

Dear all,

Another busy week has passed in Gateway Academy with lots of activities and experiences for the children.

Year 4 had a trip to the beautiful Grand Theatre to complete their Tales Retold work. There were some budding actors evident on the stage with some wonderful feedback from staff who were very proud of their efforts.

Yesterday we had a visit from the Travelling by Tuba group and many year groups were involved in an assembly and workshops. What a great experience they had and more budding musicians were talent spotted through the day!

Our Year 6 children have visited their new high schools for two days this week, on Thursday and Friday. We hope they have had a fabulous time and that it was a very positive experience. We will be sorry to see them go! We have a few things planned to celebrate their transition to year 7 over the next few weeks.

Meanwhile the rest of the school took the opportunity to move up to their new classes and meet their new teachers. It was a lovely time in school with positivity and nurture flowing! I hope parents had a short chance to meet the new teachers at pick up time and of course we will hold sessions to meet new teachers in September and discuss needs and develop those vital relationships.

Hopefully now we have reached July we can rely on some sunnier weekends .
Enjoy your weekend and we look forward to seeing you on Monday.

With my best wishes,
Mrs Robinson



Dates To Remember

Wednesday 6th July

Nursery Graduation - Parents invited

Thursday 7th July

Year 4 trip to Blackpool Zoo

Friday 8th July

Non-uniform day with chocolate donations
- see details below.

Year 5 Class Assembly - Parents invited

Monday 11th July

CBeebies Rhyme Rocket Presenters in.

Wednesday 13th July

100% Attendance Party - Details to follow

Thursday 14th July

Reception Class Assembly - Parents invited
Summer Fair - more details to follow.

Thursday 14th and Friday 15th July

Whole School Transition.

Wednesday 20th July

Gateway's Got Talent

Thursday 21st July

Year 6 performance.
Dojo Shop open.
After School Club final day.

Friday 22nd July

Break up for Summer at 2pm.

Gateway Extra

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Tuesday Crafts

Crafts

Wednesday Film

Children's choice

Thursday Sports

Sport Day
activities

Please book through the school office. Let us know if your child has any allergies.

Let's Celebrate!

Star Award

N - Jessica
 RB - Bodie
 RG - Gabriella
 1B - Amelia
 1G - Cole
 2B -
 2G - Roman
 3B - Lily-Mae
 3G - Daisy
 4B - Eboney-Rose
 4G - Daniel
 5B - Maddison
 5G - Holly
 6B -
 6G -



Core Award

N - Lucia
 RB - Brookelyn
 RG - Macauley
 1B - Oliwia
 1G - Harley-May
 2B -
 2G - Hope
 3B - Khajida
 3G - David
 4B - Felicia
 4G - Violet
 5B - Finley
 5G - Gracie
 6B -
 6G -

Reading Award



Attendance Award

N - Archie
 RB - Lilly-Mae
 RG - Willow
 1B - Harley-Rio
 1G - Dylan
 2B -
 2G - Sienna
 3B - Poppy
 3G - Elliana
 4B - Jaxon
 4G - Wiktorina
 5B - Nicola
 5G - Poppie
 6B -
 6G -

Well done to all our winners!

Overall Points

Winner	House Teams		
1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Earheart	Newton	King	Curie

Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and 2



Year 3, 4, 5 and 6



Overall



Staff Shoutout

Miss Thomas for going above and beyond to support our Rainbow Room children.



Mr Stanier for being a great member of the Y6 team. A super help and get up and do attitude!



Miss Smith for all of your hard work in EYFS and supporting the Reading Festival with your special contacts!



We are delighted to announce that we, have achieved the School Games GOLD Mark Award for the 2021/22 academic year.

The School Games Mark is a Government-led award scheme launched in 2012, facilitated by the Youth Sport Trust to reward and recognise school's engagement (provision and uptake) in the School Games against a national benchmark and to celebrate keeping young people active, and we are delighted to have been recognised for our success. Well done to the PE Team and all the children at Gateway!



