



# Gobowen Gazette



Nurture, grow, flourish

Week Beginning 19th May 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

The national SATs tests are now complete and the Year 6 children seem pretty pleased with how they performed. They have worked hard and have been brilliantly supported by all the teachers and especially Mr. Lawson, who ensures they are as ready as they can be for the tests. I would also like to report how appreciative the Year 6 children were of the cooked breakfast provided for them each morning before their test. All of the children were very grateful to Sandra, our cook, for providing them with a delicious breakfast.

The weather has been glorious this week and the children across the school have enjoyed spending more time outside learning. We are continuing to remind the children to stay hydrated and to take a break from running about too much during lunch times. Let's all hope this great weather continues.

Have a great weekend.

Mr R. Walsh  
Headteacher

## Lunch Menu and Busy Lizards Menu - Week 1

<b>Monday</b> 19th May	8.30—11.30am 3.15—4.00pm	Tempest Photography—Individual and Family Photographs Dance Club—KS2
<b>Tuesday</b> 20th May	3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm	Football Club—KS1 Photography Club—KS2 Summer Sports Club—KS2
<b>Wednesday</b> 21st May	11.40—1.30pm 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm	Oak Class Parent Lesson and Lunch Art Club—KS1 Choir—KS1 & KS2 Edshed Club—Years 2-6 Running Club—KS2
<b>Thursday</b> 22nd May	3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—5.00pm	Gardening Club—Year 2 Magazine Club—Years 4-6 Cross Country Team—Marches School Competition (Final)
<b>Friday</b> 23rd May		

### Half Term Holiday

Monday 26th May 2025—Friday 30th May 2025

### Unicef Rights of the Week

#### Article 17

You have the right to get information that is important to your well-being, from radio, newspaper, books, computers and other sources.

Adults should make sure that the information you are getting is not harmful, and help you find and understand the information you need.

### Sports Day Dates

#### Tuesday 1st July

Willow, Sycamore & Hazel  
9.30am start

#### Wednesday 2nd July

Acorn (Nursery)  
2.00pm start

#### Thursday 3rd July

Maple, Ash, Birch & Oak  
9.30am start

## Attendance

### Class of the Week

Week ending  
9th May 2025

Willow	86.3%
Sycamore	95.9%
Hazel	97.5%
Maple	95.0%
Ash	91.3%
Birch	95.2%
Oak	98.5%

Class of the week is  
**OAK with 98.5%**

### **CONGRATULATIONS!**

95% is the  
average attendance in  
primary schools.

**95%** or higher is  
considered

**GOOD** attendance.

This means you have had less than 10 days  
off school in a year.

Our target is to maintain an attendance  
level of **97% or higher**.

### Parent and Child Lesson and Class Lunch

#### Spring / Summer Term 2025

We would like to invite parents/carers to  
a parent and child lesson followed by  
a class lunch.

A letter will be sent home two weeks prior  
to the dates shown below.

**Wednesday 21st May—Oak Class**

**Wednesday 11th June—Birch Class**

**Wednesday 25th June—Hazel Class**



### Achievement Certificates



Week ending 9th May 2025

Acorn	Ellis	Sonny
Willow	Frankie	Taylor
Sycamore	Louie	Daisy
Hazel	King	Bailey
Maple	Ebony	Laura
Ash	Jacob	Ryan
Birch	Rebecca	Olivia
Oak	All the children in Oak Class	

Lunchtime **Gwennie (Hazel)**

**Harley R (Ash)**

Headteacher **Sienna (Willow)**

### Family and Individual Photographs

#### Monday 19th May 2025

We are having a photographer from  
Tempest Photography in school on  
Monday 19th May 2025 to take  
photographs of individuals and family groups.

Each child will have an individual photograph and a  
family photograph, if appropriate, including  
nursery children in Acorn Class who attend on  
Monday mornings.

There is no obligation to purchase the photos.

If you have a pre-school child that does not  
attend our nursery and you would like to have a  
family group photo taken, please arrive at the  
school hall at 8.30am.

All other photographs will be taken during the  
course of the morning. The 8.30am start is for  
pre-school children and their families only.