



Gusford Primary School

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Parent Newsletter 05/05/2023

Good luck to our Year 6 pupils who will be having their SATs next week. They have worked very hard towards these tests but we just want to remind them that although these are important, they do not measure how kind hearted, caring, thoughtful, energetic, artistic, creative and unique each of them is. We will welcome all of the Y6 pupils to a breakfast club each day next week where we will make sure they are given reassurance and encouragement. Thank you to everyone for their support.



Congratulations to the following children who were chosen as star of the week!

Nursery: Addie
Reception: Reggie, Conor
Year 1: Cole, Florence, Harvey
Year 2: Amelia W, Isobel, Summer
Year 3: Viktoria, Oliver H-K, Baylen
Year 4: Not applicable this week
Year 5: Amelia K, Tyson, Shingai
Year 6: Mia B, Amelia G, Max K

Atlantic and Newton class won this week's class attendance – winning gold tickets for everyone in their class!

Year 4 Residential – Norfolk Lakes

Year 4 have had a wonderful few days at Norfolk Lakes – They have enjoyed rock climbing, giant paddle boarding, fencing, the blind trial and more. We hope they have all enjoyed their time away and all their new experiences.



We are very excited about our plans for the King's Coronation. We are working alongside Friends of Gusford to ensure the children have a range of opportunities to celebrate as outlined below. On top of these celebrations and throughout the Summer term, each class will be taking part in 'The Big Help Out' and doing a project to help out in the local community. We will be delighted to share these projects with you when the children take part in them and it will be wonderful to give back to the local community. We hope to see you at the Cake Sale on Friday 12th May at 3:30pm. Enjoy the Coronation Weekend!

Friday 5th May - Celebratory Picnic

Tuesday 9th - 12th May

Plate decorating competition

Learning about the life of King Charles III
All the children will receive a special badge purchased by Friends of Gusford

Friday 12th May - Cake Sale, Raffle, Tree Planting and Choir Performance!



Important Dates and INFORMATION

Monday 8th May – Bank Holiday – School closed

Year 6 SATS – Tuesday 9th – Friday 12th May
Coronation Week – Tuesday 9th – Friday 12th May

Thursday 25th May – Last day of term
Friday 26th May – PD Day – School Closed

Monday 5th June – Children return to school

Monday 5th June – Wednesday 7th June – Year 6 Residential
to Hilltop
Tuesday 6th June – Year 6 Activity Day

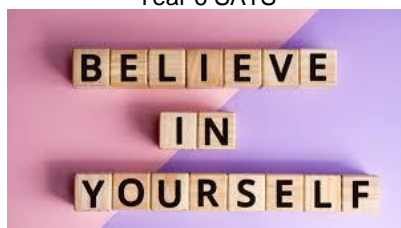
Monday 18th June – Friday 23rd June – Year 6 Bikeability

Wednesday 21st June – Class photos



Well done to everyone who took part in the Easter Reading Competition! We read over 28, 000 minutes in the two weeks we were on holiday, which is fantastic. Over 135 children took part and their names were entered into a prize draw. Well done to the children in the prize draw, the book winners are Harrison, April, Lilly-Mae, Hope, Daisy, Archie, Myla, Brayden and Amelia. All those that took part will receive a small prize next week. The class that read the most minutes was Tennyson so they will have a class treat of doughnuts, and the child that read the most was Parya and she will receive a special book set as a prize. Well done to everyone and thank you to all the parents for your support!

Year 6 SATS



Good Luck to our Year 6 children who begin their SATS next week. We will be running breakfast club from 8.15am for the week. This is a chance for them to sit and talk to friends, which helps them feel less anxious and creates a positive atmosphere for the week.

SATs don't see your beauty, SATs don't know your worth,
SATs don't see the reasons you were put upon this earth.
SATs don't see your magic, how you make others smile,
SATs don't time how quickly you can run a mile.
SATs don't hear your laughter, or see you've come this far,

SATs are just a tiny glimpse of who you really are.
So, sitting at your table, with a pencil and your test,
Remember SATs aren't who you are, remember you're the best.

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SCAN ME

Canteen Menu – next week we will be on week 1

Option 1	Cheese & Tomato Pizza	Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread	Roast of the Day, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	BBQ Chicken with New Potatoes	Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce
Option 2	Falafel with Cous Cous	Wholemeal Vegetable Pasta Bake	Vegetable Wellington with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	BBQ Quorn with New Potatoes	Mexican Bean Roll with Chips & Tomato Sauce
Vegetables	Mixed Salad Coleslaw	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Peas Baked Beans
Dessert	NEW Syrup Snap Biscuit	Fruit Jelly with Mandarins	Fruity Cookie	Iced Vanilla Sponge	Oaty Cookie

Or a choice of Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit available daily