

Grangetown Primary School

WEEKLY UPDATE

'Keeping parents informed'



Friday 27th January 2023


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Attendance this week (Monday 23rd -Friday 27th January 2023)

RNH:91.3%	3KB:90.5%	5AW:90%	Whole School: 89.2%	
1CT:85%	3NB:90.5%	6AM:83.8%		
2NR: 94.1%	4LM:84.4%	6VS:87.1%		
2HF:92.5%	5JR:95.2%			



Champion Attenders this week: 5JR. Well Done!



Average whole school attendance so far this school year: 90.1%

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: Monday 30th - Friday 3rd February 2023

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 your child's name, please?

Monday 30th January

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

Tuesday 31st January

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50) - £1.20 per session
- Y4 swimming
- Nursery, Reception & Y5 PE
- After school clubs
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00) (£2.50 per session).

Wednesday 1st 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).

Thursday 2nd February

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50) - £1.20 per session
- Y3 PE
- After school clubs
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00) (£2.50 per session).

Friday 3rd February

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50) - £1.20 per session
- Y2 & Y6 PE
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00) (£2.50 per session).

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 30th January



Little Butterflies

Please could we remind parents the timings of sessions in Little Butterflies. Morning sessions are 8.45am -11.45am and afternoon sessions are 12.30pm - 3.30pm . Please ensure your child is on time.

Being on Time for School

For Reception to Year 6, please ensure your child is on the playground by 8.45am. Doors open 8.50am. Being on time is important, and ensures that your child gets the day off to the best possible start - all classes have I learning Trasks from the time the children come in at 8.50am.

Attendance

If your child is absent from school, please contact the office immediately. This ensures that the absence does not go down as unauthorised.

Reading at Home

Reading is vital to every aspect of your child's learning. Your child will bring a Reading book home every day. It is very important that parents and carers read with their children as often as possible, and **at least 3 times per week**. Your child will also bring home a Home School Reading Diary – please make a note in the diary to indicate when you have read with your child. Remember that your child can win Bronze, Silver and Gold awards for reading at home! Thankyou for your valued support.

School Uniform / PE Kit

Please ensure your child wears uniform for school, and that all items of clothing are labelled with your child's name. Our Uniform Policy is set out here: <https://grangetown.sunderland.sch.uk/For-Parents/Uniform/>

Places for Reception and Nursery

We are still taking applications for Reception for September 2023 – if your child was born between September 2018 to August 2019, he/she is eligible for a place. You can apply via Sunderland Council at www.sunderland.gov.uk - if you need any help please pop into school. We also have Nursery places for April and Sept 2023 – for 3 year olds – please enquire at our school office.

Dates for your Diary

Mon 6th Feb - am Little Butterflies & Nursery walk to the Library

Mon 13th Feb - 6AM Parent consultations

Wed 15th Feb - World War 2 day for Y6

Wed 15th Feb - Nursery Superhero day

Mon 20th-Fri 24th Feb: Half-term break.

See: <https://grangetown.sunderland.sch.uk/Calendar/>

This week's Achievers' Award Winners



Miss Tose's class: Prosper & Pip

Mrs Robert's class: Lincoln & Amelia

Miss Farrell's class: Aydan & Olive

Miss Kirkup & Mrs Bracknall's class: Leah & Crystal

Miss Bewick class: Lily-Mae & Emily

Mrs Millican's class: Mason & Millie

Miss Richardson's class: Opeoluwa & Freya

Mrs Wight's class: Ivy & Maddison

Miss Stell's class: Freda & Amelia

Miss McLoughlin's class: Misha & Josh

French: Josh & Grace

Music: Henry & Bethany

Remember: at Grangetown, we are ALL Achievers!



Happy Birthday to you!

*Birthdays for the period Mon 30th Jan
to Sunday 5th Feb*

**Jordan, Lyla, Noah, Luke, Harry,
Charliee, Ava, Henry, Jamie**

