

Gwladys Street CP & Nursery School



News Letter 2nd February 2024



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MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD TEACHER

Dear parents/carers,

Attendance levels have been much better this week so a big well done to everyone! We started the week with Morocco's class assembly. They spoke brilliantly about the work they have covered in the curriculum and their artwork was displayed throughout the ks2 hall. You are all working so hard and thank you to everyone who attended.

Children were able to access an online session with an author this week who talked about the stories that she has written and during the interactive session children were encouraged to illustrate characters/ideas.

We ended the week with NSPCC Number Day!

Thank you for your kind contributions and the children looked fabulous in their numbered clothes.

Have a relaxing weekend and we look forward to seeing you all on Monday for the final week of the half term.

Best wishes, Ms Booth



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



SCHOOL UNIFORM

Uniform is an important part of the school's identity and therefore our uniform policy must be adhered to unless there are special circumstances like non-uniform days. Please see our school website on this policy to clarify our expectations for students and parents. If you are unsure if a piece of uniform is acceptable, please consult school. School track-suits are for Early Years Children and PE. PE kits to be worn on designated PE days.



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.

EYFS Bulletin Board



Nursery

Nursery have been following recipes in our mud kitchen using our new water-proofs. If you have any good quality wellies to donate, or leave for your child in class, please give them to staff.

Reception

Reception children continue to enjoy their 'Tasty Tuesdays' exploring new flavours has become a big hit with all the children. This week was salsa and tortillas.



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

CAN YOU HELP?



Has your child outgrown their wellies? EYFS would be grateful if you could donate any spare wellies that are in good condition. Thank you

Please remember that our coffee afternoons are every Wednesday from 2:30pm. Come along and join school staff and other parents in a friendly environment.



Parent and toddler sessions will be held every Wednesday morning

9 -10 am

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





Attendance Matters



Whole School Target: 97% -

This week's Whole school attendance: 91.1%

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,

<u>Class</u>	<u>Attendance %</u>	<u>Position</u>
Russia	95%	1st
China	94.8%	2nd
Australia	93.2%	3rd
New Zealand	93.1%	4th
Morocco	93%	5th
Kenya	92.5%	6th
Germany	92.3%	7th
Japan	91.7%	8th
India	91%	9th
Caterpillars	90%	9th
Chile	89.2%	11th
Ladybirds	89.1%	12th
Costa Rica	89%	13th
France	88%	14th
Butterflies	85.4%	15th

Perfect Attendance



EYFS/ KS1 Australia



KS2 Russia

TEAM

Stars of the Week

<u>Class</u>	<u>Name</u>
Caterpillars	Tyler P & Hajarah T
Butterflies	Roman J
Ladybirds	Benjamin S
France	Alfie A
Germany	Aaron A
Australia	Mateii Z
New Zealand	Chimdi O
Kenya	Amelia W
Morocco	Maidie B
Chile	Munasha M
Costa Rica	Elyan A
India	Freya N
Russia	Jack C
China	Ruby McC
Japan	Ayay R



To the **341** children who had **100%** attendance this week.



Congratulations!
Classes
Australia
and
Russia
who are our Attendance winners this week.





Class Assembly Dates:

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

&

Wednesday 27th March @ 3:00pm - In Nursery



PE
TIMETABLE

Monday:
New Zealand
Year 4 swimming

Tuesday:
Australia
Year 5

Wednesday:
France
Year 6

Thursday:
Germany

Friday:
Year 3

All children must wear their PE kit to



After School **Clubs**

	<u>Key Stage 1</u>	<u>Key Stage 2</u>
<u>Mon</u>	Yogabugs	Grammer Club Yr6 Choir Club
<u>Tue</u>		Morning Maths Club Yr6 Spanish Lunchtime club Yr5 Digital Video Editing Yr6
<u>Wed</u>	Reading & Craft Club Yr1 & 2 Arts & Craft Reception/ FS2	Reading Club Yr6
<u>Thur</u>		Morning Maths Club Yr6 Homework Club Yr6 Art Club Yr3/4
<u>Fri</u>	Multi Sports Club	

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

Call 0151 233 3700





Receptions Busy Week



Wow what a busy term we have had. We have enjoyed our topic 'Heroes' and reading Juniper Jupiter by Lizzy Stewart as part of our Literacy sessions. We have been thinking about what makes a hero and who our heroes are. Rosie came to visit and teach us all about road safety and we learnt how to use a crossing safely. We are looking forward to a visit from a midwife next week. In maths, we have been looking at the composition of numbers to 10. It was a real highlight inviting our grown-ups to join us in our stay and play maths sessions. We didn't let the adverse weather stop us enjoying the outdoors and enjoyed making snowmen and snow angels in our outdoor area. Next week we will finish our half term with pancake races, Chinese New Year and Valentine's Day activities. Thank you for your continued support.
The Reception Team.





ENGLISH LANGUAGE LESSONS

North Liverpool Academy and University of Liverpool are offering **FREE English Language lessons** to our parents.

“Conversational confidence - developing your ability to speak to other people.”




For more information, please contact the EAL Coordinator on r.bailey@northliverpoolacademy.co.uk
By Friday 26th January

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, regarding 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: February 2024 dates and Times (am / pm sessions)

Dates	Morning Session	Afternoon Session
6 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
8 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
9 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
13 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
14 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
15 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
16 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
27 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm
28 th Feb	X	1pm – 2.30pm

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

email: asdtrainingteam@liverpool.gov.uk



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FREE activities and food provision for children and young people aged 5+ during the half term holidays.
12th – 16th February 2024

Crisis Care line

*Families/Professionals can call: 0151 293 3577 or 0151 282 4724 or freephone 0808 196 3550. Email: 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



Staying Safe Online

STOP! BLOCK! TELL!

Age Restrictions for Social Media Platforms

action for children

Twitter Facebook Instagram Pinterest TikTok Google+ Tumblr Reddit Snapchat Secret

LinkedIn

WhatsApp

Vine

Tinder

Path

Youtube Foursquare WeChat Keek Flickr Kik

Stay safe online

Speak to somebody if you need help

Ask an adult before going online

Friends are real people we know

Enjoy play, have fun and stay safe

e-safety adviser

Quality First Education Trust

Stay safe online

SHARE RESPONSIBLY

MANAGE YOUR PRIVACY

ASK for HELP

RESPECT OTHERS

THINK CRITICALLY

TRUST YOUR INSTINCT

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What Parents & Carers Need to Know about PERSUASIVE DESIGN ONLINE

Persuasive design refers to the techniques that companies employ to influence our thoughts and behaviours when we're on the internet. These approaches can be spotted on websites, in apps and even as part of some video games. Persuasive design means that this content has been deliberately presented in a way that's intended to encourage you to spend your time or money (or both). These methods often prove highly effective at keeping people engaged and invested for longer than we might expect.

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

POTENTIAL ADDICTION

MENTAL HEALTH CONCERNS

PROLONGED SCROLLING

SENSORY OVERLOAD

COSTLY ADDITIONS

PHYSICAL CONSEQUENCES

KEEP SCROLLING

NO TO WIN

Advice for Parents & Carers

ESTABLISH LIMITS

ENCOURAGE MINDFULNESS

NOX NOTIFICATIONS

MAKE A CHECKLIST

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The National College

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you happiness, bad days give
you experience, worst days give
you lessons, and best days
give you memories.

