

Grangetown Primary School

WEEKLY UPDATE

'Keeping parents informed'



Friday 18th February 2022

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Attendance this week (Mon 14th - Fri 18th Feb)

RAB: 89.6%	3BB: 92%	5AM: 96.3%	Whole School: 92.4% Our Target is 96%	
1CT: 91.9%	4HC: 95.8%	6VS: 91.4%		
2NR: 98%	4LM: 96.8%	6SH: 93%		
2DM: 79.4%	5KM: 93%			



**Champion Attenders
this week - Y2NR**



Average whole school
attendance so far this
school year: 92.2%

Reminders

Let's be in school on time!

- For Reception to Year 6 the bell goes at 8.50am.
- Our 3 year old Nursery starts at 9.00am.
- Little Butterflies doors open 8.45am.
- Year R-2 finish at 3.15pm, years 3-6 finish at 3.20pm.

Remember

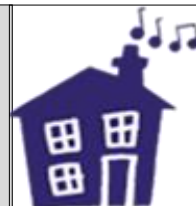
- If your child is absent, please immediately inform the school by telephone. This ensures that the absence will not be 'unauthorised'.

Breakfast Club: 7.45-8.50 daily - great value at just £1.20 per child, please book in advance via the Office.



Our Home from Home After School Care Club

- Amazing value - only £2.50 per session. 3.15-5.00 Mon-Fri. Max 12 places. Reception to year 6.
- Children who attend should bring a snack & a drink.
- **Call our Office to book in advance (814 9820), or pop in.**





The Week Ahead: Mon 28th - Fri 4th March 2022

Every Day of the week:

- Could parents please make sure children wear their school uniform everyday
- Learning at Home - please read with your child every day, and/or encourage your child to read, and fill in the Home-School Diary.
- Breakfast Club - 7.45 to 8.45 (£1.20 per day)
- No jewellery/chewing gum/sweets in school
- Could all uniform be labelled with their name

Monday 28th February

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50)£1.20 per session
- Y1 PE
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00) (£2.50 per session)

Tuesday 1st March

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50)£1.20 per session
- KS1 Dental hygiene workshop
- Reception PE
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00) (£2.50 per session)

Wednesday 2nd March

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50)£1.20 per session
- Y3&4 lunchtime football with Arj
- Y5AM PE
- PM: Y5KM Swimming at Raich Carter centre
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00) (£2.50 per session)

Thursday 3rd March

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50)£1.20 per session
- PE - Year 3.
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00) (£2.50 per session)

Friday 4th March

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50)£1.20 per session
- Y2 PE, Y6 PE
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00) (£2.50 per session)
- PM: Dance (year 2), Drama (year 4)

For on going updates, see: www.grangetown.sunderland.sch.uk

Our main social media is Facebook (3 pages):

Grangetownprimary LittleButterfliesGPS MessyPlayGrangetown

We sometimes use Twitter: Grangetown_PS

News, Messages, Reminders! Week beginning Mon 28th Feb



KS1 Dental health workshops

On Tuesday 1st March Year 1 and Year 2 classes will be taking part in workshops ran by the school nurse team surrounding dental hygiene.

Last week of swimming

The first week after half term is the last week of swimming for Y5KM. The following week beginning Monday 7th March will change to Y5AM.

Uniform, PE kit, Footwear Reminders

- We are keen to see children wearing school uniform every day.
- Note that, on PE days, the children can come to school in PE kit, with a school top (sweatshirt or jumper) & tracksuit bottoms or similar to keep them warm.
- PE kit should be plain shorts and top, no football strips please!
- Day to day, footwear should ideally be black shoes - we will send out a letter next week to clarify this as there are some winter exceptions, etc.
- For indoor PE footwear should be plimsolls or plain trainers. We discourage flashy, expensive trainers, for obvious reasons (can get competitive!).

Thankyou - what a fantastic half-term!

We'd like to thank parents and carers for the fabulous support that you have given school, and your child, this half term. Thankyou too to the children for working so hard this half-term, and for being so well behaved - what a credit they are to you, to themselves & to their teachers. Also, I know you will join me in thanking the amazing Grangetown staff for their hard work this half-term - how lucky we are to have such talented teachers, Nursery Nurses, Teaching Assistants and Admin staff! Enjoy your half term break, have a good rest, and we look forward to seeing you on Monday 28th February for the start of Spring 2 - lots to look forward to at GPS! Mr McAnaney, HT.

Dates for your Diary

- Monday 21st - Friday 25th Feb - Half Term Break.
- Thurs 3rd March - World Book Day
- Mon 14th - Fri 18th March Science week
- Fri 18th - Sun 20th Mar Derwent Hill residential trip
- Friday 25th March - Bank Hol (in lieu of Diamond Jubilee) - school closed
- Friday 8th April - End of Term (1.00pm).
- Monday 11th - Friday 22nd April - Easter Holidays.
- Easter Holiday - Holiday Scheme run by Groundwork. More details soon.

This week's Achievers' Award Winners



Miss Tose's class: Ava & Alice

Mrs Dolan & Mrs Mitchell's class: Chloe & Leah

Mrs Roberts class: John & William

Mrs Beetham & Mrs Bracknall's class: Hayley & Imogen

Miss Cassidy's class: Maddison & Ava

Mrs Millican's class: Charlie & Riley

Miss McLoughlin's class: Henry & Amelia

Miss Muldowney's class: Kade & Patricia

Miss Stell's class: Jack & Lennox

Miss Hunter's class: Andre & Molly

French: Emily(6VS) & Freya(4LM)

Music: Christian(5AM) & Rio(4LM)

Remember: at Grangetown, we are ALL Achievers!



Happy Birthday to you!

Aria Fenwick, Alfie Lawton, Kate Phillips, Logan Chase, Amelia Bates, Tami Adeniji, Mia Gaffney, Joseph Horn, Lilly Nesbit-Ferry, Lucas Ford, Harper Forster, Samuel Wallace, Alex Devereux, Jack Perry and Jessica Ridley.

