



# Gobowen Gazette



Nurture, grow, flourish

**Week Beginning 3rd March 2025**

Dear Parents/Carers,

It was great to see all the children return this week and get back into the routine of the school day. Many have come to me to tell me they are glad to be back.

The week has been extremely busy with lots of children going out to represent the school. We had Young Voices which took place in Manchester and the children had an amazing experience. There were over 7900 children attending the event from different schools to sing as one whole choir. They left the school at midday and returned at 11pm. A big thank you to all the staff that attended this with the children.

We had a KS1 athletics event take place on Wednesday and the children finished in 1<sup>st</sup> place. The boys football team took part in a tournament at Oswestry School and finished in 2<sup>nd</sup> place. Well done to all children for representing the school so well. Their behaviour and manners were exceptional at all events.

We had the nursery children attend assembly today and they really enjoyed it. It always makes me smile when some of the nursery children realise that there are lots more children in the school too!

Have a great weekend.

Mr R. Walsh  
Headteacher

## Lunch Menu and Busy Lizards Menu - Week 2

<b>Monday 3rd March</b>	3.15—4.00pm	Dance Club—KS1
<b>Tuesday 4th March</b>	10.30—11.30am 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm	U11 Girls Football Match—Will be held at Gobowen School Gymnastics Club—KS1 Art Club—KS1 SATs Bootcamp Club—Year 6 Debate Club—Years 5 & 6
<b>Wednesday 5th March</b>	10.00—12.30pm 11.00—12.30pm 12.30—2.30pm 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm	Ash & Oak Swimming Lessons—Week 2 of 5 Willow Class Parent Lesson and Lunch Year 5/6 Girls Football Team—Marches School Competition Cooking Club—Year 1 Garage Band Club—KS2 Running Club—KS2
<b>Thursday 6th March</b>	All Day 3.15—4.00pm 3.15—4.00pm	World Book Day— Please see reverse side of the Gazette Girls Football Club—KS2 Boys Football Club—KS2
<b>Friday 7th March</b>		

Attendance  
Class of the Week

Week ending  
14th February 2025

Willow	93.2%
Sycamore	95.5%
Hazel	95.8%
Maple	94.1%
Ash	92.7%
Birch	94.2%
Oak	96.6%

Class of the week is  
OAK with 96.6%

**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**.

Unicef Rights of the Week

Article 28

You have the right to a good quality education.  
You should be encouraged to  
go to school to the highest level you can.

Article 29

Your education should help you use and develop  
your talents and abilities. It should also help  
you learn to live peacefully, protect the  
environment and respect other people.

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 5th March—Willow Class

Wednesday 19th March—Maple Class

Wednesday 2nd April—Sycamore Class

Wednesday 7th May—Ash Class

Wednesday 21st May—Oak Class

Wednesday 11th June—Birch Class

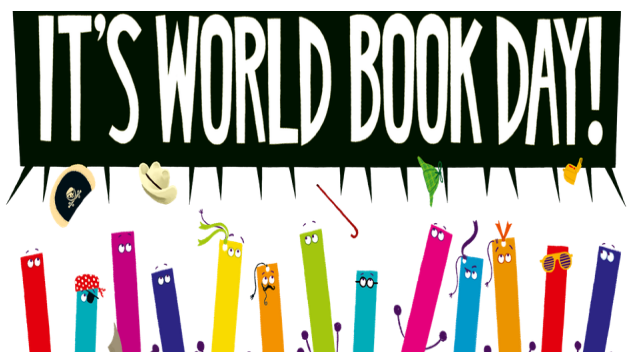
Wednesday 25th June—Hazel Class



World Book Day

It is World Book Day on Thursday 6th March.

Children can come to school dressed as their  
favourite book character (no charge).



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### World Book Day

The sustainable fashion project has created a shared collection of dressing-up outfits and costumes that are available to borrow from Oswestry Library free of charge.

They are also looking for more donations of unwanted dressing-up outfits and costumes. If you have any that you no longer need and would like to donate them to the collection, please take them to Oswestry Library.