

Gateway Gossip Fortnightly

Dear all,

I hope you had a great half term break. It seems so long ago now!

This week we have celebrated World Book Day which is always a fabulous day in school. We saw some amazing costumes, lots of book related activities and some very enthusiastic children and teachers which all made for a wonderful day. Grateful thanks goes to Mr Percival for all of his organisation of the day. You will see some of the great pictures in the following pages of the newsletter and many more posted on our social media links. A big thanks goes to Hamza and Maisy in Year 6 as they have written short articles for the newsletter in respect of their experiences this week. Have a read yourself.

It has been a busy time since we came back after half term. A big reminder to all please that as a community we need to respect one another and ensure our children do the same. The rules regarding bicycles and scooters still stand in that children and adults are expected to dismount upon entry to the school playground. This is for health and safety reasons and to avoid accidents. In addition and whilst talking about respect it is important that we all respect one another. This includes staff and other parents so that we can have a harmonious community. Please be respectful and kind; it helps all relationships be positive and successful.

We have our Parents' Forum meeting planned for Wednesday 22nd March. Why not come along if you haven't attended before? We have the school nurses in attendance and some other great discussions to be had together!

Have a great weekend and week ahead everyone.

Spring is on its way!

Best wishes,

Mrs Robinson



Dates To Remember

Every Tuesday

Parent and Toddler group
9.30am-10.30am.

WC 13th March

Science Week

WC 20th March

Parents' Evening week
More details to follow.

Wednesday 22nd
March

Parents' Forum 9am

Friday 31st March

School closes for
Easter

Gateway Extra

We currently have spaces in
our Breakfast Club 7.45am-
8.45am and After School
Club 3.15pm-5.30pm.

Please use ParentPay to
book your child's place.

Let's Celebrate!

Star Award

N - Natalia
RB - Layla
RG - Shania
1B - Tobias
1G - Brokkelyn
2B - Niamul
2G - Kuba
3B - Olalekan
3G - Sienna
4B - Suzie
4G - Layton
5B - Evie-Jo
5G - Daniel
6B - Cody
6G - Holly



Core Award

N - Milian
RB -
RG - Archie
1B - Liliana
1G - Bonnie
2B - Ruby
2G - Zackary
3B - Maddison
3G - Amina
4B - Layton
4G - Awa
5B - Wa'izah
5G - Jenson
6B - Tyler
6G - Natalia

Attendance

B

G

Headteacher
award

Reading

Staff Shoutout

Team Miss Thomas
and Miss Sim
Working above and
beyond to support
the children in
your care.

Team Hub
Working well as a
team and modelling
resilience to the
children.



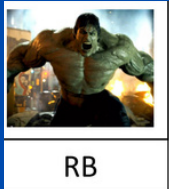
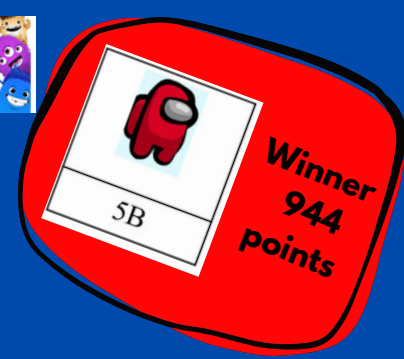
Well done to all our winners!



Class Dojo

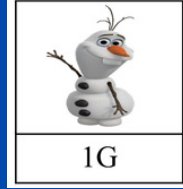


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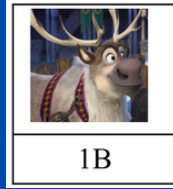


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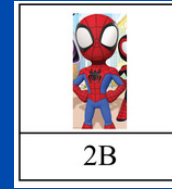
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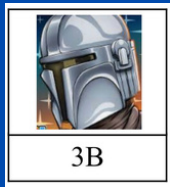
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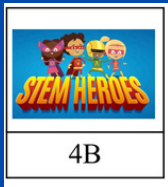
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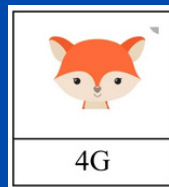
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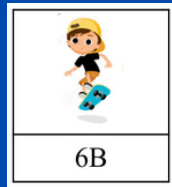


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A big 'Well Done' to Noah and Macy, who won the Seaside Art competition.



Our Year 6 Children

On Monday in year 6, we have been focusing on the living things in their habitats subject for science we sorted the animals into classes without a set goal on which classifications. For maths, we learnt about coordinates on a grid and if you start with the x axis or y axis first. We also learnt that there are four quadrants and we've been focusing on the first one the most. For English, we were boxing up a shared write on the text fowlers yard.

Maisy

On Wednesday, Year 6 were learning about major cities in the United kingdom and marking them on a map in Geography. In maths, Year 6 were learning about translating shapes on a grid. In English, we were rewriting a paragraph of the shared write and uplevelling the punctuation. In reading, Year 6 read the text 'Here be dragons!' and highlighted Year 6 level vocabulary words.

'I really enjoyed the geography this week and I'm looking forward to next week's geography lesson!'

Hamza, Year 6 - Science Ambassador

Gateway's Amazing Learning!

Nursery

What a lovely week in Nursery. We had fun learning in our new environment, dressing up as our favourite characters for World Book Day and getting to know Miss Sim and Mrs Haddow.

Reception

This week we have been learning all about Spring and the changes that happen. We went on a Spring walk and saw lots of flowers and vegetables growing. We were even lucky enough to see a rainbow. We had a great time dressing up our favourite book characters.

Year 1

Year 1 have been learning about Urban and Rural areas in Geography. Today, they went a hunt around the school grounds to find signs of an urban area!

Well done year 1- great work!

Year 2

The children looked fantastic yesterday for World Book Day. We had a lovely week.

Year 3

Year 3 have had a super week this week - we had a brilliant day on Thursday for World Book Day - the costumes were FAB-U-LOUS and we enjoyed acting out our chosen fairy tale of 'Goldilocks and the Three Bears'. We also had fun learning about Pneumatics with Mr Barnaby's rockets and air-powered car this week. Next week looks to be busy too as we start innovating our 'Defeat the Monster' stories and continue our work on multiplication and division. Bring it on week three, because Year three are ready for you!!

Year 4

Another busy week in Year 4. the children are continuing to enjoy their Fit2Go with Blackpool Football Club learning how to make healthy food choices. The children and staff had an amazing World Book Day - there were so many amazing costumes! Remember to keep practising times tables they are so important.

Year 5

The children looked fantastic yesterday for World Book Day. We had a lovely week.

Year 6

This week in year 6, we have started to write our shared fear writing stories, focusing on our character and setting description. In maths we have been translating shapes across the four quadrants and looking at different co-ordinates. Finally, Year 6 have enjoyed World Book Day, discussing different books, where favourite places are to read and creating new and exciting fairytales.

WORLD BOOK DAY



Our Week In Pictures



Have a lovely weekend!



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