

Gainsborough Primary School, Pre School and Children's Centre

Newsletter

Spring 2 Week 5



Just Giving Page

Gainsborough Community needs you!



Sometimes things in life get really tough. This is the experience of one of our families and we need your help. Brooklyn (year 6) and Beverly (year 3) have lost their home in a house fire. They are in good health but have lost everything and mum is currently recovering at home from their escape. It is the stuff of nightmares. We have set up a Just Giving page for families to donate whatever they can while we support them to pull a new home together. We have a donation list and are also collecting new/ nearly new items.

Charlotte Harris will have this on the gate in the morning and afternoon. Thank you Gainsborough Community, let's see what we can do!

Please visit our Just Giving Page:

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/gainsboroughprimary-school?>

School Crossing Patrol Vacancy

Hackney Learning trust are currently advertising for a School Patrol Officer for Gainsborough.



If you would like to apply for the position please use the link below:

<https://recruitment.hackney.gov.uk/vacancy/school-crossing-patrol-officer-6/>

Last Day

School will finish at 2pm on Thursday 1st April for the Easter break. There will be no after school clubs on Thursday so please make sure you collect your child on time.

The Children centre will close at normal time on Thursday 1st April. The Children Centre will be closed on Friday 2nd and Monday 5th April due to bank holidays. It will reopen on Monday 12th April.



Half Term Easter Camp for 8's and under

From Monday 12th April until Friday 16th April we will be running half term club from 8am - 5pm for children aged 0 - 8 years.

If you want to book a space for your child please email us with your:

Child's name, Date of Birth and which time you would like:

9am - 3:30pm £120 per child

8am - 5pm £150 per child

Under 3 room and under 8 room available.

Arts, crafts, cooking, PE.

If you would like to get more information please contact the school office via email:

admin@gainsborough.hackney.sch.uk

You will need to provide your child with a packed lunch.

We will provide snacks and drinks.



Term Dates

Start of term	End of Term
Tues 3rd Sep 20	Fri 23rd Oct 20
Inset Days: Tues 3rd - Wed 4th Sep	
Mon 2nd Nov 20	Thur 17th Dec 20
Inset Day: Monday 2nd November 20	
Inset Day: Friday 18th December 20	
Mon 4th Jan 21	Fri 12th Feb 21
Inset Day: Monday 4th January 21	
Mon 22nd Feb 21	Thur 1st Apr 21
Mon 19th Apr 21	Fri 28th May 21
Mon 7th Jun 21	Fri 23rd July 21

Free School Meals during Half Term

Hackney Council will be continuing the Half Term free school meal programme. All families will be issued with two weeks worth of Free School Meal vouchers on Tuesday 6th April. The voucher will be sent to your email address for you to download and use.

World Book Day

We will be looking at character description and writing character descriptions about characters from our own families and cultures to insert into known story. We are celebrating the author Zany Mian and will read her books in school this half term.



Google Classroom Parent Zoom



Do you children know more about google classroom than you? Come to our parent zoom session on how to log in, save, send and edit using good classroom. Tuesday 30.03.21 at 4pm The zoom link will be sent to all parents on Tuesday.

GOLDS!

Each week we celebrate an amazing achievement from each class. Children are celebrated in assembly, receive a gold certificate and their name in the newsletter. Please celebrate their learning at home too!

Nursery	Millie - You have had an amazing wee. You have listened attentively during carpet sessions and have been able to answer questions and share your ideas with your friends. You are a great role model, keep up the great work!!!
Reception	Sophia - Lovely presentation. Your work is so neat, it is a pleasure to look at!
Year 1	Khaliah - Doing so well in her reading and maths assessment! I am so proud of you !
Year 2	Barrington and Ibrahim - Their very impressive partner work! Barrington and Ibrahim worked very hard to be good partners to each other and to remain on task. As a result, they were able to do lots of research on 'Extreme weathers' and produce a very informative mind map.
Sky Group	Roman - Working extra hard in improving your presentation across all subjects. Your handwriting in phonics and writing has been outstanding this week! Well Done Roman!
Year 3	Theo - For excellent participation during class discussions and sharing some interesting facts about Antarctica to help in our Topic lesson.
Year 4	Cyprus - Putting a lot more effort into completing tasks and being kinder to others this week. We know it has been tricky for you, but you're trying your best! Keep it up.
Year 5 - Hawks and Owls	Amani - a positive attitude during assessments and trying his very best. Well done! Keep up the great focus! Zeren - completing an excellent publish on a diary entry as an astronaut. Keep up the hard work! Well done!
Year 6 - Eagles and Starlings	Victor - embracing challenges in maths. Victor routinely shares his understanding during discussions and works collaboratively with his partner. Ashim - A fantastic effort in all areas of learning, especially with online learning where he has completed all his units on mathematics, with a score of above 90% in all the activities completed!! I am very proud of you Ashim!