

MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD TEACHER

Dear parents/carers,

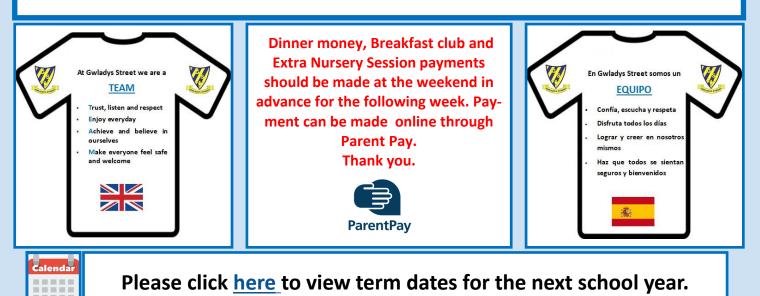
It has been an eventful week and one that we don't wish to repeat in a hurry! Firstly, thank you for your support and understanding with regard to the school closure on Wednesday 25th September 2024. Thankfully, the drainage company were able to rectify the problem and get the situation resolved in 24 hours. what a relief!

On Thursday, we had a visit from Mr Kerfoot, the Headteacher of Alsop High School. Mr Kerfoot came to say a quick hello to our pupils in year 6 and presented one of our pupils prize from the recent open evening. Congratulations to Sophie in Y6!

Our children looked amazing on Friday 27th September as they dressed in yellow and red to celebrate Spanish day. The day consisted of activities based around Spanish culture, flamenco lessons, bingo, food tasting and we were supported by students and staff from North Liverpool Academy. A big thank you to NLA for supporting the day and the students' behaviour was exemplary!

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

Ms Booth







Liverpool Maths Party 2024

Scheduled for Monday 30th September 2024, this year's Liverpool Maths Party promises to be an engaging and inspiring day for students and educators alike. From exploring the mathematical principles behind Liverpool's iconic landmarks to delving into real-world applications of maths in various industries, there's something for everyone to enjoy and learn from.



Help support your child with Maths and Phonics

Class Ladybirds



Wednesday 2nd October

To help support your child with Maths and Phonics and to show how this can be done in a fun and exciting way at home, we will be holding some afternoon sessions where you will be able to join your child playing a range of Mathematical and Phonic games whilst laughing, chatting and enjoying biscuits!

We will hold the sessions in the **Breakfast Room in the Key Stage 1 building from 2:30pm** allowing you to spend just under an hour having fun and playing with your child. Your child's class teacher will also be present so you can chat to them about other things you can do at home. This has been made possible by the school successfully receiving additional funding from Liverpool's Adult Learning Service and Liverpool Learning Partnership to be able to buy resources just for these workshops.







Our first Parent Forum of the new

academic year will be held on

Monday 7th October

We look forward to seeing you there.





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,

<u>Class</u>	Attendance %	<u>Position</u>
Butterflies	95.7%	1st
Caterpillars	95%	2nd
New Zealand	95%	3rd
Morocco	95%	3rd
India	94.5%	5th
Ladybirds	94.4%	6th
Japan	94.2%	7th
France	94.2%	8th
Chile	94%	9th
Russia	94%	10th
China	93.3%	11th
Germany	92.6%	12th
Kenya	92%	13th
Australia	90%	14th
Costa Rica	88%	15th

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EYFS/ KS1 Butterfflies

KS2 Morocco



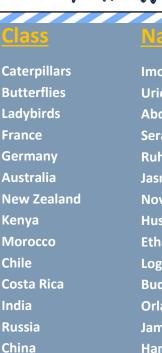


To the 353 children who had 100% attendance this week.









Japan

Imogene M Uriel VA Abdul MS Serah S Ruhi A Jasmine M Nova-Leigh E Hussein S Ethan O Logan B Buddy B Orla E James MM Hamza K

Lena K



This Weeks Wonderful Work



NURSERY



This week in nursery we have been busy exploring the jungle as part of our magical story box. We made our very own binoculars to help us find our way and off we went walking through the jungle.

RECEPTION



This week we have developed upon our personal, social and emotional development. The children have loved exploring our text of the week "Find Your Happy". We have completed numerous activities based around the book but our favourite was discussing our feelings and creating pictures to match how we are feeling. We have also discovered new vocabulary such as: delighted and ecstatic. The children have started using these words during our daily check in's for zones of regulation.

YEAR 1



Amazing work in Maths from Emily-Louise. She recognised the two parts and was able to find what the whole was in our new unit of Maths today all about the part whole model.



<u>YEAR 2</u>



In English we worked in groups to look at the example text. We had to find features the writer had used. We found expanded noun phrases, questions, phrases that show the passing of time and subordinating conjunction.



In Geography, Year 3 have been looking at Rivers and how they start. We looked at the River Indus and how it travels through three different Countries. We used a map to find where the River Indus is and we created our own maps, labelling them with a key. We found the River Indus starts in the Himalayan Mountain range.



