

Grangetown Primary School

WEEKLY UPDATE

'Keeping parents informed'



Friday 18th October 2024

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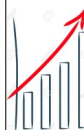
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Attendance for week beginning Monday 14th October 2024

RNH: 88.89%	2JB: 90.45%	5LM: 92.5%	Whole School: 93.47%	
RTT: 94.18%	3BM: 98.89%	5JR: 93.57%		
1CT: 92.74%	3NB: 98.89%	6AM: 89.61%		
2NR: 95.91%	4EH: 94.44%			



Champion Attenders this week: - 3BM & 3NB Well Done!



Average whole school attendance so far this school year: 92.6%

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 £1.50 per child, please book in advance via the Office.



Our Home from Home After School Care Club

- Amazing value - only £3 per session. 3.15-5.00 Mon-Fri. Max 15 places. Reception to year 6.
- Children who attend should bring a snack & a drink.
- **Please ring to book in advance (0191 814 9820), or pop in.**





The Week Ahead: Monday 21st October - Friday 25th October 2024

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 (£1.50 per day).
- No jewellery/chewing gum/sweets in school.
- Could all uniform be labelled with your child's name, please.

Monday 21st October

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50)
- LB walk to Backhouse Park (PM Children)
- Y5 Athletics at Raich Carter
- Y6 to Beamish
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00)

Tuesday 22nd October

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50)
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00)
- After School Clubs (3:30-4:30)

Wednesday 23rd October

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50)
- Harvest Festival Assemblies (EYFS, KS1– 9:15am, KS2– 2:15pm)
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00)
- Dance Club (3.30-4.30)

Thursday 24th October

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50)
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00)
- After School Clubs (3.30-4.30)

Friday 25th October

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50)
- LB walk to Backhouse Park (AM children)
- Break up for half-term holiday
- Home from Home After School Care (3.15-5.00)

Dates for your Diary

Mon 21st Oct– LB walk to Backhouse Park (PM children)

Mon 21st Oct - Y6 to Beamish.

Mon 21st Oct - Y5 Athletics at Raich Carter.

Wed 23rd Oct - Harvest Festival Assemblies (EY,KS1 - 9.15AM, KS2 - 2.15pm)

Friday 25th Oct– LB walk to Backhouse Park (AM children)

Friday 25th Oct - Break up for half-term holiday.

Monday 28th - Fri 2nd Nov: Half term break, school closed.

Monday 5th Nov: School reopens for Autumn 2!

For all Dates, see: <https://grangetown.sunderland.sch.uk/Calendar/>

News, Messages, Reminders! Week beginning Monday 21st October



Harvest Festival Assemblies

* Nursery, Reception, Year 1, Year 2: Wed 23rd October, 9.15am.

* Years 3-6: Wed 23rd Oct, at 2.15pm.

Come along and see the children singing some Harvest Songs! All welcome. Donations of food (tinned, dried) welcome, which we donate to a local charity.

Y6 Trip - Monday 21st October

Y6 are going to Beamish on Monday 21st October. The children will need to wear their school jumper but can wear jogging bottoms. They will need a coat in case the weather is cold or wet. The children will need a packed lunch with a drink (no cans or fizzy pop) and a school packed lunch will be provided for those who requested one. The children can bring up to £5 in spending money and if they could bring it in change that would be helpful. We will return to school between **4:30pm and 4:45pm** depending on traffic.

Parent Portal

59% of parents have already logged onto our parent portal! Thanks for logging on! If you haven't already logged on could you please do so ASAP, so you don't miss any updates about your child. See recent Facebook messages for instructions on how to log on.

School Meals

Parents who pay for school meals are reminded that payment should be made at least every Monday to ensure meals are paid for, for the week ahead. Thank you.

New - Lunchtime Activities for Years 3-6 - 'Sporty Games' - Wednesdays

Children in years 3-6 can join in - on a 'drop-in' basis - with some sports games on the playgrounds, with a sports coach, every Wednesday 12.00-1.00pm. This includes a range of fun activities. There is no need to get changed into PE kit.

Football on Friday lunchtimes expanded!

This session is now open to year 3-6. Sports kit should be worn. Bring boots and trainers (it's usually on the field, but with the unpredictable weather we sometimes move it indoors). All welcome (names are taken in advance, & those pupils access an earlier lunch).

Choir - Wednesday lunchtimes

We have recently re-launched our Choir. This is for years 3-6. Wednesdays 12.30-12.55.

Y6 PE

Year 6 are no longer swimming on a Tuesday. PE will be on a Tuesday afternoon after half term.

Halloween Discos!

Mon 4th November. Tickets (£2.00) available from our Office.

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

Our main social media is Facebook (2 pages):

Grangetownprimary LittleButterfliesGPS

This week's Achievers Award Winners



Miss Tose's class: Alfie & Gold
Miss Burn's class: Alyson & Olly
Mrs Robert's class: Lydia & Lizzie-Jo
Mrs Bracknall & Mrs Mitchell's class:
Nancy & Layton
Mrs Bewick's class: Hillary & Louisa
Miss Humble's class: Callum & Amelia C
Miss Richardson's class: Jason & Mia
Mrs Millican's class: Jemima & Lilly
Miss McLoughlin's class: Ava & Lawson
French: William & Godsfavour



Remember: at Grangetown, we are ALL Achievers!



Happy Birthday to you!

*Birthdays for the period Monday 21st
October to Sunday 27th October.*

Lenny & Cooper

