

George Washington Primary School

Friday Newsletter

6th June 2025



Dear Parents and Carers,

Attendance Well done to Miss Forster's class in KS1 and Miss Lawson's class in KS2 for their top attendances this week in school. Our overall attendance for the week was 94.9% which means the year-to-date attendance figure is 94.4%.

EYFS & KS1

RLM	RSS	1NM	1MS	2AK	2BG
91.7%	95.5%	96.2%	95.7%	91.1%	94.7%

KS2

3CL	3AW	4AL	4KH	5JP	5RA	6EA	6GW
93.9%	90%	97.1%	91.4%	93.1%	95.2%	98.6%	97.9%

France 2025 Our Y6 children who have been on residential to Normandy this week are currently on their way home. They have had an amazing time visiting a French primary school, exploring the museums and battlefields of the Somme region and had a day touring the beautiful city of Rouen. In-between these fabulous excursions, there was bread making, games of Tug of War and snail tasting amongst many other activities. Everyone has made the most of this brilliant experience but will be glad of a good night's sleep this weekend (staff included).



Football Our year 5 football team brought an amazing season to a close yesterday by finishing in second place against 11 other teams from across Washington. The team won 3 games, drew two and lost only one game which was the final. The team put in a fantastic effort with no substitutes. We are immensely proud of all the members of our football team and a special shout out to Jessica and Robbie for some amazing goals throughout. Well Done!





Business Opportunity Our fabulous summer fayre is fast approaching, and we are looking forward to welcoming our local businesses back into school. The fayre begins at 2pm on the 9th of July, and stalls will cost £20 per business. Not only is this a great chance to give your business some exposure at our busy event, but any funds raised go directly into providing opportunities for our pupils. For more information, please see Miss Lawson or Miss Hussain at their year 4 classroom doors. Alternatively, you can contact the school office.

Reception September New Starters We have the first of our new parent meetings taking place next Thursday 12th June at 5.00pm in our school hall. This will be an opportunity for new parents to meet key school staff and for us to share some important information about the induction process for your child beginning school. We look forward to seeing many new parents next week.

Please note there will be another opportunity to attend the same meeting the following week on Tuesday 17th June at 5.00pm. You are only required to attend one of the meetings. Children do not need to attend the parent meetings as there will be a separate opportunity for children to come along to stay and play sessions in school at a later date.

Break the Rules Day We are so excited to announce George Washington's first 'Break the Rules' day on Friday the 20th June! Children will have the opportunity to break the rules, but there's a catch! For each rule broken, children must bring in a bottle or a bar of chocolate to pay the sanction. The charges from the rulebreakers will be put to good use in our summer fayre bottle and chocolate tombola! Our detective teachers will be putting their sharp eyes to good use to fine any rascals with the penalties below.

Rules to be broken	Fine (per rule)
NO crazy styled hair	1 bottle/ chocolate
NO wearing non-uniform (including fancy dress!)	1 bottles/ chocolate
NO makeup or temporary tattoos	1 bottle/ chocolate
NO juice in water bottles	1 bottle/ chocolate
NO doing all of the above	2 bottles/ chocolates



Summer Term Key Dates 2025

Date	Event	Year Group
09.06.25	Phonics Check Week	Year 1
09.06.25	Assessment Week for Rec-Y5 (2-week period)	Rec-Y5
30.06.25	Staff Training Day – School Closed to Pupils	Staff Only
03.07.25	Year 1/2 Sports Day – 9:15am	Year 1 and 2
03.07.25	Reception Sports Day - 2:15pm	Reception
04.07.25	Year 5/6 Sports Day – 9:15am	Year 5 and 6
04.07.25	Year 3/4 Sports Day - 2:00pm	Year 3 and 4
09.07.25	Summer Fayre – 2pm	Whole School
12.07.25	New reception intake parent meeting - 5pm	
17.07.25	New reception intake parent meeting - 5pm	
17.07.25	Year 6 Leavers' Performance – 2pm	Year 6
18.07.25	Year 6 Leavers' Performance – 9.30am	Year 6
18.07.25	Reports Home to Parents	Whole School
23.07.25	SUMMER HOLIDAYS – SCHOOL CLOSED	Whole School

Have a lovely weekend everyone!

Mrs K. Martin

Assistant Head



Forest School Dates

Date	Class
Monday 9 th June	5JP and 5RA
Tuesday 10 th June	3AW
Wednesday 11 th June	4AL
Thursday 12 th June	RSS 2AK
Friday 13 th June	1NM 6EA

Date	Class
Monday 16 th June	5RA
Tuesday 17 th June	3CL
Wednesday 18 th June	4KH
Thursday 19 th June	RSLM 2BG
Friday 20 th June	1MS 6GW

PE and Swimming - A timetable for PE and swimming is listed below. On their PE days, children should come into school in PE kit for the full day. School PE kit is a white T-shirt with dark coloured shorts or trousers. Football kits or similar clothing should not be worn.

Year Group	PE Day	Swimming Day
Reception	Wednesday	
Year 1	Monday	
Year 2	Friday	
Year 3	Friday	
Year 4	Thursday	Tuesday - 4AL Friday - 4KH
Year 5	Tuesday	Wednesday – 5JP Thursday – 5RA
Year 6	Monday	



Achievers of the Week & House Points



Year Group	Class	Achievers of the Week
Reception	RLM	Jacob Walton
	RSS	Theo English-Cowper
Year 1	1MS	Tiana Mansell-Render
	1NM	Luca Finn
Year 2	2AK	Kunmi Kolawole
	2BG	Quinn Armstrong
Year 3	3AW	Victoria Nesbitt
	3CL	Lucie Ridley
Year 4	4AL	Autumn
	4KH	Katie Quilt
Year 5	5RA	Alysse Mustoe
	5JP	Eva Reay

House Points



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