

Gosford Park Primary School
One Community, Many Cultures; Growing and Learning Together

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We need your help- Collection until January 2024!



Can you help us by shopping at one of the following Tesco supermarkets?

Coventry Walsgrave CV2 2TS
Coventry Crosspt Ext CV2 2SH
Ball Hill Coventryexp CV2 4BA

We have been chosen as one of the options for customer voting for Tesco Stronger Starts. This means that if you shop in Tesco, you will be given a blue token to vote and we need you to vote for us!

We are raising money to support our new venture; OPAL (Outdoor Play and Learning) for our break and lunchtimes. If we win it would mean £1500 for school.



Please support us, shop with Tesco and vote for Gosford!

If you take a photo or selfie of you voting for Gosford we'll give each child 10 Dojos and feature on the newsletter!
Email your photo to: enquiries@gosfordpark.coventry.sch.uk

Timestable Rockstars Tournament

Each week, the classes from Year 2 to Year 6 compete in a Rockstars tournament. We'll be announcing the winning class each week in the newsletter and celebrating every Monday in assembly with 10 dojos each for the winning class in each Key Stage.

KS2 Winners: 5 Phoenix

Last Week's

Weekly Attendance:

Each week we'll celebrate the 3 classes with the highest attendance.

1st: Baginton 99%(5 Dojos)

2nd: Memorial and Cash
98%(3 Dojo each)

Housepoints

This week's winner: **East**



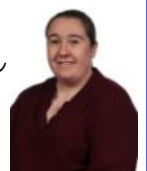
Last year's winner: **West**

Dinner Time Discussions:

Miss Whyte's PSHE question of the week is; Why is democracy important to the UK and Gosford Park?

Our theme for next week is; Democracy

The children will be reflecting on this in class and you may want to talk about this at home!



World Mental Health Day

Self-Care & Mental Health for Kids



Share your own feelings to encourage self-awareness.



Find social groups that help them feel like they belong.



Focus on articulating feelings.
"I am angry."
"I am sad."

Set aside time for low-stress or solo activities.



Practice self-care for yourself to set the standard.

Encourage journaling and diaries.

Encourage your child to focus on the moment.



Establish a self-care routine.

Recognize toxic stress events.

BlessingManifesting

Cultivate interests and hobbies.

10 October is World
Mental Health Day



Class Dojo

We love using Class Dojo in school. Please be mindful that as well as teaching the children during the day and setting, responding to or acknowledging home learning on Dojo, our teachers actually only have an hour of directed time to spend on this a week.

Teachers will respond to messages as quickly as is possible and always within 48 hours (or two working days), but sometimes, if you can ask in person it may be a faster response!



ClassDojo

Children in Need 17th November 2023

BBC Children in Need is back this year on Friday 17th November 2023. To celebrate the end of Anti Bullying Week and Children in Need we are inviting the children to wear something that will make your whole school brighter. This could be a bright colour, something that makes us smile or something Pudsey themed.

This will be for a suggested donation of 50p.



Food Bank Collections

We are collecting in date tinned food, jam, squash or packets of dried pasta or noodles for the Coventry Food Bank.

Please send these in to our collection in the Office entrance area, we will be collecting for the next 2 weeks, until Friday 13th October.



Celebrations to be proud of outside of school

Louis (1 - Humber) has played his first game with Pinley Rugby FC's under-7 team at the weekend just gone. They didn't win, but put in a great show considering that the team was a mixture of 5, 6 and 7 year olds, and their first-ever fixture against a team that seemed very confident and experienced (Nuneaton Old Eds). Louis even managed to score a try!

Louis has been playing Rugby after doing the Rubgytots programme for under-5s since 2020.



Well done, Louis, you are very talented!



Kayla (3- Westwood) has received a medal for taking part in the library's reading challenge over the summer. Kayla looks very proud wearing her medal.

We are proud of you, Kayla!

If your child has competed or taken part in an activity outside of school and you'd like this shared on the newsletter please email enquiries@gosfordpark.coventry.sch.uk and let us know!

Be careful on site on wheels!

It's great that so many children scoot and ride to school on their bikes. However, when the path is busy this can be really dangerous. Please remind the children to be aware of the rest of our community when they are riding.



