

7th May 2021

Gateway Gossip



Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you enjoyed the bank holiday weekend and an extra day off, despite the weather! Hopefully the weather will now pick up along with the temperatures over the next few weeks as we travel through the Summer Term.

We have had a great week in Gateway and I am pleased to be back after a short time off myself. The children have been amazingly welcoming and so very kind. It has been wonderful to have so much nurture around school for each other also and listening to some of the children talk so caringly to each other is very heartwarming indeed, especially after such challenging Covid times.

Today is NSPCC number day through school so I hope the children can all tell everyone at home how they participated, and maybe test your maths knowledge too! All funds raised will be going to this well deserved charity.

Next week sees some actions regarding the traffic issues we have at our entrances. Hopefully by Friday you will spot some small changes that I hope will all go some way to improving road safety awareness for all. I look forward to telling you more next week!

Have a relaxing and enjoyable weekend and not long now until a little more normality is available to us all. Take good care and continue to stay safe,

Best wishes,

Mrs Robinson

Dates To Remember

Friday 28th May

Break up for 1 week

Monday 7th June

School open

WC 5th July

Healthy/active week

Monday 5th July

Dan the Skipping Man

Years 1,2, and 3.

Tuesday 6th July

Pro-Strike event

Wednesday 7th July

Sports Day

Friday 9th July

Street Dance for Years

4, 5 and 6.

Our Core Values



Year 4 Parents

Check ParentApp for a swimming consent form for your child. This needs to be completed as soon as possible. Thank you to all those that have completed it.

Year 6 Parents

Check ParentApp for a quick survey about your child's Year 6 leavers hoodie. This needs to be completed by Wednesday 12th May. Thank you to all those that have completed it.

Let's Celebrate!

Well done to all our winners!

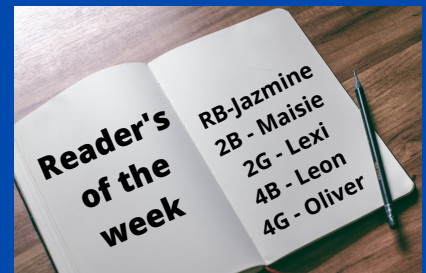
Attendance

Class winners this week are ..
2G
6G

Gateway's Attendance

96%

100% WINNER



Staff Shoutout!

Miss Lynn for thriving whilst working from home and supporting our pupils virtually with their reading!

Nurture Team

Each week, Mrs Godfrey-Brown collects our leftover fruit and snacks and takes them to Amazing Grace, a local food bank on Bolton Street, Blackpool. They run a new pizza service and sweet shop as well as the soup kitchen. Food parcels, which are made from their profits, help those in our community. Amazing Grace are appreciative of our support, particularly as the Covid pandemic has increased their demand.



Harley-Rio
Tamara
Suzie

Sofia
Robin

Headteacher award

- N - Pana
- RB - Harley-Rio
- RG - Dylan
- 1B - Sebastian
- 1G - Mikey
- 2B - Khadisa
- 2G - Scarlet
- 3B - Sienna
- 3G - Darla
- 4B - Corey
- 4G - Freddie
- 5B - Scarlett
- 5G - Susan
- 6B - Poppy
- 6G - Nicola

Star Award

- N - Aurora
- RB - Amelia
- RG - Hayden
- 1B - Morgan
- 1G - Skarlet
- 2B - Casey-Leigh
- 2G - Karson
- 3B - Charlie
- 3G - Sofia
- 4B - Jacob
- 4G - Jayden
- 5B - Jake
- 5G - Tyler
- 6B - Harrison
- 6G - Safiya

Attendance Award

- RB - Craig
- RG - Fynley
- 1B - Jean-Paul
- 1G - Oliver
- 2B - Dexter
- 2G - Kayden
- 4B - Richie
- 4G - Charlie

Core Award

- N - Ella
- RB - James
- RG - Romeo
- 1B - Lucas
- 1G - Emily
- 2B - Oskar
- 2G - Scarlet
- 3G - Jenson
- 4B - Amelia
- 4G - Lilly
- 5B - Lacey-May
- 5G - Kelsey
- 6B - Liam
- 6G - Ashton

