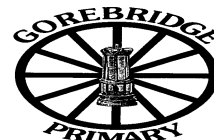




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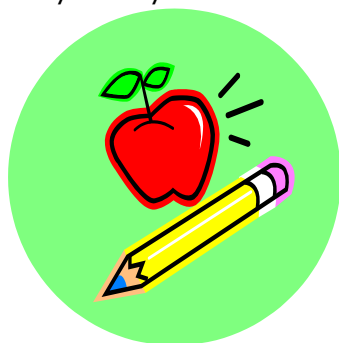
Dear Parents, Carers & Friends of Gorebridge Primary,

As the end of this term draws near, I would not only like to wish you all a wonderful summer holiday, but also thank you all for your support for the school this session.

From coming to BOATS, attending parents evening, helping on visits, being part of focus groups, the Parent Council, PTA to helping with homework tasks and giving your feedback through questionnaires.

School and parents working together in this way helps us deliver the best learning experiences for the children that we can.

A huge thank you to you all!



Reminder for Parents/Pupils

- Bring money for school lunch daily - £1.90 if not in receipt of free school meals
- Please be aware that the disabled parking to the front of the school is for blue badge holders only!
- Please remember to supply your child with indoor shoes/P.E kit and make sure these are labeled with your child's name to prevent being lost.
- Gentle reminder that dogs are not permitted in the school grounds. Please make sure they are also tied up away from the school gates.

June 2017 Newsletter

STAFFING

August will see a slight change in our staffing. After 11 years in Gorebridge Primary School, Mr Borthwick is leaving us to take up a post as Principal Teacher at Woodburn Primary School. Mrs Wiseman is moving to St Andrew's Primary School where she will be teaching 3 days a week and after a year with us, Mrs Cuerden will be returning to the pool of supply teachers.

I am sure you will join me in wishing them all well in their future rolls.

We will welcome 3 new teachers to our school – Miss McConnell who will teach P3, Miss Allen who will teach P2 and Ms Kapturska who will teach P5.

Head Lice

There have been some reports of recurring head lice in school. Thank you to everyone for keeping us informed. We appreciate how frustrating this problem is, unfortunately as you are aware, this is a nationwide problem and not only a concern at Gorebridge Primary School.

Please check your child's hair and the rest of your family's hair this evening. If your child has head lice they should only return to school once they have been treated. Please continue to check your child's hair regularly. Treatment for head lice is available free of charge from your pharmacy through the Minor Ailments programme. If you require further advice please contact your local pharmacist who will be more than happy to assist.

Dates for your diary:



Craft & Produce Show – 27th June

P7 Leavers Event – 28th June

P7 Leavers Assembly – 30th June – 10am at the church

School Term Ends for Summer Holidays – 30th June – 12noon

School Returns – 22nd August – 8:50am

BORROWED SCHOOL DINNER MONEY

Can parents of P4 – P7 pupils please remember to send your child to school with either a packed lunch or dinner money.

The School Office is currently owed £253.80 in unpaid lunch money for this year alone.

This money comes directly from the school fund – subsidising lunch money on this scale makes it difficult for us to subsidise class trips etc!

Please return any outstanding monies to the School Office A.S.A.P

School Day

From August, all classes including P1 and P2 will be 8:50am – 3:15pm Monday – Thursday

And

8:50am – 12:25pm Friday.

P7 Leavers Service

All are welcome to join us at the church at 10am.

The PTA warmly welcome P7 parents back to school following the Church Service for refreshments.



Meet The Teacher

All classes will meet their new teacher on Monday 26th June and for those of you who have children in Ms Allen, Ms Kapturska and Miss McConnell class's, we warmly welcome you to pop in with your child on the first day back in August.

Parent Council & PTA News

PTA would like to thank everyone involved in making the school fayre a massive success – raising nearly £1000!

Fantastic!!

School Dinners



All P1 – P3 children are entitled to a free school meal. For those children in P4 – P7 classes, the cost of a school meal if not in receipt of free school meals will be £1.90.

Although all P1 – P3 children are eligible through The Scottish Government Scheme to have a free school meal, you may already be entitled to this, along with a school clothing grant and also an entitlement to free milk. For help with this or more information please see the school office.



From all the staff at Gorebridge Primary School we would like to wish you all a very happy Summer Holiday, and we look forward to seeing all your happy, smiling faces on Tuesday 22nd August at 8:50am!

Happy Holidays ☺