

Godwin Newsletter - 7th June 2024

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Head Teacher's Message

Important Dates

Thursday 13th June

Cake sale after school

Friday 14th June

Freeze Pop Friday

Friday 21st June

The Great Godwin Get Together

Monday 24th June

Class photographs taken

Wednesday 26th/Thursday 27th June

Poetry Slam - Year Group Heats

Friday 28th June

Poetry Slam-Whole School Final

Wednesday 10th July

Year 6 Sports Day (a.m.) Year 4 Sports Day (p.m.)

Thursday 11th July

Year 5 Sports Day (a.m.) Year 3 Sports Day (p.m.) Well done to our Year 6 pupils for creating such a fantastic Enterprise Event this afternoon. The children have demonstrated the Learning Powers throughout their preparation - collaborating to canvas opinion to determine what products would be popular, evaluating how they could maximise profit, explaining their reasoning to the others in their group, considering the choices available and how they could market their goods and services. It is always one of the highlights of the children's time at Godwin and we know from the number of former pupils who attend each year that they remember it for a long time.

Thank you to all of the parents and carers for their support and to our Year 6 team for their making this happen.

Best wishes for the weekend.

FREEZE POP FRIDAYS

AFTER SCHOOL IN THE PLAYGROUND







10TH, 17TH, 24TH OF MAY **14TH OF JUNE**

FUNDS RAISED WILL BE USED TOWARDS A PLAYGROUND CLIMBING WALL

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THURSDAY 13TH JUNE

AFTER SCHOOL IN THE PLAYGROUND

FUNDS RAISED WILL BE USED TOWARDS YEAR 6 LEAVERS T-SHIRTS

PLEASE DONATE BAKED/SHOP BOUGHT ITEMS. NO NUTS/SESAME. PLEASE LABEL INGREDIENTS AND CONTAINERS





DONATIONS

We have a stall at the Forest Gate Festival on 6th July! We aim to sell new and used toys* and books. If you have any to donate then please drop them to school. Funds will go towards the playground traverse climbing wall!

^{*} please ensure toys are complete, unbroken and in working order (with batteries if required)





| Gate Library Class Visits | | | | |
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| 3K | Monday 3 rd June | | | |
| 3J | Tuesday 4 th June | | | |
| 3Z | Thursday 20 th June | | | |
| 3Y | Friday 21 st June | | | |
| 41 | Tuesday 11 th June | | | |
| 4K | Monday 17 th June | | | |
| 4B | Wednesday 19 th June | | | |
| 50 | Wednesday 3 rd July | | | |
| 5V | Friday 5 th July | | | |
| 5T | Monday 8 th July | | | |
| 6K | Monday 17 th June | | | |
| 6M | Friday 21 st June | | | |
| 6W | Wednesday 26 th June | | | |

Join in on the Marvellous Makers Summer Reading Challenge at your local Newham Library.

Read and review just six library books and you'll get your own certificate. You can help our school win amazing prizes too, just by taking part!

If you already have a library card, bring it in on the day of your class library visit.



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Our projects

Find out how £200,000 is making a difference in Forest Gate & Maryland.

Meet the local projects you voted for and find out what they have been doing so far. Ask questions, make connections and get involved.



Just turn up on the day or scan the QR code to let us know you're coming and find out more information.

Thursday 20 June, 6-8pm

The Gate Library, 2-6 Woodgrange Road, E7 0QH

Light refreshments provided.

newham.gov.uk/ourprojects

If you're unable to attend, there will be time to drop in online to ask your questions.

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ChessFest returns - 7th July



CSC
Chess in Schools and

Communities

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There are fewer than 6 weeks to go until ChessFest 2024, the annual chess extravaganza in Trafalgar Square, London. On Sunday 7th July 2024, 11am-6pm, CSC are taking over the whole square for a day of free, family-friendly chess activities, including:

- Free chess lessons from a CSC tutor
- Simultaneous displays by the top Grandmasters in the country
- Giant chess sets
- Speed chess galore in the Challenge the Chess Master tent
- Living chess with actors, replaying famous games of chess on a giant board
- Puzzle-rush: pit your wits against fiendish chess puzzles on ChessKid.

This year's ChessFest theme is Alice Through The Looking Glass. Will the Red Queen triumph over the White King on the living chess board? Will the March Hare overcome Tweedledum and Tweedledee? Head on down to find out.

EMBRACE SPACE: ARTS & WELLBEING

DISABILITY FRIENDLY WORKSHOPS

5-10 YEARS & PARENT / CARER

Join us for

Inclusive Rhythms: Dance, Art, & Community

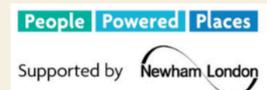
a monthly dance and art workshop for SEN and/or disabled children and their parent or carer. Come and explore movement range, creativity, and connection in a safe and supported environment.