Gosford's Greatest Grown Up

Each week staff nominate someone (or occasionally a few people) who have gone over and above for our Gosford Park Community.

This week's Gosford Greatest Grown up is;

Miss Teahan in reception! For being an amazing phase leader and supportive friend and colleague to all.



Summer 2023

Week 3

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Red ▲	Salmon Fishcake	Beef Bolognese	Roast Turkey	BBQ Chicken Wrap	Fish Fingers
Green v	Vegetable Frittata	Vegetable Bolognese	Vegetable Sausage	Quorn BBQ Wrap	Vegetable Nuggets
Brown	Jacket Potato with either cheese and/or baked beans and/or tuna.				
Silver	Either hot plain pasta, hot cheese & tomato pasta, or hot tomato pasta v				
	Homemade bread, salad, yoghurt, fresh fruit				

****Please pre-order with your child on the school gateway app****



Open Mornings



For Year 6's and their parents/ carers

Various dates

www.bluecoatschool.com/about-us/blue-coat-theatre/
or scan the QR code
to book your place.



Blue Coat CofE School, Terry Road, Coventry, CV1 2BA
www.bluecoatschool.com



Upcoming Leadership Opportunities Across School:

Year 1-6 Primary Leader Elections– speeches in front of class:
17th October

KS2 EcoTeam elections: During national recycling week 16.10.23–
speeches in front of class: 17th October

Year 6 Head Pupil Elections: 6th November– speeches submitted
to teachers by 23rd October

Year 5 and 6 Play Leaders– no election needed– application pro-
cess– Mrs Graham will run this as a lunchtime club.

Junior Librarians– no election needed– this will be a voluntary
position during lunchtimes– run by Miss Charlton.

Digital Leaders: no election needed– this will be a voluntary po-
sition during lunchtimes– run by Mr Adams .

Gosford's Greatest

Reception Memorial: Shagi and Christine

Reception Swanswell: Izabela and Shannah

1 Humber: Osman and Aya

1 Jaguar: Advika and Ezekiel

2 Whittle: Elfie and Aurora

2 Cash's: Saanwiya and Alexandra

3 Westwood: Thinuli and Pavel

3 Baginton: Jan and Amelia

4 Coffantre: Layla and Cyrus

4 Sherbourne: Darius and Noami

5 Phoenix: Kladji and George

5 Dunlop: Brendon and Arushne

6 Whitefriars: Asia and Ehan

6 Greyfriars: Thanushree and Ark

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One Community, Many Cultures Day

With 'One Community, Many Cultures day' not far away we would like you to help us celebrate. We would love to hear from parents/ carers who would like to share some of their own culture with our school on the 26th October. This could be showing/teaching children some dancing, sharing stories from your own culture, playing musical instruments, showing cultural dress or art etc.

If you are able to spare a little time it would be greatly appreciated by both staff and children. Please contact equiries@gosfordpark.coventry.sch.uk with the subject "Many Cultures Day" if you able to help in any way before the 20th October.



Dates For Your Diary

October 2023

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
9 Black History Month	10 World Mental Health Day Year 6 Swimming	11 World Space Week	12	13
16 Recycling Week	17 Recycling Week Year 6 Swimming Primary Leadership Elections Yr1-5 Year 6 shortlisting Head Pupil (6 candidates) Eco Team Elections Yr3,4,5 and 6	18 Recycling Week	19 Recycling Week	20 Recycling Week
23	23 Year 6 Swimming Head Pupil shortlist (Yr6) to submit	25	26 One Community, Many Cultures Day	27 Teacher Training Day- Closed
30 Half Term- School Closed	31 Half Term- School Closed	1 Half Term- School Closed	2 Half Term- School Closed	3 Half Term- School Closed

November 2023:

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
6 Head Pupil Elections	7 Year 6 Swimming	8	9	10
13 Anti Bullying Week	14 Anti Bullying Week Year 6 Swimming	15 Anti Bullying Week	16 Anti Bullying Week	17 Anti Bullying Week Children in need 50p Dress Up
20 Road Safety Week	21 Road Safety Week Year 6 Swimming	22 Road Safety Week	23 Road Safety Week	24 Road Safety Week

Teacher Training Days 2023-24- School will be closed for children

Friday October 27th 2023, Monday April 8th 2024, Monday June 3rd 2024, Friday July 19th

2024