

Grangetown Primary School

WEEKLY UPDATE

'Keeping parents informed'



Friday 2nd December 2022

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Attendance this week (Monday 28th-Friday 2nd December 2022)

RNH:73.5%	3BB:82.2%	5AW:92%	Whole School: 85.7% <i>(lots of sickness going around at the moment)</i> Our Target is 96%+	
1CT:89.7%	3HC:91.1%	6SH:82.9%		
2NR:90%	4LM:85.9%	6VS:92.4%		
2LF:80.6%	5AM:85.2%			



**Champion Attenders
this week - 6VS!**



Average whole school attendance so far this school year: 90.8%

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 5th - Friday 9th December 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 your child's name, please?

Monday 5th December

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50) - £1.20 per session
- Y5 Coal to Goals Heritage day at the Beacon of Light
- Little Butterflies am: Library visit
- Little Butterflies & Nursery pm: visit to soft play
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00) (£2.50 per session).

Tuesday 6th December

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50) - £1.20 per session
- Y5AM swimming
- 11am: Nursery Christmas Parent workshop
- After school clubs
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.5-5.00) (£2.50 per session).

Wednesday 7th December

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50) - £1.20 per session
- Year 1 PE
- - 10.00-11.00am & 2.00-3.00 pm Little Butterflies Xmas Parent Workshops
- Reception to visit Fulwell Windmill.
- Football at lunch time with Arj
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.5-5.00) (£2.50 per session).

Thursday 8th December

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50) - £1.20 per session
- Y1 visit to Durham Gala Theatre
- Afterschool clubs
- 2:15pm: Nursery Christmas parent workshop
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.15-5.00) (£2.50 per session).

Friday 9th December

- Breakfast Club (7.45-8.50) - £1.20 per session
- Year 2 & Year 4 PE
- Little Butterflies and Nursery am: visit to soft play
- Y3 at Farringdon - pm
- Home from Home After School Care Club (3.5-5.00) (£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 5th December



Trip to Fuzzy Ed's soft play

Children who attend Little Butterflies and Nursery afternoon sessions will be visiting the soft play on Monday afternoon. Morning children will be visiting on Friday morning.

Visit to local library for Little Butterflies and Nursery

On Monday morning Little Butterflies and Nursery will be walking to the Library on Vilette road. Please make sure your child is dressed appropriately for the weather.

Y5 Beacon of Light

Year 5 are going to the Beacon of Light on Monday 5th Dec for a Heritage Day. Children will need to wear their school jumper but can wear jogging bottoms, a warm coat and a packed lunch. Permission slips must be returned for children to be able to attend the event.

Little Butterflies Parent workshop

On Wednesday 7th parents are invited into Little Butterflies to take part in various activities. The sessions are 10-11am and 2:00-3:00pm.

Reception Bus Journey

On Wednesday 7th December Reception are going on a Bus Journey (details to follow because we have had to make changes to our plans in terms of the original destination). Please ensure your child is dressed appropriately for the weather and that permission slips have been returned to the class teacher.

Parent Workshop for Nursery Parents

Nursery are inviting parents into school to take part in some activities in the classroom. These sessions will be on Tuesday 6th December (11-12pm) and Thursday 8th December (2.15-3.15pm).

Year 1 Panto!

Year 1 are going to see Sleeping Beauty at the Pantomime in Durham on Thursday 8th December. Children will require a packed lunch and can bring a small bag of popcorn/sweets and a small drink to have during the show. School uniform is still required and please ensure your child is in school on time. If you haven't handed in your letter, please do so ASAP.

Y3 Sports trip

Year 3 have a gymnastics trip Friday afternoon after lunch. Children need PE kits, socks and a water bottle. If children need an inhaler, they need to ensure they are in school.

Dates for your Diary

Mon 5th Dec - Y5 Coal to Goals Heritage day at the Beacon of Light

Mon 5th Dec - Little Butterflies & Nursery am: Library visit

Mon 5th Dec - Little Butterflies & Nursery pm: visit to soft play

Tues 6th Dec - 11am: Nursery Christmas Parent workshop

Wed 7th Dec - 10.00-11.00am & 2.00-3.00 pm Little Butterflies Xmas Parent Workshops

Wed 7th Dec - Reception Bus Journey (further details to follow - change of destination).

Thurs 8th Dec - Y1 visit to Durham Gala Theatre

Thurs 8th Dec - 2:15pm: Nursery Christmas parent workshop

Fri 9th Dec - Little Butterflies and Nursery am: visit to soft play

Fri 9th Dec - Y3 at trampolining at Farringdon - pm

Also see: <https://grangetown.sunderland.sch.uk/Calendar/>

This week's Achievers' Award Winners



Miss Tose's class: Louisa & Avril

Mrs Robert's class: Maddison & Tammy

Miss Beetham & Mrs Bracknall's class: Dan & Lenny

Miss Cassidy's class: Johnny & Robert

Mrs Millican's class: Daniel & Imogen

Miss McLoughlin's class: Preston & Riley

Mrs Wight's class: Thomas & Sam

Miss Stell's class: Azizah & Sophie

Miss Hunter's class: Patricia & Lexi

French: Sam & Success

Remember: at Grangetown, we are ALL Achievers!



Happy Birthday to you!

Opeoluwa & Mirruthula

