

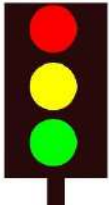


Dear Parent/Carer,

Despite the cold weather this week it does feel like the summer term. Reception have visited the Farm and have baby ducks in their class which have hatched this week. There is a surprise for nursery next week too. We have had lots of sporting success which you will read below, so thank you to Miss Routledge for all she does.

We are now planning End of Year Reports, Transitioning to new classes, other visits, sports day and other events. In amongst all of these "happy things" we must also complete statutory tests. These leaflets were shared with Year 1, Year 4 and Year 6 last week.

ATTENDANCE



Red - Danger Zone - Below 90%
Amber - At Risk Zone - 91% - 94%
Green - Safety Zone - 95% - 100%

Rec 1	96.8 %	Rec 2	90.6 %
Year 1D	97.5 %	Year 1KB	98.5 %
Year 2ON	99.5 %	Year 2S	99 %
Year 3E	99.4 %	Year 3S	97.6 %
Year 4H	99.5 %	Year 4R	95.5 %
Year 5H	97.7 %	Year 5W	98.9 %
Year 6K	95.4 %	Year 6LA	98.9 %

Well done to this week's attendance winners Class 2ON and 4H!

WHATS ON NEXT WEEK

11.05.26	YEAR 6 SATS WEEK - SATS BREAKFAST	Mon-Thur
15.05.26	Year 3 Parent Sharing Assembly	09:00

Just a reminder that all of Year 6 children are welcome to come to school from 8:15am for Breakfast before their SATS.

You can also stay up to date with dates/times of events on your Arbor Calendar

OTHER NEWS

SPORTS DAY

Year 1 - 6 will have their sports day on Monday 18th May. Timings are as follows.

Session 1 (Y1 & 2) - 9:10 - 10:25
Session 2 (Y4 & 5) - 10:50 - 12:05
Session 3 (Y3 & 6) - 13:00 - 14:15
Assembly/Presentation - 14:30

Please note that the only lunch option for sports day will be Pizza and chips and will be served in classrooms. Children can still bring in a packed lunch.

Parents will not stay for the assembly.

Reception and Nursery have sent out an email with their sports day information.

SPORTS NEWS

Year 6 Parents - Fun Run

This year the #INSPIRE Gateshead Primary Schools Fun Run will be supporting The Sir Bobby Robson Foundation!

Sir Bobby Robson launched his Foundation to help find more effective ways to detect and treat cancer, after a request for help from his oncologist Professor Ruth Plummer. She was treating Sir Bobby as he faced cancer for the fifth and what he knew would be the final time. She needed to raise £500,000 to equip a new cancer drug trials centre at the Northern Centre for Cancer Care in Newcastle upon Tyne and asked him if he knew anyone who might like to donate. Sir Bobby responded by launching a charity to get the money she needed. He described it as like being at the helm of a team again. What he called his last and greatest team.

To help fundraise please donate to the link below.

<https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/gatesheadprimaryschoolsfunrun2026>

GYMNASTICS RESULTS

Last Friday 32 gymnasts represented Front Street in this year's Gateshead SSP competition! 🌟

Take a look at our results;

- 🥇 Year 3/4 A team - gold medals and a place in the county finals
- 🥇 Year 5/6 A team - gold medals and a place in the county finals
- 🥇 OB first in open category - a place in the county finals
- 🥈 HM second in open category - a place in the county finals

Well done to our Year 2 team, Year 3/4 B team and Year 5/6 B team who also competed today against a number of different schools!



TERRIFIC TENNIS

Congratulations to our Year 3 & 4 tennis team who came third, winning bronze pin badges in today's Gateshead SSP competition.



I have a duty of care to safeguard all children.

Our Designated Safeguarding Lead is Mrs H Gladstone, Deputy - Mr Lakey, Miss Hault, Mrs O'Neill, Mrs Wilkinson, and Mrs Bolton. We have a duty of care to pass on any concerns to Children's Services.

If you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

H J Gladstone Head Teacher