



# Harry Gosling Weekly News

## Friday 26th April 2024

This week, was the annual event of Earth Day - a worldwide recognition of the importance of looking after our planet. We were so pleased when we were able to host some members of the BBC who came into school to meet some of our children and record their voices. It was of course secret until the episode was published on BBC iPlayer on Monday! We are so pleased that some of our children got to narrate over an episode of Planet Earth. We are so proud that the voices of our children at Harry Gosling are heard. I hope that all children will recognise just how important they and their voices are. It was also wonderful to see so many parents attend the Year 6 SATS meeting. The year 6 team are working so hard and we are excited to see what our children will achieve after all their hard work. A final push - they are very nearly there! Wishing you all a wonderful weekend and hoping that you all get to spend more time outside as the weather hopefully improves!

Jameela

### VALUES AWARDS

Red Class: **Arisha** – *Shining Star* - I am using my phonic sounds to write words by myself!

Red Class: **Yunus** – *Shining Star*- For always being a good role model to his peers (good sitting, good listening and always making good choices.

Yellow Class: **Maryam H** – *Shining Star* - I am beginning to write sentences all by myself!

Yellow Class: **Maryam A** - *Independence* - I made new friends!

Pink Class: **Aleena R**- *Teamwork*- For helping her partner to be successful in Maths by showing him what to do.

Green Class: **Jannat A** - *Excellence*- For remembering to use finger spaces when writing sentences and for improving her handwriting. Keep up the fantastic work!

Blue Class: **Rayan Ahmed** - *Responsibility* - For making a huge improvement in his attendance and punctuality which in turn has allowed him to progress in all areas of the curriculum this term!

Orange Class: **Ishtiyaq** - *Excellence* - For using his numbers facts to help him successful add amounts of money in pounds and pence. He was able to solve a few tricky problems.

Purple Class: **Barakah A** - *Excellence*- Contributing more during lessons and having more confidence to do so.

Lilac Class: **Nusrat** - *Equality* - Always showing kindness towards her peers and thinking about how to help others in their learning.

Crimson Class: **Yunus U** – *Excellence* – For publishing his narrative on ‘The Village that Vanished’ to a great standard, which showed how far he has come with his writing since *September*!

Scarlet Class: **Shuaib** - *Excellence* - For reading every night consistently. Well done!

Emerald Class: **Aadam K** - *Responsibility* - By being incredibly helpful around the classroom, keeping the book corner organised and looking great, and always offering to help those who may need it.

Jade Class: **Zeeshan R** - *Excellence* - For his determination and accuracy when measuring angles in maths.

Sapphire Class: **Amira K** - *Excellence*- By expressing her ideas in creative ways and for using description and conjunctions.

Turquoise Class: **Punam** - *Excellence* - For always showing us that she is ready to learn and being on task. Well done for being a fantastic example to the class!

### UPCOMING EVENTS AND DATES

**02.05.24** Election day (school closed) - Year 6 only in for the morning.

**06.05.24** Bank Holiday Monday

**09.05.24** Lilac class trip - Billingsgate Roman Ruins

**10.05.24** Purple class trip - Billingsgate Roman Ruins

**13.05.24** SATS week - Year 6

**20.05.24** Year 6 trip to Victoria Park

**21.05.24** Debate club trip to Sarum Hall

**21.05.24** Year 5 trip (Emerald) - William Morris Gallery

**23.05.24** Year 5 trip (Jade)

### Keeping safe

A reminder to discuss with your children, the importance of keeping safe whilst outside of school. As the weather gets warmer, lots more children will be spending time outside of school by themselves or with a friend either in the local area, the local park, or even going to the shops with their friends. Please do remind your children that they must only talk to trusted adults and if they ever feel unsafe or worried that they are always encouraged to speak to you, their parents, or any adult at the school. We just want all of our children to be happy and safe!

### ATTENDANCE—WEEKLY WINNERS

Whole school: 94.3%

EYFS: Red 99.3% Phase 2: Purple 99.3% Phase 3: Turquoise 97.9%

The government expectation for schools is 95% as a whole school.