

Gawthorpe Community Academy NEWSLETTER



A word from Mrs Berry, Mrs Davies, Miss Darby & Mr Stephenson

What a wonderful, action-packed week we have shared here at school! We are incredibly proud of our KS2 girls' football team, who secured a fantastic victory against Towngate on Wednesday. Beyond the impressive scoreline, the girls truly shone by demonstrating outstanding resilience, utmost respect to their opponents and a brilliant sense of teamwork throughout the match. Looking ahead, the excitement continues as we look forward to hosting another football game in the upcoming weeks, this time featuring our KS2 boys' team. Thank you for your continued support and we wish everyone a lovely, restful weekend!



Wellbeing Weekly

As a school, we strive for excellence in every area, including academic success. Assessments can, however, cause some children to feel varying levels of anxiety. The Child Mind Institute has some fabulous top tips on supporting your children through these assessment windows, enabling them to feel as calm, relaxed and confident as possible. Please see the link below for further information.

<https://childmind.org/article/tips-for-beating-test-anxiety/>

Important Reminders

With the warmer weather, can we please remind all parents/carers the importance of sending their child into school with a water bottle each day.

Our Summer Fayre is taking place on the 15th of July. If you have any raffle prizes you are able to donate, we would gratefully receive these! Please hand them into the school office.

Attendance Update

Well done to **Year Reception** who are our attendance champions this week. As a school, we strive to **ensure our weekly attendance is at least 97%** and your continued support is vital.

Reception	98.62%
Year 1	97.31%
Year 2	97.93%
Year 3	92.33%
Year 4	96.21%
Year 5	96.07%
Year 6	97.00%
Whole School	96.31%

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Dates for your diary

Date	Event	Year Group
09.07.26	End of Year Disco	Year 6
13.07.26	Transition Morning 9am-12pm	Nursery
15.07.26	Transition Morning 9am-12pm	Reception to Year 5
15.07.26	Summer Fair	Whole School
16.07.26	Transition Morning 9am - 12pm	Reception to Year 5
17.07.26	End of Year Performance	Year 6
20.07.26 - 22.07.26	Residential	Year 6
24.07.26	Sports Day 11am-12pm	Nursery
24.07.26	EYFS Picnic 12pm-1pm	Reception and Nursery
24.07.26	Celebration Afternoon	Year 6 Families
24.07.26	Break-Up for Summer	Whole School
01.09.26	Inset Day	Whole School
02.09.26	School Open	Whole School

Star Awards

Reception	Oluwamayowa & Penelope-Blu
Year 1	Neve & Huzaiifa
Year 2	Casey & Lia
Year 3	Raheem & Bella
Year 4	Luke & Toby
Year 5	Zach & Isla
Year 6	George & Maci

Class Spotlight

Our Year 5 children this week had a wonderful forest schools session, where they took part in role play activities based on our class text 'Holes', climbed trees and ladders and were creative with natural materials in our environment.

Club Spotlight

A shout out to our weekly Book Club, where we would love more children to join! Each week we explore our library, read books together and leave reviews. If you would like your child to join please let the office know as we have plenty of spaces!



HOLIDAY CLUB

FUN,
FRIENDS &
AMAZING
MEMORIES!

A SUMMER OF
FUN, ADVENTURE
& CREATIVITY!

AT TOWNGATE
PRIMARY ACADEMY

27TH JULY – 28TH AUGUST 2026

EXCITING THEME DAYS INCLUDING:

I'M A
CELEBRITY
GET ME OUT
OF HERE!



THE GREAT
BAKE OFF



SPA
DAY



ANIMAL
THEMED DAY



CARNIVAL
PARTY DAY



WILD
WEST DAY



FORCES
DAY



...AND
MUCH
MORE!

THERE WILL BE **5 TRIP DAYS!**

THESE INCLUDE TRIPS TO:

THE CINEMA • BRADFORD MEDIA MUSEUM • NOSTELL PRIORY
BAGSHAW MUSEUM & BATLEY PARK • THE HEPWORTH IN THORNES PARK

PRICING

FULL DAY
7.30 – 6.00

£30

HALF DAY
MORNING
7.30 – 12.30

£15

HALF DAY
AFTERNOON
1.00PM – 6.00PM

£15

PART DAY
9.00 – 3.00

£18

ALL CHILDREN WELCOME!
LOTS OF FUN FOR
ALL AGES!

BOOK NOW TO SECURE
YOUR CHILD'S PLACE!

SPACES ARE
LIMITED!