

George Tomlinson News

Dear Parents and Carers,



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We've had a very busy week here at GT and are all ready for a good break over the half term as I am sure you are too!

This week Year 5 held a Victorian Day for their pupils as part of their Victorians topic! They dressed up, experienced life in a typical Victorian classroom and learnt games and information about the period. Thanks to teachers for organising this so brilliantly!

This week the teachers have been busy writing reports for your child, these will be sent out in June.

Also, today we had a surprise visitor! A giant T-Rex came to school and every year group spent time with him! The children were absolutely amazed and had such a fun time, he may even be spotted in the playground after school so stay alert! Thank you so much to the PTFA for this experience! We will be dropping in lots of fun activities between now and July to ensure we end the year in as positive and memorable a way as possible for our pupils and community.

I hope you have a really lovely half term with your families, we look forward to seeing you back on June 7th.

Best wishes,

Verity



Upcoming dates:

- **Friday 28th May** – last day before half term
- **Monday 31st May** – **Friday 4th June** – **School closed for half term**
- **Monday 7th June** – **Children back to school**
- **Thursday 22nd July** – **Last day of the summer term**
- **Wednesday 9th June** – **whole class photographs**



Message from the PTFA:

This morning's Non-Uniform collection amounted to £348.50 and 2 x boxes of bottles!! There will be some more to come from Nursery yet too. Thanks to Suzanne, Hannah, Ms Ewa, Kerry, Felicity, the Breakfast Club & Nursery teams for helping collect/stash the donations & to Suzanne for organising.

The PTA are busy organising a mini summer fair for July 18th from 12-4pm, if you would be happy to volunteer an hour or two of your time to help run a stall or cook some hotdogs, please get in touch with us at: georgetompta@gmail.com

Pick of the Week:

This week's pick is: <https://www.dkfindout.com/uk/parents/>

What is it?

DKfindout! allows children to search, learn, and explore information safely. The website covers different areas of the curriculum and is presented in a colorful way that children will love. There are quizzes, videos and animations, and new things are being added all the time to ensure children always have something new to learn! There are also articles for parents explaining the curriculum your child is being taught, ideas about how you can help them, and quick links to other DK products that will support your child's learning. Older children will love exploring the site by themselves whilst younger children can explore with an adult to get the most from it. Whatever you decided to explore- have fun doing it!

Ms Shakes

Attendance:

1st - Y6M - 99.3%

2nd - Y3B - 99.1%

3rd - Y4M - 98.9%

No late marks - Y1C, Y3B, Y4D, Y4M, Y4W, Y5M, Y5O, Y6M & Y6P

The Summer Fair is back!

Join us on Sunday 18th July

We're so excited that the Summer Fair can run this year and we need your help to make it happen.

Please donate to the office:

- Clean cuddly toys and teddies
- Good quality unwanted gifts for the adult raffle
- Small gifts for a pop up shop where children can buy a thank you for adults (eg chocolate, candles, mugs, stationary, toiletries etc.)
- Unopened bottles (bring on non uniform day or to the office)

For the green fingered:

Could you grow some plants for our plant stall? We can swap for empty pots, please contact below.

Can you help run a stall on the day?

Please contact us on georgetompta@gmail.com

Second-Hand Uniform Sale!

Sunday 30th May
16 Jersey Road
as part of



FRANCIS ROAD www.francisroad2021.eventbrite.com
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JUMBLE TRAIL

Sunday 30th May 11am-3pm Waltham Forest



Uniform available any time from uniformptfa@gmail.com