



**21st May 2021**

**STARS OF THE WEEK**

<b>Nursery</b> —Ms MacKinder	Leo W
<b>Reception</b> — Mrs Moore	Noah S
<b>Reception/Y1</b> —Miss Breslin	Emily D
<b>Year 1</b> —Miss Forlani	Jamie B
<b>Year 2</b> —Mr Brierley	Eli R and Sophia M
<b>Year 3</b> — Mrs Kan	Ollie H and Maisie F
<b>Year 4</b> — Mrs Edwards	Ben S and Amelia W
<b>Year 4/5</b> — Mr Stevenson	Jannat Z
<b>Year 5</b> —Miss Atherton	The Whole Class
<b>Year 6</b> —Miss Thake	Cassidy C
<b>Mrs Griffin/ Mrs Schofield</b>	Jerico V M
<b>Miss Cook</b>	Tyler W
<b>Miss Manton</b>	Alfie B
<b>PE Star</b>	Maisie F—Year 2

**Non Uniform Day**

Next Friday, 28th May, we will be having a non uniform day and would be very grateful if everyone could bring in an item for our summer holiday hamper. We will use the items to create a prize for the balloon race competition we will be running during the Whit holiday—details of the balloon race will be in next week's newsletter.

Suitable items to bring in next Friday are as follows;

Bucket, spade, beachball, bottle of fizzy pop, ice lolly mold, garden toy, beach toy, sunglasses, pair of flipflops, sun lotion or indeed anything that might be useful on a holiday!

**School Meals**

If your child usually has a school meal please log in to the EVOLVE system before 9pm on Sunday evening so that you can order meals for next week. If you have any problems doing this please contact the school office and let staff know by 9am on Monday morning so that they can order them for you.

## Coronavirus Update

We have had no further cases of covid in school this week.

The latest data for Trafford shows a slight increase whilst the data for the immediate area around school shows a decrease.

At a Trafford Public Health update for schools today the following information was shared;

- 1) There are a small number of cases within Trafford of the current Variant of Concern (VOC) found in Bolton and other areas. The advice is that families should stay alert and keep following all advice/restrictions but not be alarmed. These cases are being closely monitored by Public Health and the current information is that this variant may be more transmissible but is not vaccine resistant and is no more virulent than known strains.
- 2) Lateral Flow Device tests are only to be used as part of a family testing programme i.e adults and high school age children take the tests twice weekly when they feel well and these tests will pick up any infections where symptoms are not present. They can not be relied on to give highly accurate test results if a person has symptoms; the person may show a negative result but still have covid. If anyone has covid symptoms they must book a PCR test which is sent to a laboratory for processing.
- 3) In some instances, people who are a close contact of a positive case are being asked to book a PCR test even if they have no symptoms. This is so that infections involving the new variant can be very closely monitored. Close contacts will be informed by Public Health if the new variant is the cause of the infection.
- 4) Trafford Public Health are sending advice out to schools regarding high school transition days etc and how these can be managed to minimise any risks from covid.

## COVID rate around school



## Outdoor Learning Day

Yesterday we held an outdoor learning day and pupils used our outdoor spaces to investigate and practice new skills. Sadly the weather was not kind to us but everyone did their best to take part and enjoy the day. The photographs below show some of the activities the children took part in. Lots more photographs on our twitter page — @AcreHall

Collecting our art resources 🧑🧑 #OutdoorClassroomDay #natureisart #andygoldsworthy

Self portraits from a wealth of natural materials... it's great to see each Portrait is so individual. 🌿🍃🌱 #OutdoorClassroomDay @Artsmarkaward



L I F E. Year 2 are painting life. When the rain comes...?

A great start to outdoor learning day can we be a human clock. Loved how we used our bodies to make the different times given by our partner. #outdoorlearning2021





INSPIRING PLAY - SUPPORTING FAMILIES - CREATING OPPORTUNITIES

Calling all new parents!

Join us on a

Tuesday & Friday morning

at 9:30 - 11:00am

for a fun-filled

Sensory Discovery Session!

This is a chance to explore the benefits of sensory play  
with your little one.

Relax and make new friends,  
whilst enjoying a brew and a slice of homemade cake.

Cost £5 per Parent & Child.

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M41 6AP,  
Manchester.

**Free!**

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Sessions For Young  
People in Trafford!

**GORSE HILL STUDIOS**

# Culture Club

**Book Now!**

For Young People  
aged 7-16 yrs  
1st- 4th June

	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
11:00-12:00 7-11 yrs	Lyric/ Poetry Writing In Person	Street Dance In Person	Street Dance In Person	Clay Studio In Person
11:00-12:00 7-11 yrs	Drama In Person	Music In Person	Drama In Person	Art In Person
11:00-12:00 7-11 yrs	Special Effects Makeup <b>Online</b> Free Materials!	Clay Studio <b>Online</b> Free Clay Pack!	Art <b>Online</b> Free Art Pack!	Street Dance <b>Online</b>
12:15-13:45 7-16yrs	Cooking <b>Online</b> Free food pack!	Cooking <b>Online</b> Free food pack!	Cooking <b>Online</b> Free food pack!	Cooking <b>Online</b> Free food pack!
14:30-15:30 12-16 yrs	Lyric/ Poetry Writing In Person	Street Dance In Person	Street Dance In Person	Clay Studio In Person
14:30-15:30 12-16 yrs	Drama In Person	Music In Person	Drama In Person	Art In Person
14:30-15:30 12-16 yrs	Makeup <b>Online</b>	Clay Studio <b>Online</b> Free Clay Pack!	Art <b>Online</b> Free Art Pack!	Street Dance <b>Online</b>

We will deliver free food & creative packs for online cooking & making sessions to Trafford area ONLY.  
All sessions are FREE lead by youth workers & arts professionals.

To book please go to our websites booking page. Link is also in bio-  
<https://www.gorsehillstudios.co.uk/bookings> Or email [lizziechapman@gorsehillstudios.co.uk](mailto:lizziechapman@gorsehillstudios.co.uk)  
or get in contact via our website- [www.gorsehillstudios.co.uk](http://www.gorsehillstudios.co.uk)