2ND SATURDAY OF THE MONTH JUNE - DECEMBER 2024 THE GATE LIBRARY FOREST GATE, E7

Limited spaces book via Eventbrite QR code or contact email



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Whole-Class Attendance

| CLASS | ATTENDANCE |
|-------|------------|
| 3K | 100% |
| 3Z | 99% |
| 3Y | 94% |
| 3J | 96% |
| 4K | 95% |
| 4B | 93% |
| 41 | 93% |

| CLASS | ATTENDANCE |
|---------|------------|
| 5V | 90% |
| 50 | 99% |
| 5T | 93% |
| 6W | 97% |
| 6K | 91% |
| 6M | 86% |
| average | 94% |

for the week
beginning
Monday 20th
May



Whole school attendance for the entire academic year is currently 94.2%.

This is still below our target of 96%. Please help us to meet this important target by ensuring your child attends every day.

Attendance Cup

Congratulations to 3K for 100% attendance last week. Fantastic!



Punctuality Cup

3Y, 5O and 6K won the cup this week as they were all on time each day.



Times Table Rock Stars

4B and 6W take the trophies this week. Keep it up!



<u>Lining Up Cup</u>

This week's winners are 3Z and 6W.





Article of the Week





World Environment Day is celebrated every June 5th, highlighting the link between children's rights and environmental issues, particularly VNCRC Articles 6 and 24. This year, Saudi Arabia focuses on combating desertification, land restoration and drought resilience, which are crucial for global ecosystems and human health.

Article 6 emphasises every child's right to a healthy environment, which is crucial for development. Article 24 advocates for clean water and air, which are essential for preventing diseases and ensuring well-being.

Sustainable environmental practices are vital in upholding these rights, demonstrating the connection between ecological health and children's rights. By promoting environmental stewardship, we protect our planet and ensure the future well-being of the next generation. Let's champion environmental sustainability to respect and fulfil children's rights globally.



Mindfulness Corner

Every Friday we will highlight a different group or organisation with resources for mental health and wellbeing. (We are not endorsing any particular site nor are we ambassadors for it - we are simply providing pointers towards sites that might be interesting/helpful).



This week we feature mental health support from Mind: http://www.mind.org.uk

"If you feel good about who you are, it will radiate."

- Patti Smith



Achievement Awards

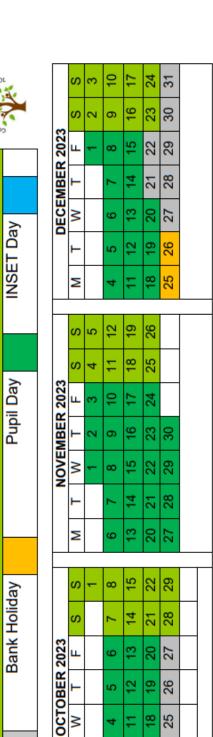
- 3Y Noah: for persevering and evaluating his work
- 3] Alice: for choosing to continue learning all the times table facts
- 3K Fenley: for making good choices and persevering with his behaviour this week
- 3Z Milou: for always persevering with her learning
- 4I Yahya: for always persevering with his learning and trying his best
- 4B Elias: for persevering in all his learning this week and being a positive role model
- 4K Harris: for working collaboratively with his learning partner
- 50 Abdullah: for excellent collaboration during our poetry work
- 5V Charlotte: for persevering and being patient and collaborative with others
- 5T Shahriyar: for making excellent choices in class
- 6W Matthew: for persevering to improve his writing
- 6K Eiliyah: for excellent perseverance in writing
- 6M Iggy: for evaluating his writing and making it even better





Godwin Junior School 2023-24

School Holiday



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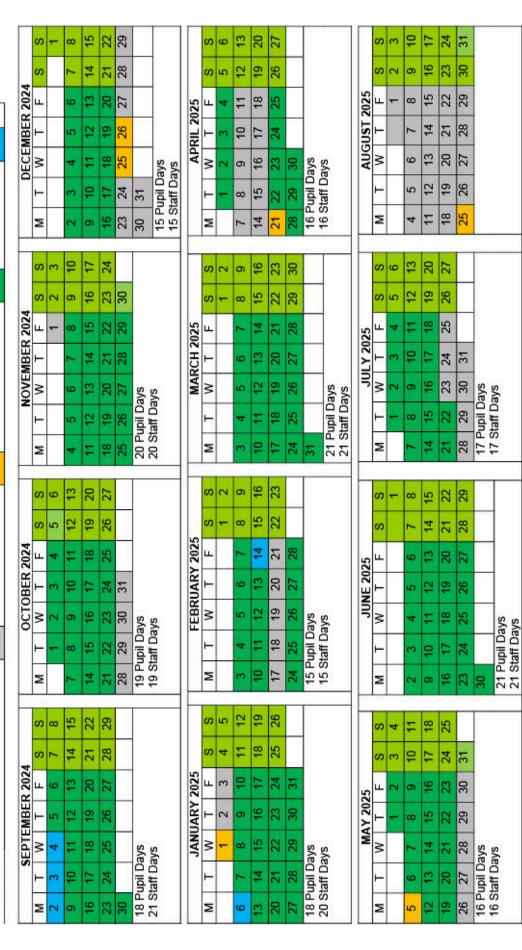
Godwin Junior School 2024-25

Bank Holiday

School Holiday

Pupil Day

INSET Day



Autumn Term: Total

75 Staff Days 60 Staff Days 60 Staff Days 195 Staff Days 72 Pupil Days 58 Pupil Days 60 Pupil Days 190 Pupil Days

Spring Term: Summer Term:

Grand Total: