

# Gwladys Street CP & Nursery School



## News Letter 13th October 2023



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### MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD TEACHER

Dear parents/carers,

What another busy week it has been at Gwladys Street! Years 5 and 6 completed their First Aid workshops focusing on life saving skills. We are so proud of their enthusiasm and engagement in the sessions. We celebrated World Mental Health Day on Tuesday and I loved seeing our Nursery Spa where children were pampered with face masks and eye masks made from cucumbers! On Wednesday it was wonderful to see so many parents/carers at the meeting that I held to discuss how we can further improve our school working together in partnership. In next week's newsletter I will give a summary of the issues raised and details of the next meeting. Approximately 50 parents/carers attended; I was overwhelmed by the support and commitment we saw at the meeting. On Friday, Merseyside Police were in school visiting each class providing workshops about people who help us and how to keep ourselves safe. Finally, Friday was also our charity fundraiser for 'Healing Little Hearts' a project dedicated to providing free heart surgery to children in the third world. To celebrate, children and staff wore red and I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their kind contributions; it is truly appreciated.

Have a lovely weekend with your children and we look forward to seeing you all on Monday.

Ms Booth



If you have a concern about your child, please follow the chart below.

#### Concern about your child

Make an appointment to speak with your child's class teacher

You feel that your concerns have not been met

Make an appointment to speak with a member of the Senior Leadership Team

- Inclusion Manager - Mrs Jackson
- SENDCo - Mr Jones
- Safeguarding Lead - Mrs Baker
- EYFS Lead - Miss Hennessey
- Early Reading and Phonics Lead - Mrs Quantick

You still feel that your concerns have not been met

Make an appointment to speak to the Deputy Head Teacher - Mr Moore

Your concerns have still not been met or you have an allegation about a member of staff

Make an appointment to speak with the Head Teacher - Ms Booth



### HOW GWGLADYS 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

## Attendance Matters

Whole School Target: 97% - This week's Whole school attendance: 94%

**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	98%	1st
New Zealand	97%	2nd
India	96.8%	3rd
China	96.4%	4th
Australia	96.3%	5th
Germany	96%	6th
Japan	94.8%	7th
Kenya	94.6%	8th
Costa Rica	94.3%	9th
Ladybirds	94%	10th
Butterflies	93.7%	11th
Chile	91.5%	12th
Caterpillars	91%	13th
Morocco	89%	14th
France	89%	14th

**CONGRATULATIONS**



To the 336 children who had 100% attendance this week.

**Congratulations**  
to Classes **New Zealand** 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.

## Calendar

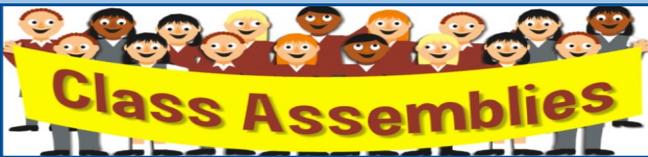


Please click [here](#) to view term dates for the school year.

## Diary Dates

**Monday 23rd October**

**Year 5 residential to Barnstondale**



### Class Assembly Dates;

**India** - Monday 16th October @ 3:00pm  
**Russia** - Monday 13th November @ 3:00pm  
**Costa Roca** - Monday 20th November @ 3:00pm  
**Chile** - Monday 27th November @ 3:00pm  
**Kenya** - Monday 4th December @ 3:00pm  
**China** - Monday 15th January @ 3:00pm  
**Japan** - Monday 22nd January @ 3:00pm  
**Morocco** - Monday 29th January @ 3:00pm  
**New Zealand** - Monday 5th February @ 3:00pm  
**Australia** - Monday 26th February @ 3:00pm  
**France** - Monday 4th March @ 3:00pm  
**Germany** - Monday 11th March @ 3:00pm  
**Butterflies** - Monday 18th March @ 3:00pm  
**Ladybirds** - Monday 25th March @ 3:00pm  
**Caterpillars** - Monday 25th March @ 3:00pm - In Nursery

Remi \_\_\_\_\_ &  
Meme \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday 27th March @

Alexandra \_\_\_\_\_



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# HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO

Remi C

Meme

Alexandra N

Cole N

Bailey C

## PE TIMETABLE



**Monday:**  
**New Zealand**  
**Year 6**  
**Swimming**



**Tuesday:**  
**Australia & Year 5**  
**Wednesday:**  
**France & Year 4**  
**Thursday:**  
**Germany**  
**Friday:**  
**Year 3**

Children in years 1-6 don't forget to log into Time Table Rock Stars.

