

Gusford Primary School

"Together we believe, learn and achieve"

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Parent Newsletter 16/09/2022

WOW what an amazing week at Gusford! We welcomed 4 Inspectors from Ofsted who spent two days working intensively in the school to check we are robust and accurate in our judgements and to check safety, behaviour, attendance, quality of education, Early Years, leadership and management. It was a perfect opportunity for pupils governors and staff to demonstrate how much they care about the school and one another. The report and outcomes will be shared with the school in a few weeks and then shared with parents and carers. During music assembly this week the children learnt about our composer of the month – make sure you ask your children about Scott Joplin. They also learnt a song from the Congo - ask them to sing it for you. We also have drawn our first golden ticket awards today – well done to those pupils who have received a prize this time. The next draw will be in a fortnight.

SAFETY

You are reminded that dogs are not allowed on the school premises. This includes the playgrounds and car parks etc. If you bring a dog with you to drop or collect your children please keep it away from the school entrances too. This enables the many families to walk safely into school. We have asked the local PCSO (Police Community) to start to patrol the area at the start and end of the day. Thank you for your help.

Meet the Head - (Year 6 pupils) Stoke High School

On Tuesday 20th September the Headteacher from Stoke High School Mr Robinson will be meeting our year 6 students and will then be meeting parents in the library at the end of school. Please come join us and meet Mr Robinson and ask any questions about the school in general or transitioning from Primary to High School.

Polite Reminders

Please can you ensure that your child(ren) bring all equipment and lunch/drinks they need for the school day with them. We are seeing an increased number of items being dropped into the school office after registration, which means that learning is often being disturbed whilst we deliver items to class.



Monday 19th September – Bank Holiday – School closed for Queen Elizabeth II Funeral

Weds 5th October – Individual school photos Parents Evening - Mon 17th October 3:30pm - 6pm (online)

Parents Evening - Weds 19th October 4pm -7.30pm (face to face)

Fri 21st October - Last day of term Mon 31st October - Pupils return to school

Canteen Menu – Next week we will be on week three: Fish Fingers with Chips Roast Turkey, Roast Potatoes & Gravy Pork Sausage Hot Dog with Potato Wedges Cheese & Tomato Beef Lasagne with Option 1 & Tomato Sauce Garlic Bread Vegetable Puff Pastry, Falafel with Lemon & Vegetable Lasagne Vegan Sausage Hot Cheese & Tomato Option 2 Herb Couscous with Garlic Bread Roast Potatoes & Dog with Potato Whirl with Chips & Gravy Wedges Tomato Sauce Week Three Green Beans Peas Coleslaw Sweetcorn Sweetcorn Mixed Vegetables Vegetables Baked Beans Ice Cream with Mixed Berry Sauce Raspberry Jelly & Chocolate Shortbread Or a choice of Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit available daily