Gateway's Amazing Learning!

Early Years

Another fantastic week in EYFS. We have begun the week talking about change to get ready to meet our new teachers. The children gave such thoughtful answers and showed how much they have matured whilst with us.

Tuesday saw a visit from our very own Punch and Judy man - there was so much laughter it was fabulous!

The children moved to their new classes on Thursday and Friday and all had a wonderful time.

As ever, any queries please do not hesitate to speak to a member of the EYFS team.

Year 1 and 2

What a great week in Year 1 and 2!

Thank you to all the parents who come to watch our Year 2 assembly. Year 1 enjoyed the Punch and Judy show on Tuesday with Early Years.

We have been busy and enjoyed our transitions to meet our new teachers.

Year 3 and 4

Year 3 have had a great week this week. We have started writing our own traditional tales as we reach the final stages of our journey in English in Year 3 - we will be spending next week finishing them. We have also been learning some truly gruesome facts about Tudor punishments in history and then to finish the week we got to venture down the corridor to Year 4 and spend time with our new teachers for Year 4 - which was fantastic! Year 4 have had an action packed week. We have been to The Grand Theatre to perform our scene from Gangsta Granny as part of our Tales Retold project. The children also really enjoyed the walk along the prom and watching other school's performances. The children were also engrossed in the Travelling by Tuba assembly where they got to see how wind instruments evolved over centuries. The week ended with two days of exciting transition activities with their new teacher for September.

Year 5 and 6

In Year 5 this week, we have been finding out how to convert between different measures. We know what 'kilo' and 'milli' mean now and can use this to help us in our maths work. In our English we have been writing our own warning stories, trying hard to make sure that we use some really good quality descriptive phrases. Next week it is our class assembly, and we have continued to find out about crime and punishment - you will have to come to watch our assembly to find out all about what we have been learning! We look forward to seeing you there. In Year 6 we had a short week working on our United Kingdom topic, finishing our books - Cosmic and Anglo Saxon Boy before heading off to high school!

Please look below for some key dates for Year 6.



Any other business



Important message for Year 6 Parents/Carers

Key Dates:

Tuesday 19th July - Year 6 Water Fight
Thursday 21st July 9:05am - Year 6 Leavers
Assembly (parents invited)
Thursday 21st July Evening - Year 6 Leavers
Disco

A letter will follow with key timings and information, which will come home with the children next week. All events, including leavers hoodies and books will need to be earned through exemplary behaviours and attitudes.

Summer Fair

Our Summer Fair will be on Thursday 14th July from 3:30pm until 5pm. We have lots of exciting stalls and games, along with the ice cream van, bouncy castle and much, much more.

Please join us for our first Summer Fair since before Covid! We look forward to seeing you all there!

Non-Uniform Day for Chocolate

We will be holding a non-uniform day on Friday 8th July where you can come to school wearing your house colour. Please bring in a chocolate donation for the chocolate tombola.

Please remember sensible shoes and clothing for break/lunch times. Thank you.

King- Blue Curie - Yellow Earheart - Green Newton - Red

Fact of the week!

It took nearly 1500 years to build Stonehenge.

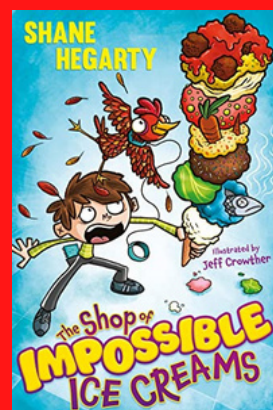


We love reading! Book Recommendation.

The shop of impossible ice creams by Shane Hegarty.

Limpet's mum is opening an ice-cream shop, full of her favourite new flavours: mushroom and tuna ice cream, anyone? Roast parsnip and gravy?

Limpet's not sure about this. He likes a nice, safe life. His favourite ice-cream flavour is vanilla.



Our Week In Pictures



School Website QR Code

Have a lovely weekend!



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