



Gobowen Gazette



Nurture, grow, flourish

Week Beginning 12th May 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been a busy week in school and the Year 6 children have been working hard in preparation for their SATs tests next week. They are feeling confident and some a little nervous which can be expected.

We had a group of KS1 pupils attend an athletics competition on Wednesday and did very well coming second.

Some of our choir from Young Voices attended an event at the orthopaedic hospital and sang beautifully.

It has been brought to my attention that some children are hanging around by the Lion Quays and being a nuisance on the site. Please can you check that it is not your child and if it is please ask them not to go there by themselves or in a group with other children. I have spoken to the whole school in assembly in regard to this. Thank you for your support.

Mr R. Walsh
Headteacher

Lunch Menu and Busy Lizards Menu - Week 2

Monday 12th May	3.15–4.00pm	Dance Club—KS2
Tuesday 13th May	3.15–4.00pm 3.15–4.00pm 3.15–4.00pm	Football Club—KS1 Photography Club—KS2 Summer Sports Club—KS2
Wednesday 14th May	3.15–4.00pm 3.15–4.00pm 3.15–4.00pm 3.15–4.00pm	Art Club—KS1 Choir—KS1 & KS2 Edshed Club—Years 2-6 Running Club—KS2
Thursday 15th May	3.15–4.00pm 3.15–4.00pm	Gardening Club—Year 2 Magazine Club—Years 4-6
Friday 16th May		

Unicef Rights of the Week

Article 19

You have the right to be protected from being hurt and mistreated, in body or mind.

Article 34

You have the right to be free from sexual abuse.

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
2nd May 2025

Willow	98.6%
Sycamore	95.0%
Hazel	93.3%
Maple	93.0%
Ash	97.8%
Birch	95.0%
Oak	97.3%

Class of the week is
WILLOW with 98.6%

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 2nd May 2025



Willow	Stefan	Grayson
Sycamore	Otilie	Adam
Hazel	Logan	Mia
Maple	Natalie	Caleb
Ash	Miles	Jacob
Birch	Fearne	Edward
Oak	Courtney	Charlotte

Lunchtime Henry J (Sycamore)
Max Pi (Maple)

Headteacher Princess (Oak)

Hats and Caps

Please can children bring a hat or cap to school on
sunny days to wear at play times. Please put your
child's name on the label so that it can be easily
identified.



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.

Does your child struggle with their Sleep?

Free Sleep Tight Groups

Join us on one of our virtual or face-to-face groups which run for 5 weeks and:

- Find out why sleep is important for our health and emotional wellbeing
- Get support to help improve sleep and bedtime routines
- Meet other parents/carers to share and discuss experiences

Our next groups start:

Sleep Tight SEND Monday 9th June 2025 from 12.45pm to 2.45pm

Virtually Via MS Teams

or

Sleep Tight Monday 16th June 2025 from 9.15am to 11.15am

Virtually via MS Teams

SEND groups are for parents/carers of children who might have special educational needs and disabilities, no formal diagnosis is needed to attend the groups.

To book a place email Parenting.team@shropshire.gov.uk or call 01743 250950

Find out
more here

