

Greengate Lane Academy

Newsletter

19th January 2018

Parent Breakfast Clubs

Thank you to all who came to our Y1 and FS family breakfast clubs this week. Parents who came said:

“I’ve really enjoyed it”

“It’s like a 5* restaurant”

“It’s been nice meeting all the other parents and children”

“It’s a lively idea”

“It’s a nice start to the day”.



We are really pleased that this was a good experience for everyone involved—children, parents, staff. It was lovely to see the parents and children interacting positively creating a family feel in the dining hall.

Y2 Family Breakfast

Parents and carers of Y2 children are invited to join the Y2 team for a breakfast in the dining hall from 8.30 -9.00am on Friday 26th January.

Dress Down Day

On 31st January Children will be able to come to school dressed in Red, White and /or Blue (French flag colours) and children will be having a French brunch in the middle of the morning.

We are asking children to bring a £1 donation for not wearing uniform.



Diary Date

After school Valentine disco on Tuesday 13th February. FS and KS1 3.20pm—4.30pm. KS2 children will be 4.30pm—5.30pm. Tickets will be available from 22nd January at the office at a cost of £2.00 each. Children will receive a hotdog and a drink at the event. Children can dress up for the occasion.



Attendance

As you all know, our attendance target is 97%.

Autumn 1 we managed to achieve 97.1% - Target met

Autumn 2 we managed to achieve 96.5% - Slightly below target by 0.5%

Attendance at the moment for Spring 1 stands at:-

Y6 - 98.5%

Y5 - 91.8%

Y4 - 94.8%

Y3 - 94.8%

Y2 - 94.0%

Y1 - 96.1%

Well done to Y6 for achieving our whole school target. I challenge your classes to achieve our school class next week. Good Luck!!

Uniform

It has been lovely to see the pupils who have been coming to school in full school uniform and have brought their full PE kit.

- * Green jumpers/sweatshirts
- * White shirt or polo shirt
- * Trousers or skirts in grey, summer dresses in green/white check

Pupils are expected to wear sports clothing for PE lessons.

For Indoor lessons : Plain white t-shirt / Plain black or navy shorts - Bare feet

For Outdoor lessons : Plain white t-shirt / Plain black or navy shorts, leggings/tracksuit bottoms / Appropriate footwear i.e. trainers

For Swimming : Swimming costume or trunks / Towel

Leggings may be worn for modesty