

GISBURN ROAD COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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8 TH JANUARY 2016

CELEBRATING THIS WEEK

Together we Dream it... Believe it... Achieve it!

Learning News

STARS OF THE WEEK
 Reception: Erin Jarvis
 Y1: Dainton Tennent
 Y2: Iqra Ashraf

LEARNING WARRIORS
 Y3: Harris Brierley
 Y4: Joshua Shailes
 Y5: Imaan Shoaib
 Y6: Sufian Afzal

ATTENDANCE WINNER
 Year 4 - 99.3%


WINNING TEAM FOR MERITS
 TEAMS PEGASUS,
 UNICORN & PHOENIX

WELL DONE EVERYONE!

CLUBS!

If your child has applied to join any after school clubs this term, you will be informed **by text** on Wednesday 13th January whether your child has a place in the club. Please make sure your mobile phone number is up to date on our records, thank you.

Please be aware that the **car park gates** will now be locked before and after school. This is to ensure the safety of pupils and adults on the grounds. Thank you.



Uniform Sale!

There are some embroidered jumpers and cardigans available for sale at £5 from Mary at 'Shu', as the shop is closing. Please call 07588693229 if you are interested.

Diary Dates

Tue 12th Jan
Year 5 Swimming starts

Mon 18th Jan
Clubs begin

Mon 18th Jan 6:30pm
FOGR AGM meeting in the Fountain Inn

Fri 22nd Jan 3pm
Year 2 Parents' Assembly

Tue 9th Feb 3-4pm
FOGR Pancake Day event

Fri 12th Feb 3pm
Year 1 Parents' Assembly

Fri 12th Feb
School closes for Half Term

Year 5 parents: Please could we remind you that the 2nd instalment of £50 for the **Robinwood** Residential trip is due by 31st January 2016. Thank you.

Parent Questionnaire Results!

We would like to share the results of the Parent Questionnaire which took place in November. We are very pleased with the extremely positive results, and would like to thank all parents who participated. We have received some fantastic comments, and some very useful constructive criticism, all of which is very much appreciated!

Parent Questionnaire Results	Strongly Agree	Agree	Unsure	Disagree	Strongly Disagree
My child enjoys school	75.9%	21.2%	0.7%	1.5%	0.7%
My child is encouraged to work hard and to do their best	73%	24.1%	2.9%		
My child knows how to improve their work...	53.4%	39.7%	6.9%		
I know how well my child is achieving and progressing	64.9%	31.3%	3%	0.8%	
This school makes sure children are well behaved	0.6%	21.3%	6.6%	1.5%	
My child is safe at school	77%	21.5%	1.5%		
The school understands and responds to my child's needs	70%	26.3%	3.7%		
My child enjoys a stimulating range of extra-curricular activities	63.7%	23.7%	9.6%	3%	
My child is encouraged to positively contribute to the wider community	58.5%	33.3%	8.2%		
The school communicates effectively with parents	54%	36.5%	5.8%	3.7%	
I feel this school is well led and managed	69.1%	27.2%	3.7%		
I would recommend Gisburn Road School to another family	73.5%	20.6%	5.9%		

Please see reverse for an **UPDATED** version of the 2016/2017 holiday dates, thank you.

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Dates for the School Year 2016-2017

Autumn Term 2016

Re-open on Friday 2 September

Half-term Holiday [1 week & 3 Days]

Close after school on Tuesday 25 October

Return Monday 07 November

Christmas Holiday [2 weeks & 1 Day]

Close after school Thursday 22 December

Spring Term 2017

Re-open on Monday 09 January

Half-term Holiday [1 week]

Close after school on Friday 10 February

Return Monday 20 February

Easter [2 weeks & 1 Day]

Close after school on Friday 31 March

Summer Term 2017

Re-open on Tuesday 18 April

May Day Holiday [1 day]

Close after school on Friday 28 April

Return Tuesday 02 May

Half-term Holiday [1 week]

Close after school on Friday 26 May

Return Monday 05 June

Summer Holiday

Close after school on Friday 21 July