



# Guiden Sutton Church of England Primary School

*Love and Justice for All*

5<sup>th</sup> May 2023

Dear Parent,

I could get used to a four-day week!

Although short-lived, it was lovely to see so many parents and grandparents at our **Coronation Picnic**! We were extremely lucky to have that window of sunshine, but they do say the sun shines on the righteous! What a regal bunch you are!

This week, we also enjoyed an entertaining concert from Music For Life, Year 4 made us proud at their recent football match and Reception taught us all about perseverance and metamorphosis in their Very Hungry Caterpillar Collective Worship. Thank you to everyone who joined us.



**Collective Worship**

Reception class retold the story of The Very Hungry Caterpillar.

They sang the song 'If I were a Butterfly' and did lots of actions!

The children led the prayers and thanked God for creating our wonderful world!

Well done Reception. You are all SUPERSTARS and we are so proud of you!

PIC•COLLAGE



Why not follow us on Facebook to see what Guiden Sutton Church of England Primary School get up to on a typical school day?

If anyone has any **free time to come into school to help Mr. Whelan** with tidying up the courtyard or painting the wooden furniture in Reception class, please let him or Mrs. Lloyd (in the office) know. Many thanks in advance!

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A concerned parent, who has a friend in a critical condition after a cycling accident, has asked me to **remind everyone of the importance of wearing a helmet when riding a bike or scooter.** The safety of everyone in our school family is always at the forefront of our minds.

Please click on the link to visit **St John's Church website.**

### **Save the Date:**

<b>Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>Year 6 SATs Week!</b>  <b>GOOD LUCK TO YEAR 6 NEXT WEEK! YOU ARE WONDERFUL AND YOU WILL SHINE!</b>	
<b>Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>Year 6 class prayers</b> – Please join us in the hall for Collective Worship with Sarah Batchelor. If you would like to bring along any donations for the Foodbank, they will be greatly received.	
<b>Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>Year 5 class prayers</b> – Please join us in the hall for Collective Worship with Sarah Batchelor. If you would like to bring along any donations for the Foodbank, they will be greatly received.	
<b>Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June</b>	<b>Sports Day</b>	
<b>Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> June</b>	<b>Reserve Sports Day</b>  The Trustees are arranging an 'Art Gallery' event (5:30pm-7:30pm) so please keep this date free – there will be prosecco!!!	

**Our average school attendance** is **95.74%** so thank you to everyone for making this a priority!

Please remember to be punctual so that learning can begin at 9am.

**Absence requests** will be authorised only if the circumstances are deemed **exceptional.**

The **safety** of our children is of the utmost importance – please ensure you **phone, email or send a School Spider** message to **Mrs. Lloyd or Mrs. Taylor** in the office to report an absence and/or changes to pick up arrangements.

**E-Safety** continues to be **a priority** within school as well as at home. Please click on the link for further information and guidance. <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>



Please can I remind you that **dogs are not allowed on the school grounds** and they must be **kept on a lead** during drop off and pick up times. Thank you for your continued support.



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Please **come closer** to your child's class teacher at the end of the school day so that the children can spot you more easily – many thanks.

As the Summer Term gets underway, please can you ensure **jumpers and water bottles** (with fresh water) are **clearly named. HUGE THANKS in advance!**

If the **Cost of Living Crisis** is affecting you and your family in any way at all, please do not hesitate to come and talk to me in confidence so we can find a way to help.

**Pupil Premium** is funding to improve education outcomes for pupils in schools. You may be eligible for funding without realising it and the funding can support many aspects of your child's education. Please click on the link to find out more information or pop into school for a chat.

<https://www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk/residents/education-and-learning/free-school-meals>

Have a lovely **long** weekend,

Theresa Rainford



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