

Grangetown Primary School

WEEKLY UPDATE

'Keeping parents informed'



Friday 9th December 2022

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Attendance this week (Monday 5th -Friday 9th December 2022)

RNH:85.8%	3BB:83.9%	5AW:78%	Whole School: 85% <i>(there has been a lot of sickness lately)</i> Our Target is 96%+	
1CT:88.6%	3HC:88.9%	6SH:84.3%		
2NR:87.1%	4LM:82.6%	6VS:93.3%		
2LF:82.5%	5AM:80.4%			



**Champion Attenders
this week -6VS !**



Average whole school
attendance so far this
school year: 90.2%

Reminders

Let's be in school on time!

- For Reception to Year 6 the bell goes at 8.50am.
- Our 3 year old Nursery starts at 9.00am.
- Little Butterflies doors open 8.45am.
- Year R-2 finish at 3.15pm, years 3-6 finish at 3.20pm.

Remember

- If your child is absent, please immediately inform the school by telephone. This ensures that the absence will not be 'unauthorised'.

Breakfast Club: 7.45-8.50 daily - great value at just £1.20 per child, please book in advance via the Office.



Our Home from Home After School Care Club

- Amazing value - only £2.50 per session. 3.15-5.00 Mon-Fri. Max 12 places. Reception to year 6.
- Children who attend should bring a snack & a drink.
- **Call our Office to book in advance (814 9820), or pop in.**





The Week Ahead: Monday 12th - Friday 16th December 2022

Every Day of the week:

- Could parents please make sure children wear their school uniform everyday
- Learning at Home - please read with your child every day, and/or encourage your child to read, and fill in the Home-School Diary.
- Breakfast Club - 7.45 to 8.45 (£1.20 per day).
- No jewellery/chewing gum/sweets in school.
- Could all uniform be labelled with your child's name, please?

Monday 12th December

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50) - £1.20 per session
- 9:15-10:15am Y2 parent workshop
- 1.45pm - Messy Play
- 2:00 - 3:00pm Y1, Y6VS and Y3BB parent workshop
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00) (£2.50 per session).

Tuesday 13th December

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50) - £1.20 per session
- Year 1 Snow Tubing
- EYFS Nativity
- 2:00-3:00PM Y6HF(SH) parent workshop
- Y5AM final swimming lesson
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.5-5.00) (£2.50 per session).

Wednesday 14th December

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50) - £1.20 per session
- Year 1 PE
- 2:00pm - 3:00pm Y5AM parent workshop
- EYFS & KS1 party day
- Y1 to Southmoor
- Football at lunch time with Arj
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.5-5.00) (£2.50 per session).

Thursday 15th December

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50) - £1.20 per session
- 2:00pm Y3HC & Y4LM parent workshop
- Little Butterflies walk to post office
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00) (£2.50 per session).

Friday 16th December

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50) - £1.20 per session
- KS2 Pyjama day
- KS1 Nativity
- 2:00-3:00pm Y5AW parent workshop
- Year 2 & Year 4 PE
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.5-5.00) (£2.50 per session).

For on going updates, see: www.grangetown.sunderland.sch.uk

Our main social media is Facebook (3 pages):

Grangetownprimary LittleButterfliesGPS MessyPlayGrangetown

We sometimes use Twitter: Grangetown_PS

News, Messages, Reminders! Week beginning Mon 12th December



Parent workshops

Over the week various classes are holding their parent workshops. Please ensure you have returned the slips to say you are attending. The timings and dates are:

- **Monday 12th December** - 9:15-10:15am Y2 / 2:00 - 3:00pm Y1, Y6VS and Y3BB
- **Tuesday 13th December** - 2:00 - 3:00pm Y6HF(SH)
- **Wednesday 14th December** - 2:00pm - 3:00pm Y5AM
- **Thursday 15th December** - 2:00 - 3:00pm Y3HC & Y4LM
- **Friday 16th December** - 2:00-3:00pm Y5AW

Year 1 Snow Tubing

On Tuesday 13th Year 1 are snow tubing at Silksworth. Children will receive a free packed lunch from school (however if you prefer to provide your own packed lunch, please let us know on Monday, unless you have already responded to the previous letter from Miss Tose). The children should wear a warm coat, jogging bottoms, and their school jumper. **Gloves are essential or the children will unfortunately not be permitted to take part.**

EYFS Nativity

Little Butterflies, Nursery and Reception are performing their Christmas nativity on Tuesday 13th December at 9:15am. Tea and coffee will be available for a small charge.

Christmas Dinner

On Wednesday 14th the children will be having a Christmas dinner!

EYFS and KS1 Christmas Party

The children will be having a Christmas party on Wednesday 14th. A donation of £1 would be appreciated. Children can come to school in party clothes.

Year 1 visit Southmoor for Christmas Crafts

Year 1 will be visiting Southmoor to take part in some Christmas crafts on Wednesday morning. This is the same day as their party so children can wear their party clothes but must wear comfortable shoes to walk up to Southmoor and will need a waterproof coat.

KS1 Nativity

Please join us in the hall on Friday from 9.15am for our show 'Hey Ewe!' Tea and coffee will be available for a small charge.

Dates for your Diary

Mon 12th Dec - 9:15-10:15am: Y2 Parent workshop

Mon 12th Dec -2:00-3:00pm: Y1, Y6VS and Y3BB parent workshop

Tues 13th Dec - 9:15am: EYFS Nativity (LB, Nursery & Reception), Year 1 Snow Tubing in the morning at Silksworth & Y6HF(SH) parent workshop at 2:00pm

Wed 14th Dec - EYFS & KS1 Christmas party, Y1 morning visit to Southmoor for Christmas crafts, new Nursery children stay and play session at 10:00am, Christmas dinner, Y5AM parent workshop at 2:00pm & new nursery children stay & play session at 3:30pm

Thurs 15th Dec - Little Butterflies morning walk to Post Office, 2:00pm Y3HC and Y4LM parent workshop

Fri 16th Dec - KS2 Pyjama day (years 3,4,5 & 6), KS1 nativity at 9:15am, afternoon Little Butterflies walk to Post office & Y5AW parent workshop at 2:00pm.

See: <https://grangetown.sunderland.sch.uk/Calendar/>

This week's Achievers' Award Winners



Miss Tose's class: All of Year 1 & Alfie

Mrs Robert's class: Thea & Mia

Miss Beetham & Mrs Bracknall's class: Fabian & Chloe

Miss Cassidy's class: Thomas & Bob

Mrs Millican's class: Isaac & Dainton

Miss McLoughlin's class: Ope & Isaac

Mrs Wight's class: Luke & Sophie

Miss Stell's class: Christian & Josie

Miss Hunter's class: Ethan & Juliette

French: Leah & Aaliyah

Music: Alexis & Jaina

Remember: at Grangetown, we are ALL Achievers!



Happy Birthday to you!

Azizah, Joey and Mikey-Trey