House Teams

*Weekly
Winners!*
Newton

King



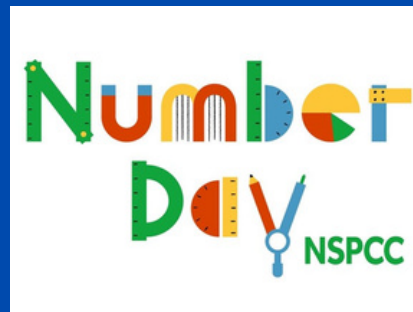
Earheart

Curie



Competitions

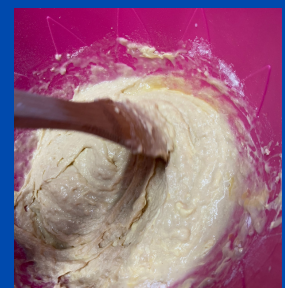
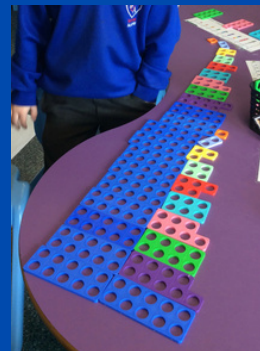
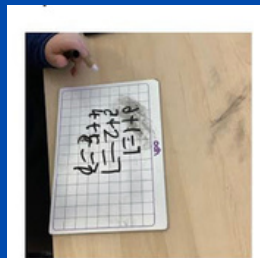
Don't forget to return your entries for the design your own football and dream house competitions!



Thank you for sponsoring your child on Number Day and raising money to help the NSPCC on their incredible work! The children have had so much fun!

We miss our whole school assembly to celebrate children's achievement in and out of school. Now that clubs have started up again outside of school, we'd love to share them on our newsletter.

If you have any certificates or medals, send a photograph to Miss Sim or your class teacher on ClassDojo and we can celebrate your achievements on the newsletter.

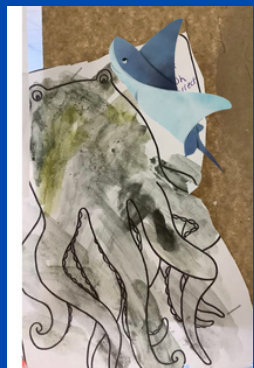
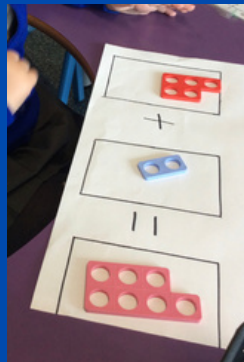
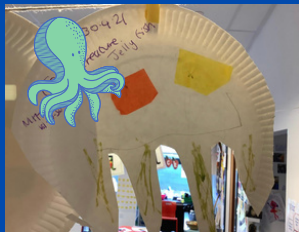


Gateway's Amazing Learning!

Nursery and Reception

This week in Reception we have been learning a new poem about how to plant and look after a little seed. The children have amazed us with their addition skills and have begun to record their own number sentences. In

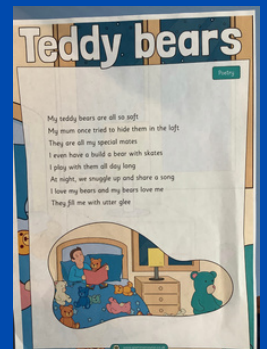
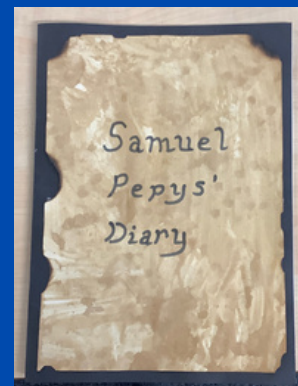
RE we have been learning that no matter who you are everybody is important and we should treat everybody with respect, which links to one of our FCAT core values. In Nursery we continued with our under the sea learning 1,2,3,4,5 once i caught a fish alive and tried to sequence our story map altogether. Some beautiful art work of under the sea animals. Then took part in some under the sea yogo using our different body parts to stretch and relax



Year 1 and 2

This week Year 2 have been learning all about the Great Fire of London.

They have looked at the diary of Samuel Pepys and started to think about how we can write our own diary. In Year 1, the children have been exploring poetry. They have been looking at the poem Teddy Bears and are now learning all about rhyming words.



Year 3 and 4

In Year 3 and Year 4 the children have been enjoying learning and reciting poems! Test them at home to see what they can remember. In Year 3 the children have had Mr Williams with them on Thursday where the children have enjoyed Commando Joe activities whilst Year 4 have started the GULP (give up loving pop) challenge with the BFC Fit2Go team - make sure you sign the chart for our children to be in with a chance of winning a prize!

Year 5 and 6

In Year 6 this week the children have enjoyed learning all about fossils in their science work and were detectives trying to work out which animals they came from. Year 5 have had a great debate about whether Aldi should be sued for their replica Caterpillar cake - there were some great ideas here! They have also been reading and performing Lewis Carroll's nonsense poem 'The Jabberwocky' and using their knowledge of words to make sense of the poem! All the children have been practising their reading - such an important skill for life!

Have a lovely weekend!