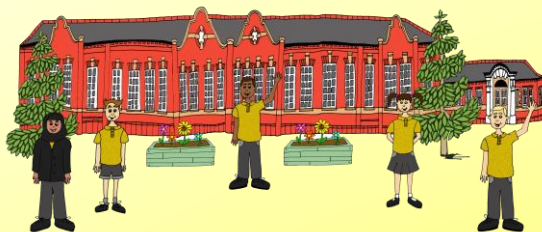


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Exciting Learning at Gorse Hill

Here are some of the highlights of what children have been learning this week. Please check class blogs for more updates-

Nursery- Children have been reading the story, 'Owl Babies' and learning all about nocturnal animals.

Reception- Children have been spending time in our space rocket that we have made to inspire our space stories.

Year 1- Pupils have been writing descriptive sentences about Autumn, getting ready to start writing our Autumnal stories.

Year 2- This week in science, children have been learning about the people and culture of Kenya.

Year 3- This week, pupils have been learning about different settlements and have used their new knowledge to design and make different settlements.

Year 4- Children have been learning to write an explanation text and have a new heroine, 'Boudicca'.

Year 5- This week, pupils have presented our fantastic space projects to the class and learning even more about space and planets.

Year 6- As well as working very hard on our maths and reading assessments; pupils have been adding and subtracting fractions with various denominators.

Well done Gorse Hill!

Read all about our exciting sports news on the back page!



Staff Changes

Miss Walsh will be sadly leaving us in December to teach in a hotter climate (Dubai)! We'd like to thank her for all her hard work during her time at Gorse Hill Primary.

Miss Baker has been employed to teach Reception in January 2018 and Mrs Harrison has been appointed to teach Nursery during Mrs Langley's maternity leave.





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Attendance Awards w/e



Punctuality w/e



79 late arrivals in one week! Please ensure that your children arrive into school on time.

Sports News

At the recent Trafford School Sports we were awarded Best School in Inter School Sports. This was because we had more children than any other school in Trafford representing us in School Sports last year. We had 54 teams in 19 different sports!

Next week we have teams at the Basketball Finals at Manor High and the Cross Country Festival at Stretford Grammar. We are also looking for children for our Infant and Junior gymnastics teams.

Next half term as well as all of our current Sports Clubs continuing we will be adding two more. On Tuesdays is the Road to Tokyo Olympics club for Year 3 children on Tuesdays delivered by TUF:C. On Wednesdays will be Infant Multi Sports delivered by Champion Education. As usual all of these clubs will be free, to help us keep clubs free please donate any Trainers your children have grown out of as we spend a lot on spares!

Dates for your Diary

November

30th- Y4- to Z-arts with linking school
28th- Nasal flu vaccinations (Y1-Y3)

December

1st- Decoration Day
1st- Non- uniform day- donations of chocolates or sweets.
6th- RE Day- focus on the Christmas story
7th- EYFS Xmas play 9:30am
8th EYFS Xmas play 9:30am
8th Non-uniform- bottle donation
8th Winter Fair- 3:15pm
12th-Xmas dinner
13th- KS1 Xmas play 9:30am
14th- KS1 Xmas play 9:30am
15th- EYFS party am
15th- Y3/Y4 Xmas play 9:30
18th- KS1 pantomime trip
18th Y5/Y6 Singing concert
19th- KS2- cinema trip
19th EYFS Reindeer farm trip
20th- School closes at 2pm

