



Gwladys Street CP & Nursery School



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MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD TEACHER

It has been a busy and exciting time at school, with lots of opportunities for our children to learn beyond the classroom! Year 3 and Year 5 enjoyed educational visits to Liverpool World Museum and Liverpool Museum, bringing their learning to life through new experiences and discoveries. Year 3 also stepped back in time for a fantastic Egyptian Day, immersing themselves in the fascinating world of Ancient Egypt. Our Reception children had a wonderful time visiting the pumpkin patch, while Year 1 explored their local area, developing their observation skills and learning more about their community. We are also incredibly proud to have achieved two national quality marks: the Eco-Schools Green Flag Award and the Inclusion Quality Mark, recognising our commitment to environmental responsibility, inclusion and sharing good practice. Our children have been putting these

values into action by litter-picking and helping to tidy up North Liverpool Docks, showing how small actions can make a big difference to our local environment. We have also welcomed Bully Busters into school, who delivered valuable assemblies for our children and a workshop for parents, reinforcing the importance of kindness, respect and positive relationships. To round off the week, there have been plenty of fun activities, including our Halloween disco and pumpkin carving, which everyone has thoroughly enjoyed! Thank you to our staff, families and wider community for your continued support in making these wonderful experiences possible. We wish all our children and families a lovely, restful half-term holiday and look forward to welcoming everyone back to school on Monday 2nd November 2026.

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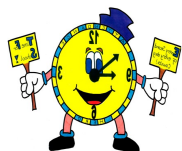
PLEASE REMEMBER
WE ARE A NUT
FREE SCHOOL



Calendar



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



Attendance Matters

Whole School Target: 97%

This Half Terms Whole school attendance: **92.20%**



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.

AUTUMN 1 ATTENDANCE

<u>Class</u>	<u>Attendance %</u>	<u>Position</u>
New Zealand	97.01%	1st
Caterpillars 2	96.90%	2nd
Kenya	96.65%	3rd
Caterpillars 1	96.15%	4th
Chile	95.86%	5th
Russia	94.82%	6th
Australia	94.64%	7th
Japan	92.97%	8th
France	91.44%	9th
India	91.15%	10th
China	90.97%	11th
Ladybirds	90.78%	12th
Butterflies	90.01%	13th
Germany	88.64%	14th
Morocco	87.21%	15th



Congratulations to our
Gwladys Attendance
Winners



What's happening in EYFS?

Little steps, big achievements! • Autumn 1 | October 2026

A wonderful first half term

Our children have settled beautifully into EYFS and are becoming confident with their daily routines. We have been building independence by practising putting on our own coats and doing up our zips. We are so proud of the little steps they are taking every day!

Ready, steady, glide!

The children have loved their Balance-ability sessions with Coach Lewis and Miss Hennessey. They have been learning to lift their feet and glide, and some have already progressed to pedal bikes!

Well done to our fantastic cyclists in the making!



Fantastic phonics

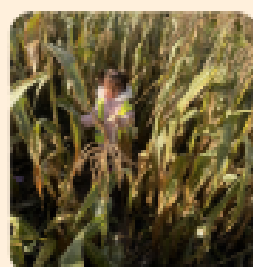
Reception have made excellent progress in phonics, learning most of the Set 1 sounds and practising oral blending: listening to sounds and joining them together to make a word.

It has been lovely to see so many children keen to use their new skills in their reading and writing. We are delighted with their enthusiasm and progress!

Thank you for joining us

Thank you to all the parents and carers who came to our Stay and Play sessions. We hope you enjoyed spending time in our setting and seeing how we support your child's learning.

Nursery explored the **Zones of Regulation**, while Reception focused on **phonics**. It was wonderful to share these experiences with you!



An autumn adventure

Reception loved their first trip to the pumpkin patch! We explored new autumn vocabulary and used mathematical language to talk about size and weight. We discovered how pumpkins grow on vines and even saw corn growing. What a fantastic opportunity to bring our learning to life!

Curious minds: Looking closely, asking questions and discovering the world around us.

Wishing all our wonderful children and families a happy, well-deserved half-term break!

With warm wishes from the EYFS team



You've got to be in to in to win!



This month we visited Anfield to receive tickets to 3 Liverpool FC premier league fixtures this season. 3 lucky children completed the draw and we received tickets for games against Newcastle, Crystal Palace and Brentford. To be in with a chance of winning one of these tickets, your child must achieve the schools target of 97% attendance.





MOVE MAKERS

WALK TO SCHOOL





CONGRATULATIONS NEW ZEALAND!

New Zealand have won the Move Makers Walk to School competition for **OCTOBER!**

Position	Class	Total Walkers
1st	New Zealand	36
2nd	Morocco	34
3rd	Australia	34
4th	Japan	32
5th	Butterflies	30
6th	Germany	30
7th	Kenya	27
8th	Chile	27
9th	India	27
10th	Costa Rica	26
11th	France	24
12th	Russia	23
13th	China	21
14th	Ladybirds	12
15th	Caterpillars	6

Well done to everyone for walking to school!

Be Active

Be Healthy

Help the Environment

Make a Difference



UPCOMING EVENTS



**Have you booked your
slot?**

9th or 10th November

Don't forget
parents'
evening!

SCHOOL PICTURE DAY



**Thursday
5th
November**

Monday 2nd November

**Year 1 children can come to
school**

**dressed as a character from a
Fairytale**



Gwladys Street Mission to Space!

This term, we blasted off on an exciting space adventure! Every class took on its very own space mission, exploring, discovering and learning all about the wonders of our universe. Take a look at our wonderful work!



Reception explored photographs of beautiful Earth and studied a globe to discover what Earth looks like. create their own Earth model! They then used their creativity to design and create their own Earth models!

Year 1 explored how Earth's rotation creates day and night and how this affects living things. They discovered the difference between nocturnal and diurnal animals and put their knowledge to the test by helping each animal find its correct home!





Year two explored the purpose of space suits and discovered how they help astronauts stay safe in space. They investigated and tested materials and put their knowledge to the test by designing and creating space suits for teddies!



Year three took on the challenge of helping an astronaut capsule land safely back on Earth! They designed, made and tested their very own parachutes!



Year four explored how the earth rotates on its axis using a globe and light source to model how day and night occurs. They investigated how different parts of the Earth experience daylight and darkness as our planet spins!

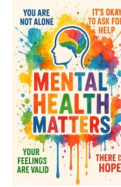




Year five explored how the Earth and Moon move in relation to the Sun, discovering more about the incredible movements within our solar system! They put their knowledge into practice by designing and creating their own models of the Sun, Earth and Moon!

Our stage not age room enjoyed a range of exciting space themed activities! They explored the solar system through fun puzzles and used their senses to investigate a sensory tray filled with different textures inspired by the moon!





if you need any support,
please
follow these links.

They will provide you with a range
of

different organisations.

<https://gwladyssstreet.org/mental-health-and-wellbeing/>

<https://hubofhope.co.uk/>

NSPCC

Click [HERE](#)

Keeping children safe online

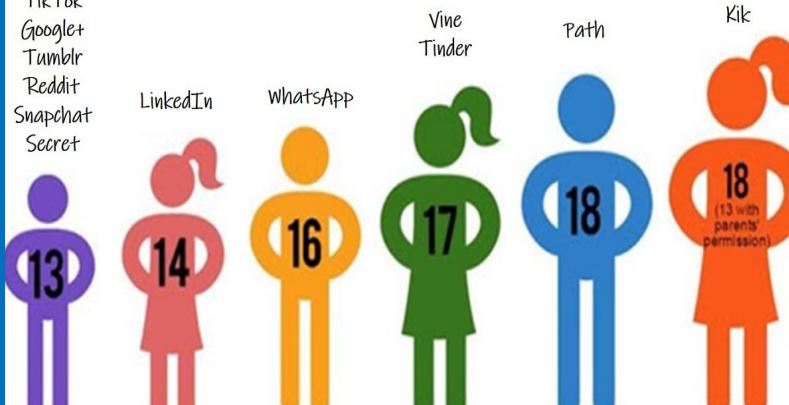
We all have a part to play in keeping children safe online. Find out how with our online safety guides.

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Age Restrictions for Social Media Platforms

action for
children

Youtube
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Flickr
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Children Nursery –Yr6 don't forget to
log into Numbots or Time Table Rock
Stars.

<https://trockstars.com/>

Certificates will be presented during



SCHOOL UNIFORM



Full school uniform must be worn every day.

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

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

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:

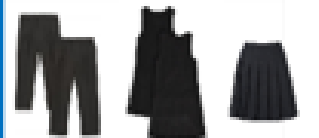
- Royal blue jogging suit consisting of round neck jumper and royal blue jogging bottoms.
- White polo shirt.
- Velcro black shoes with black soles.
- Grey socks or tights.



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.



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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.



ClassDojo

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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



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Seesaw

NURSERY AND SCHOOL PLACES AVAILABLE



Open Event

Come and see what makes
our school special!

All current and future
parent/carers welcome!



★ Meet our
friendly staff

📖 Explore our
learning spaces

👥 Learn about
our curriculum

★ See our
fantastic facilities



TUESDAY

3rd NOVEMBER 2027



4pm – 5pm



**Gwladys Street School
Liverpool**

**A warm welcome
awaits!**

