



Gobowen Gazette



Nurture, grow, flourish

Week Beginning 16th September 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have had a fantastic week and our after school clubs have got off to a great start. We have so many children that sign up to the free after school clubs and they really do enjoy themselves. I would just like to remind everyone that the office **must** be informed if your child will not be attending the after school club they have signed up for. Failure to do so will result in your child being removed from the club and the space given to the next child on the waiting list. Of course if your child is ill that day, the office will already have knowledge that they won't be at the club.

I hope you had the opportunity to read our excellent Ofsted report this week, which is on our school website. I am extremely pleased how the report reads for the entire school community and the inspection itself went very well. The inspector spoke with lots of children (without staff present) over the two days and he was highly impressed with how the children conducted themselves and spoke. There was an in depth focus on many areas of the school and in particular how the school supports SEND children. Again, he was impressed with the actions the school takes to support children with additional needs. The inspector himself has a background of expertise within SEN, so it's even more pleasing that he recognised we are doing everything we possibly can to support the children. He was impressed with how much progress the children make at the school and the opportunities available to them.

It would have been nice to share this with you before we finished for the summer, but you are not allowed to share information about a report until the report is released. However, I can now!!

Have a great weekend.

Mr. Walsh

Lunch Menu - Week 3

Monday 16th September	3.15–4.00pm 3.15–4.00pm	Tennis Club—Years 1 & 2 Tennis Club—Years 3, 4, 5 & 6
Tuesday 17th September	3.15–4.00pm 3.15–4.00pm 3.15–4.00pm	Ukulele—Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 Girls Football—Years 1 & 2 Family Art & Craft Club—Years 3 & 4
Wednesday 18th September	9.15–12.30pm 3.15–4.00pm 3.15–4.00pm 3.15–4.00pm 3.15–4.00pm 3.15–4.00pm	New Age Curling Team—Marches School Competition Dance—Years 1 & 2 Choir—Years 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 Coding Club—Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 Running—Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 Boys Football—Years 1 & 2
Thursday 19th September	3.15–4.00pm 3.15–4.00pm	Boys Football—Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 Girls Football—Years 3, 4, 5 & 6
Friday 20th September		

Attendance

Class of the Week

Week ending 6th September 2024

Willow	100%
Sycamore	97.5%
Hazel	98.7%
Maple	98.3%
Ash	97.9%
Birch	99.0%
Oak	93.7%

Class of the week is
WILLOW with 100%

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**.

Nearly New Uniform

A selection of nearly new uniform items are available from the school office for parents/carers to have **free of charge**.

The uniform is in labelled boxes in the foyer area.

Please help yourself.

Achievement Certificates

Week ending 6th September 2024

Willow	Finley	Ruby
Sycamore	Megan	William
Hazel	Hunter	Thea
Maple	Caydee	Roman-James
Ash	Riley	Ted
Birch	Emmett	Maisie
Oak	Eve	Noah

Lunchtime Alice (Maple)

Headteacher Lyla (Maple)

Unicef Rights of the Week

Article 4

The government has a responsibility to make sure your rights are protected.

They must help your family to protect your rights and create an environment where you can grow and reach your potential.



Lunchtime Supervisor Vacancy

We have a vacancy for a Lunchtime Supervisor.

1 hour 15 minutes per day Monday—Friday (term-time only).

Fixed term until 31/7/2025.

If you are interested in applying, please ask for an application pack at the school office.

Closing Date—Friday 20th September 2024

