will be:

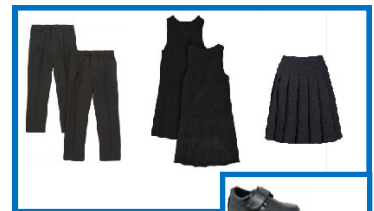
- Royal blue round neck jumper or cardigan.
- Grey skirt/pinafore or trousers.
- White polo shirt.
- Grey socks or tights.



### Years 3/4/5/6

pupil's uniform will be:

- Royal blue V neck jumper or cardigan.
- Grey skirt/pinafore or trousers.
- White shirt.
- School tie.
- Grey socks or tights.



### All children from Reception through to year 6 also require a PE kit.

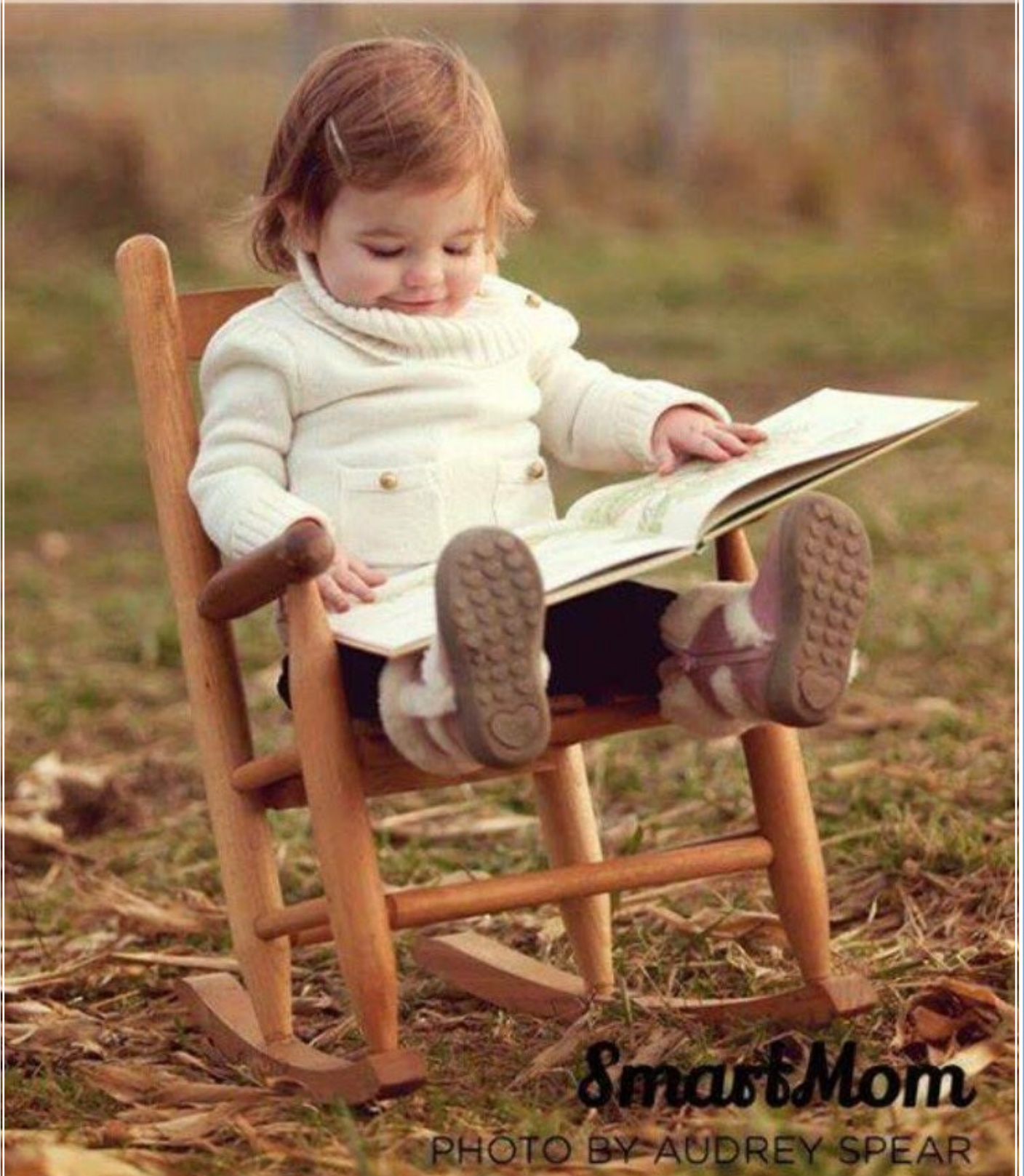
This consists of:

- A white round neck t-shirt.
- Royal blue shorts.
- Royal blue jogging bottoms and Sweatshirt can also be worn.
- Black pumps or black trainers only.



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

“A CHILD WHO READS WILL  
BE AN ADULT WHO THINKS”



*Smart Mom*

PHOTO BY AUDREY SPEAR