George Washington Primary School

Friday Newsletter

16th May 2025



Dear Parents and Carers,

Y6 SATs A massive well done to all our Y6 children who have worked superbly this week completing their SATs in reading, maths, and spelling, punctuation and grammar. They were an absolute credit to themselves and were able to show what they could do due to their hard work throughout the year.

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

EYFS & KS1

RLM	RSS	1NM	1MS	2AK	2BG
92.1%	98.4%	96.3%	82.1%	91.5%	91.3%

please speak to Miss Lawson or Miss Hussain.

KS2

3CL	3AW	4AL	4KH	5JP	5RA	6EA	6GW
96.4%	96.3%	92.2%	82.8%	98.1%	94.6%	100%	99.6%

Y6 France Residential Drop-in meetings will take place from 3:30pm until 6pm on Monday 19th May and Thursday 22nd May – you do not need to stay the whole time, please just drop in at a time that is convenient for you. You only need to attend one of these meetings, where you should drop off your child's passport, GHIC and any medications they need to bring on the trip. This is also a chance to ask any last-minute questions that you may have. You will also be able to collect your child's hoody from us. Please ensure that you have downloaded Class Dojo, joined our 'class' and have your notifications turned on, as this is where our communication will be from through the holidays and on the trip.

School drop offs and collection A reminder that all children in Y4 and below should be dropped off and collected from their classroom doors by an adult. There have been a rising number of incidents where children have been sent on to the yard without an adult at the start of the school day, and this is not our procedure. This is to help us to ensure that your children are kept safe.

Year 4 MTC The year 4 multiplication check (MTC) window opens on Monday the 2nd of June and runs until Friday the 20th of June. Over the next three weeks, please support us by using any spare time at home to test your child's times table knowledge. Firing questions at them during car rides, walking to school or even while they eat their tea can really improve their speed and confidence. Additionally, all children have a Times Tables Rockstars login where they can fine tune their speed and performance.

If you have any questions regarding supporting your child with their times tables,

Football Superstar A massive well done to Andre in Y3 who last week signed U9 academy contract with Middlesbrough Football Club. This is a massive achievement for him after all his hard work and training. We are very proud of him and wish him good luck as he pursues a career as a professional footballer.



Summer Term Key Dates 2025

Date	Event	Year Group
28.04.25	School re-opens	Whole School
12.05.25	Year 6 SATS week	Year 6
19.05.25	Year 6 France Residential drop-in meeting – 3:30pm-6.00pm	Year 6
22.05.25	Year 6 France Residential drop-in meeting – 3:30pm-6.00pm	Year 6
26.05.25	HALF-TERM – SCHOOL CLOSED	Whole School
02.06.25	School re-opens	Whole School
02.06.25	Y6 France residential	Year 6
02.06.25	Y4 Times Table Check (MTC) (2-week period)	Year 4
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
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

R. Knight

Mr R. Knight Head of School



Forest School Dates

Date	Class
Monday 19 th May	No Y5 forest school
	due to synagogue
	trip
Tuesday 20 th May	3AW
Wednesday 21 st May	4AL
Thursday 22 nd May	RSS
	2AK
Friday 23 rd May	1NM
	6EA

1st Week Back after Half Term

Date	Class
Monday 2 nd June	5RA
Tuesday 3 rd June	3CL
Wednesday 4 th June	4KH
Thursday 5 th June	RLM
	2BG
Friday 6 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	Aria Batista
	RSS	Violet Harbron
Year 1	1MS	Bella Pagram
	1NM	Wyatt McGow
Year 2	2AK	Emily King
	2BG	Oliver Naylor
Year 3	3AW	Michael Smith
	3CL	Klay Scott
Year 4	4AL	Buddy Holmes
	4KH	Noah Colledge
Year 5	5RA	Melissa Bowman
	5JP	Isabel Lansdowne
Year 6	6EA	All of 6EA for their hard work in SATs
	6GW	All of 6GW for their hard work in SATs

House Points







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