YEAR 4



We have recently started our new topic on the Romans. The children are really enjoying learning about who the first and last king of Rome was and how it became a republic. We even got to try on a Roman helmet!

YEAR 5



This week, we engaged in a role play activity as part of our English lessons. In pairs the children took on the role of either an astronaut, who had just conquered the moon or a high flying journalist reporter, waiting for their next big scoop! It is fair to say some of the lunar accounts were Out of this World!

<u> YEAR 6</u>



In science, we explored how the circulatory system works. We created our own hearts using a cup balloon and straws to explore how the blood is pumped around our body.























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.



You might be eligible for Free

School Meals

Apply Here and receive an

immediate answer.

Apply for a Reception Place

If your child turns the age of 4 before 31st August 2025 its time to apply for a school place for September 2025 You only have a limited time to apply.

Click here to start your application.



Apply for Secondary School

Is your child is in Year 6? You need to apply for your child's Year 7 Secondary School place now. You only have a limited time to apply. Secondary school application closing date - 31st October 2024.

Click here to start your application.





will be sent out using this app. You will be invited to join via the email you

Parent Pay - We are a cashless school. You will receive an activation letter

once your child has been admitted to our school.

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PE TIMETABLE

Monday: New Zealand Year 6 swimming <u>Tuesday:</u> Australia Costa Rica <u>Wednesday:</u> France Chile <u>Thursday:</u> Germany Year 5 <u>Friday:</u> Kenya Morocco



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

School Penalty Notice Fines for Attendance are Changing from August

With the introduction of the new National Framework for Penalty notices, the following changes will come into effect for all Fines issued after August 19th 2024

Per Parent, Per Child

Penalty Notice Fines will now be issued to each parent, for each absent child.

For Example: 3 siblings absent for leave during term time would result in each parent receiving 3 separate fines.

First Offence

The first time a penalty Notice is issued for Term Time leave or irregular attendance the amount will be: £160 per parent, per child when paid within 28 days. Reduced to £80 per parent per child if paid within 21 days.

Second Offence

(within 3 years)

The second time a Penalty Notice is issued for Term Time Leave the amount will be £160 per parent, paid within 28 days

5 Consecutive Days of Term Time Leave

Penalty Notice Fines will be issued for term time leave of 5 or more consecutive days. Inset Days are school days and can be included in the 5 or more consecutive days where there was intent to be absent for term time

10 Sessions of unauthorised absence in a 10-Week period

Penalty Notice Fines will be considered when there has been 10 sessions of unauthorised absence in a 10 week period

Third Offence (and any further offences within 3 years)

The Third time a Penalty Notice is issued for Term Time Leave the case will be presented straight to the Magistrates court. Where fines of up to £2500 per parent, per child can be issue¹.

Note: Cases found guilty in Magistrates Court can show on Parents future DBS certificates as a 'Failure to safeguard a child's education'.

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For Mental Health and Wellbeing

Crisis Care line

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

*Email: <u>CrisisCare@alderhey.nhs.uk</u> *General enquiries: 0151 293 3662 <u>https://www.liverpoolcamhs.com/children-</u> <u>young-people/covid-19-liverpool-camhs-</u> <u>support/</u>

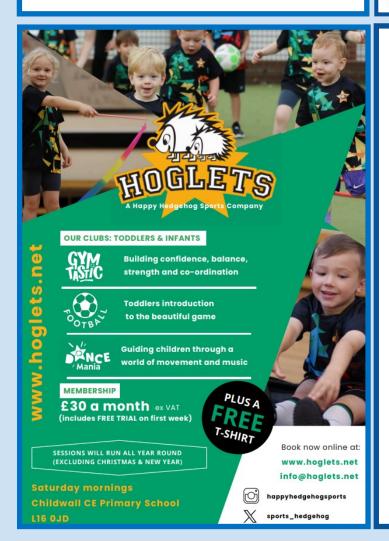
SHOUT (Alder Hey)

A free, confidential, 24/7 text message support service for any CYP who is feeling overwhelmed or struggling to cope. To start a conversation text the word GREEN to 85258 More info here: https://www.liverpoolcamhs.com/reach-out/



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AUTUMN 2024



The Liverpool ASD Training Team

Virtual group drop-in advisory sessions

The Liverpool ASD Training Team are providing a series of virtual advisory sessions via zoom. They are for parent/carers wishing to talk in a group setting and who have questions or concerns about their child. You do not require a diagnosis of ASD to book your place.

 Dates and Times
 1pm – 2.30pm

 2[∞] October 2024
 14th October 2024

 Dates and Times
 9.30am - 11.00am

 3rd October 2024
 4^m October 2024

To book your place please email asdtrainingteam@liverpool.gov.uk

With a choice of your date and you will be emailed a zoom link.

For more information about our service please view the Liverpool Local offer Page / Liverpool ASD training team for future training and Workshops

