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Gisburn Road News



DIARY DATES

W/c Mon 16 th Nov	Anti-Bullying Week
Mon 16 th Nov	Odd Socks Day - It's Good To Be Different! - Wear odd socks today to raise awareness of Anti-Bullying.
Thurs 3 rd Dec	Nasal Flu Immunisations
Fri 18 th Dec	SCHOOL CLOSSES at 2PM

TO KEEP UP TO DATE WITH EVENTS IN SCHOOL, PLEASE SEE THE LINKS BELOW:-

Calendar - gisburnroad.com/calendar
 Website - gisburnroad.com
 Facebook - facebook.com/GisburnRoadSchool
 Newsletter - gisburnroad.com/newsletters
 School Meals - gisburnroad.com/school-meals

Subscribe to our school calendar by copying and pasting this iCal URL into your calendar app:
<https://calendar.google.com/calendar/ical/leidplnu18052baljogv0h2sc%40group.calendar.google.com/public/basic.ics>

COVID-19 RELATED PUPIL ABSENCE

IN THE EVENT OF A POSITIVE CORONAVIRUS TEST RESULT AT THE WEEKEND – PLEASE RING 07392668755 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 3PM & 5PM ON SUNDAY 1ST NOVEMBER, SO WE CAN MAKE ARRANGEMENTS AS SWIFTLY AS POSSIBLE.

Alternatively, you can email office@gisburnroad.com or message the school Facebook page <https://en-gb.facebook.com/GisburnRoadSchool/>

If your child is showing any symptoms of Covid-19, please see the following links for a quick reference guide and further information:-

<https://en-gb.facebook.com/GisburnRoadSchool/>

<https://www.gisburnroad.com/letters/letter-for-parents-self-isolation-procedure>

Department for Education coronavirus (COVID-19) helpline

The Department for Education coronavirus (COVID-19) helpline is available to answer questions about coronavirus (COVID-19) relating to education and children's social care. Staff, parents and young people can contact this helpline by calling:

Phone: 0800 046 8687

Opening hours: - Monday to Friday from 8am to 6pm

Saturday and Sunday from 10am to 4pm

MESSAGE FROM MRS WALKER

Dear Children and Families, It is a pleasure to be writing our newsletter this week following the huge success of our virtual parents evening. Some teachers reported a 100% turn out of parents and carers at the meetings, which shows the level of support we have for our pupils. We have also had pupils representing school at the Cenotaph and laying wreaths, it's always a huge honour to be chosen. Our high quality curriculum is being taught fully and the teachers are working hard to get all the children 'back up to speed' after the time we all lost in the first national lockdown. The children are enjoying their break times as a 'class bubbles' and routines are excellent. Whilst we appreciate that class closures are inevitable and very inconvenient for families, we continue to feel supported by the many positive comments that you make to us about our arrangements. Our class "bubbles" mean that when we have a positive case identified, we can limit our closures significantly.

Further changes nationally are difficult for us all, but as I have seen so many small acts of kindness and support that remind us of our humanity and care for one another. If anyone finds they are facing challenging times due to furloughing or loss of hours, please speak to us - I'm sure we could provide support and help.

I do want to thank our thank all our cleaning team who are working so hard to keep the school building safe. They will be around cleaning all the touch points- hand rails, toilets, tables, light switches - you name it- they clean it!

Please remember to care for each other by socially distancing on our playground and when waiting outside. Please do not arrive before your child's start and finish time (siblings are the exception) and PHE Lancashire now strongly advise face coverings on school yards. Thank you for working with us on this. I wish you all a lovely weekend and if anyone has any queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Mrs Walker

MISS ENTWISTLE

Miss Entwistle joined our team, she is working alongside two of our class bubbles to help get the children back up to speed following our first national lockdown. Say hello if you see her!



SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

Unfortunately, due to the local lockdown and the Tier 3 restrictions, we have had to postpone school photographs. We are hoping these will take place in the Spring Term; however, we will update you when we have any further information. Thank you for your understanding.

COMING SOON!



...NEW LOOK NEWSLETTER!!



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Celebrating achievement



STARS OF THE WEEK

Year 1 Maleeha

Year 2 Jack



WRITERS OF THE WEEK

Year 1 Lacey

Year 2 Abel

Year 3 Jaiden

Year 4 Morgan

Year 5 Scarlett

LEARNING WARRIORS

Year 3 Emily

Year 4 Ella

Year 5 Jordan



TOP MERIT WINNERS

Year 1 Jake
Charlie
Roman

Year 2 Isla
Oliver
Uzair

Year 3 Annie
Emily
Mujtaba

Year 4 Ella
Apollo
Morgan

Year 5 Daisy
Toby
Umehanni

ATTENDANCE

Year 3 won last week!

Class	Attendance %
R	96.9
1	95.0
2	95.2
3	99.1
4	98.2
5	95.7
6	97.8
Whole School	96.9



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