



Greasby Junior School

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Care, Courtesy and Consideration

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Merit of the Week



Year 3: Caoimhe C & Teddy B
Year 4: Amelia J & Lowen T
Year 5: Logan K-P & Isaac F
Year 6: Isaac H & Abigail F

Attendance



Year 3: 96.2%
Year 4: 95.9%
Year 5: 95.2%
Year 6: 93.4%
Whole School: 95.1%

Values Awards

Year 3: Noah W
Year 4: Nova B
Year 5: Safah H
Year 6: Joseph T



Golden Table Awards



Year 3: Emily L
Year 4: Orson T
Year 5: Betsy B
Year 6: Bobby W

What's on at school next week?

(Week beginning 19th January)

Monday: Homework Club (12:00pm)
Middle Recorder Club (12:30pm)
Spaghetti Maths Club (3:35pm)

Thursday: Koala parent coffee morning 9:00am-10am (see more info at the end of the newsletter)
Homework Club (12:00pm)

Tuesday: Homework Club (12:00pm)
Craft Club (12:30pm)
Indoor Athletics Club (12:30pm)
Time Out Tuesday (12:30pm)

Year 5&6 Judo Club (12:20pm)
Football (12:30pm)
Drawing & Colouring Club (12:30pm)
Chess Club (3:35pm)

Wednesday: Homework Club (12:00pm)
Golden Table (12:00pm)
Choir (12:30pm)

Friday: School Council (12:30pm)
Year 6 Netball (12:30pm)
Film Friday (12:30pm)



In the classrooms this week:

- Year 3 have begun their new Art unit this week and are beginning to practise techniques that will help them in their upcoming 3D artwork. We can't wait to see the finished pieces!
- Year 4 have been working so hard on their gymnastics unit in PE! Just this afternoon they have been tackling the very tricky backwards roll with determination and perseverance! Year 4 also have their upcoming swimming lessons to look forward to which will be taking place for 4JR w/c 26.1.26 and for 4SB w/c 2.2.26. More information will follow next week.
- Year 5 have been working hard building up to writing a biography of Chris Hadfield in their Literacy lessons. They have been practising biography skills and gathering information about a range of astronauts. We can't wait to read the finished pieces!
- In Music, Year 6 have been learning about music and composers from the Baroque period. They have been learning to play the first part in Pachelbel's Canon.

Attendance Update

We've noticed that attendance at Greasby Junior School is a little lower than usual at the moment, and we're aiming to keep our attendance above 97% to give every pupil the best chance to thrive. We completely understand that coughs and colds are common this time of year, and we want to support families as much as possible. To help your child stay in school, we can administer medicines like Calpol when needed, so they feel comfortable and ready to learn. Missing even a few days each term can make it harder for pupils to keep up with their learning, so regular attendance really does make a big difference. We're here to work with you to support your child's attendance and wellbeing, so please don't hesitate to get in touch if you need any advice or support.



Menu – Week 1

MENU WEEK 1		SERVED W/C:			THE FOOD EXPLORERS	
		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
MAIN MEAL	OPTION 1	Chesse & Bean Lasagne	Margherita Pizza & Wedges	Lentil & Stuffing Party Roll	Bolognese with Penne Pasta	Vegetable Nuggets & Chips
	OPTION 2	Ham & Cheese Pasta	Traditional Creamy Beef Lasagne	Roast Gammon & Gravy	Sweet & Sour Chicken with Rice	MSC Approved Fish Fingers & Chips
VEGGIES	Cannell & Peas	Broccoli	Roasted Potatoes Carrots & Parsnips	Peas	Beans	
FILLED ROLLS	Ham, Cheese	Chicken Egg	Ham, Cheese	Tuna Mayo Ham, Cheese	Egg, Cheese	
AVAILABLE EVERY DAY Our crunchy colourful salad & jacket potatoes with cheese, beans, tuna mayo or cheese and beans						
SWEET TREATS	Blackberry Cookie Bar	Chocolate & Banana Brownie	Strawberry Yoghurt & Strawberry Sauce	Apple & Cacao Sponge	Raspberry Jelly	
Desserts available every day – a choice of jelly, fruit or yoghurt						
KEY Vegetarian Vegan Added Wholewheat						



GJS EXTRA-CURRICULAR TIMETABLE – SPRING 1

<u>MONDAY</u>			
<u>Club</u>	<u>Where?</u>	<u>When?</u>	<u>Who?</u>
Homework Club	Lower ICT	12pm	Mrs Walker
Middle Recorders	6P	12.30pm	Miss Price
Spaghetti Maths	Upper ICT	3.35pm	Kate Yates
<u>TUESDAY</u>			
<u>Club</u>	<u>Where?</u>	<u>When?</u>	<u>Who?</u>
Coding Club	ICT	8am	Coding Warrington
Homework Club	Lower ICT	12pm	Mrs Walker
Craft Club	4JR	12.30pm	Mrs Wetherall
Indoor Athletics	Hall	12.30pm	Mr Owen
Time Out Tuesday	Miss Walker's Room	12.30pm	Mrs Mullineux-Clay
<u>WEDNESDAY</u>			
<u>Club</u>	<u>Where?</u>	<u>When?</u>	<u>Who?</u>
Y5/6 Homework Club	Lower ICT	12pm	Mrs Walker
Choir	Hall	12.30pm	Miss Brown/Miss Price
<u>THURSDAY</u>			
<u>Club</u>	<u>Where?</u>	<u>When?</u>	<u>Who?</u>
Y3/4 Homework Club	Lower ICT	12pm	Mrs Walker
Drawing and Colouring	3MC	12.30pm	Mrs McIlveen
Judo	Hall	12.20pm	Chris
Chess	Upper ICT	3.35pm	Mr Battersby
<u>FRIDAY</u>			
<u>Club</u>	<u>Where?</u>	<u>When?</u>	<u>Who?</u>
Film Friday	Miss Walker's Room	12.30pm	Mrs Swift
School Council	4JR	12.30pm	Miss Roberts
Y6 Netball	Playground	12.30pm	Mrs Allport

IRBY CC WOMEN'S TRAINING



NEW PLAYERS

WANTED - COME AND

TRY IT OUT!

COME ALONG, MEET NEW PEOPLE,
GET ACTIVE, AND PLAY CRICKET WITH
INTERESTED IN JOINING US?

THE VALKYRIES

EMAIL: IRBYLADIES@IRBYCRICKETCLUB.COM

COFFEE MORNING FOR PARENTS!

WITH SEND AND SLEEP PRACTITIONER LAURA ELLIS FROM KOALA NORTH WEST



KOALA
North West
Supporting children & their families



TEA & COFFEE PROVIDED

Does your child/children experience challenges with falling asleep/staying asleep? Is this impacting your life?



What we can do for you...

Feel free to come along to our coffee morning and have a chat with Laura and see how her and the Koala North West team can empower you with the skills and tools to help your child; whether you need sleep support, SEND advice, or just a listening ear.

JOIN US!



Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,



Mrs Lucy Swift, Deputy Headteacher

INSET Days

~~Monday 1st September~~

~~Friday 24th October~~

~~Monday 5th January~~

~~Friday 13th February~~

~~Monday 20th July~~