<https://trockstars.com/>

Certificates will be presented during Friday assemblies most improved players and the most accurate players from the week.



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

# Perfect Attendance!




EYFS/ KS1 New Zealand



KS2 Russia



# TEAM

## Stars of the Week

<u>Class</u>	<u>Name</u>
Caterpillars	Krystna G & Ralphie M
Butterflies	Nicolas C
Ladybirds	Simeon S
France	Jack L
Germany	Rueben-James W
Australia	Evie C
New Zealand	Robert W
Kenya	Nicholas F
Morocco	Mert A
Chile	Monika R
Costa Rica	Hannah M
India	Iakov O
Russia	Idahosa El
China	Rosie V
Japan	Zephaniah O

Well done to our wonderful

### TEAM

### STARS OF THE WEEK

Your hard work and efforts have not gone unnoticed.





# Look at the wonderful week Year 2 have had.



In Year 2 we are enjoying learning all about our textbook *The River* by Marc Martin. We have looked carefully at the different settings within the book that the child visits during his journey along the river. We have worked in teams to create some of these settings and all interviewed the character. In History we have been learning all about The Great Fire of London. We have been finding it very interesting and finding out lots of facts using a range of primary and secondary sources.





# Look at the wonderful week Year 2 have had.



We have been learning different balances in PE such as a seated balance and have been working hard to use our core to keep our legs off the floor. We have also been enjoying our PSHE lessons learning about rewards and consequences of behaviour, we have had lots of lovely discussions around this topic.





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



# Lunch box ideas...



### Packed lunch 1

- Tuna, sweetcorn and pepper pasta
- Banana
- Handful of raisins
- Carton of semi-skimmed milk

### Packed lunch 4

- Frittata (eggs, cheese, peas, peppers, sweetcorn)
- Slice of crusty brown bread with low fat spread
- Small tub of seeds, sultanas and chopped dried apricots
- Bottle of water



### Packed lunch 7

- Hummus
- Carrot and pepper sticks
- Wholemeal pitta bread
- Strawberries
- Yogurt
- Bottle of water

### Packed lunch 2

- Egg, cress and cucumber seeded roll
- Rice pudding
- Satsuma
- Bottle of water



### Packed lunch 5

- pitta bread, falafel, tzatziki (yogurt and cucumber dip), lettuce and tomato
- Small pear
- Handful of plain popcorn
- Bottle of water



### Packed lunch 8

- Chicken, cream cheese and grated carrot wrap
- Fruit kebabs
- Sugar free jelly
- Carton of semi-skimmed milk



### Packed lunch 3

- Mackerel and potato salad (peppered mackerel, new potatoes, watercress, pepper, cucumber, chives, low fat mayonnaise)
- Fromage fraise
- Raspberries
- Bottle of water



### Packed lunch 6

- Wholemeal bagel with ham and soft cheese
- Pot of cherry tomatoes
- Frozen cherries mixed with fromage fraise
- Bottle of water



### Packed lunch 9

- Vegetable and lentil pasta (chopped tomatoes, carrots, celery, onion, red lentils, pasta)
- Small tub of grated cheese
- Canned peaches in natural juice
- Low fat custard
- Bottle of water



### Packed lunch 10

- Vegetable cous cous (roasted courgette, peppers, onions, chickpeas, cubed cheese)
- Canned pineapple in juice
- Soya yogurt
- Bottle of water



All images are suggestions only.

Gwladys Street CP & N School is a strictly 'no nut' school, for example: no Nutella, no peanut butter, no graze boxes, no chocolate bars containing nuts, etc.

In addition to this, we do not allow hot food caddies/containers and/or skewer sticks.

Also, please cut up grapes, blueberries and cherries lengthways as these are a choking hazard.

If your child is having biscuits, please only provide a portion (1 or 2) and not to a whole packet.

**FACT** Research by the University of Leeds has shown that **only 1.6%** of primary school children's packed lunches met the nutritional standards set for school meals.

**Free School Meals**

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>

**The Liverpool ASD Training Team are providing a series of Virtual Group Drop in advisory sessions via zoom.**

They are for parents/carers who have any questions or concerns about their child, in regard to social communication difficulties, waiting an ASD assessment or your child has a diagnosis of autism. It is also an opportunity to speak with an ASD trainer and other parents.

The sessions will be one half hours long, you can choose to join anytime with in the time slot or stay for the duration.  
You do not require a diagnosis to book your place.

Date: October dates and Times (am / pm sessions)

Tuesday 3rd	9.30am – 11.00am	1pm – 2.30pm
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am – 11.00am	1pm – 2.30pm
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am – 11.00am	1pm – 2.30pm
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am – 11.00am	1pm – 2.30pm
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am – 11.00am	1pm – 2.30pm
Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am – 11.00am	1pm – 2.30pm
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am – 11.00am	1pm – 2.30pm

If you would like to book onto one of the sessions, please

email: [asdtrainingteam@liverpool.gov.uk](mailto:asdtrainingteam@liverpool.gov.uk)



**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**



**Crisis Care line**

\*Families/Professionals can call: 0151 293 3577 or 0151 282 4724 or freephone 0808 196 3550. Email: [CrisisCare@alderhey.nhs.uk](mailto:CrisisCare@alderhey.nhs.uk)

\*General enquiries: 0151 293 3662

**SHOUT (Alder Hey)** A free, confidential, 24/7 text message support service for anyone who is feeling overwhelmed or is struggling to cope.

To start a conversation text the word GREEN to 85258

More info here: <https://www.liverpoolcamhs.com/reach-out/>

**YPAS Crisis Face to Face Drop-Ins**

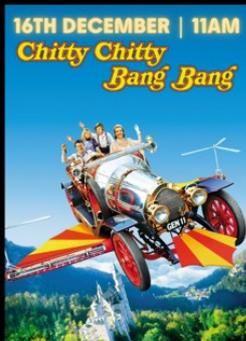
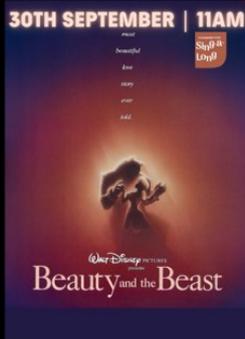
YPAS North & South Hubs 9-8pm every Mon-Thurs

YPAS Central Hub 9-8pm every Mon-Thurs, 9-6pm Fri and 12-4pm Sat

More info here: <https://ypas.org.uk/services/whats-on-calendar/>

# LIGHTHOUSE CINEMA PRESENTS

£3 Adult | £2.50 Child | £10 Group of 5



SCAN QR CODE TO RESERVE YOUR SEATS OR FIND EVENTS ON  
TICKET SOURCE: LIGHTHOUSE CINEMA



AT THE LIVERPOOL LIGHTHOUSE, OAKFIELD ROAD, L4 0UF  
YOU CAN CONTACT US ON 01514762342 OR VIA EMAIL AT INFO@LIVERPOOLLIGHTHOUSE.COM FOR  
MORE INFORMATION ABOUT ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS WWW.LIVERPOOLLIGHTHOUSE.COM



[https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/whats-on?  
q=lighthouse%20cinema](https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/whats-on?q=lighthouse%20cinema)

## Kids can enjoy Knowsley Safari Park totally free of charge over the October half-term holidays



### Half Term bookings now open!

After a busy 'back to school' period we are happy to announce our half term activity timetable.

With lots of 'Spooktacular' Halloween themed crafting, parties, swimming, days out, football, mountain biking and more - check out our timetable and get booking!

Not all activities require booking, and if you're unable to get a space, we are holding lots of open access sessions on a drop in basis.

Book now!

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>Everton U16 5 a Side Tournament</p> <p>Time TBC</p>	<p>12pm-4pm Junior Halloween Party Lunch, Pumpkins, Games and Movies (8-11Ys Old)</p> <p>Positive Futures UnitB3 Contact Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p> <p>4:30pm-7pm Senior Halloween Party Dinner, Pumpkins, Games and Movies (12+)</p> <p>Positive Futures UnitB3 Contact Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p>	<p>9am-10am Breakfast Club Positive Futures UnitB3 Contact Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p> <p>9am-3:30pm Bounce House Liverpool Inflatable Theme Park (All Ages)</p> <p>Positive Futures UnitB3 To reserve a place please text Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p> <p>10.30am-12.30pm Swim @ Alop Baths Positive Futures UnitB3 To reserve a place please text Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p> <p>12pm-2pm Unit Halloween Activities, Art, Making Chocolate Apples, Apple Dipping Positive Futures UnitB3 Contact Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p>	<p>9am-10am Breakfast Club Positive Futures UnitB3 Contact Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p> <p>9am-3:30pm Open Access Positive Futures UnitB3 Contact Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p> <p>9am-3:30pm Mens Sock &amp; Pencil Shaving (12+)</p> <p>Positive Futures UnitB3 To reserve a place please text Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p> <p>10.30am-12.30pm Swim @ Alop Baths Positive Futures UnitB3 To reserve a place please text Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p> <p>12pm-2pm Unit Halloween Activities, Art, Making Chocolate Apples, Apple Dipping Positive Futures UnitB3 Contact Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p>	<p>9am-10am Breakfast Club Positive Futures UnitB3 Contact Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p> <p>9am-3:30pm Open Access Positive Futures UnitB3 Contact Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p> <p>9am-3pm Mountain Biking @ Delamere Forest (12+)</p> <p>Positive Futures UnitB3 To reserve a place please text Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p> <p>10.30am-12.30pm Swim @ Alop Baths Positive Futures UnitB3 To reserve a place please text Dan: 07803442452 Kelly: 07704301039</p>



## MULTI SPORTS HOLIDAY CAMP

**OCTOBER HALF TERM CAMP DATES:  
MONDAY 30TH OCTOBER 2023 TO  
FRIDAY 3RD NOVEMBER 2023**

**ST SEBASTIAN'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
Holly Rd, Fairfield, Liverpool, L7 0LH

**Ages: 5-11 Years > Time 8:30am to 4pm\***  
\*(late pick up charge of £1 per minute, per child, will apply, late pick option 4pm to 5pm at £2 per day)

**£15\*per child per day**  
\*Free for eligible children (See website for details)

- Free breakfast and lunch available for eligible children
- Boys and Girls of all abilities welcome
- Tuck Shop available
- All staff are fully qualified and DBS checked
- Please apply sunscreen when needed
- Have fun
- Make new friends
- Play sport
- Please bring: warm clothing and appropriate footwear for indoor and outdoor surfaces
- Lunch available for £1.50 per day

**TO REGISTER:**  
Go to: [lssp.co.uk/holiday-activities/](https://lssp.co.uk/holiday-activities/)  
Email: [camps@lssp.co.uk](mailto:camps@lssp.co.uk) Twitter: [@Liverpool\\_SSP](https://twitter.com/Liverpool_SSP)

[Register for Camp](#)

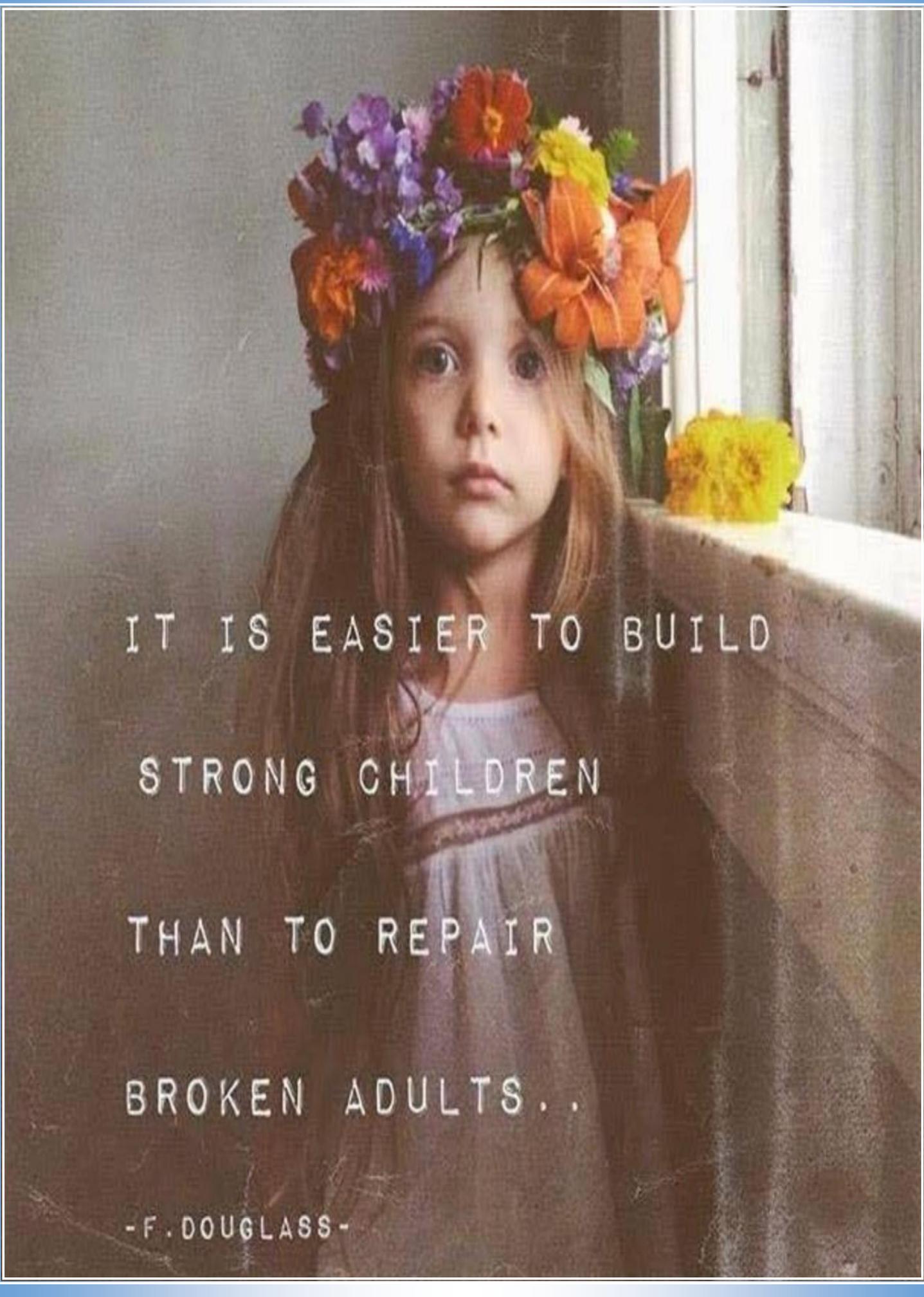
## DOING GOOD MADE TASTY



Feeling hungry? With the Too Good To Go app, you can eat well while making an impact. Save Surprise Bags of good food at an even better price from restaurants and shops near you.

-  **RESCUE GOOD FOOD FROM LOCAL FAVOURITES.**
-  **ENJOY FOR 1/3 OF THE ORIGINAL PRICE.**
-  **HELP THE PLANET BY PREVENTING WASTE.**

[Download the app](#) [Learn more](#)

A young girl with long brown hair is wearing a crown made of various colorful flowers, including purple, orange, and yellow. She is looking directly at the camera with a neutral expression. The background is a plain, light-colored wall. To the right, there is a window with a white frame and a yellow flower on the sill. The overall lighting is soft and natural.

IT IS EASIER TO BUILD  
STRONG CHILDREN  
THAN TO REPAIR  
BROKEN ADULTS..

- F. DOUGLASS -