

Garden Suburb Junior School

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8th July 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

This has been another busy week. Rehearsals are going well for the Year 6 production, with a successful dress rehearsal today. Well done for surviving in this heat everyone!

The children met their teachers for the new academic year and the Year 3 and Year 4 children had some additional sessions with their new class groups. Many Year 6 pupils visited their secondary schools for transition days too. Although I have not been in school this week, as Covid finally got me on Monday afternoon, the staff have reported that these meetings went well.

Year 6 End of Key Stage 2 SATS – the results will be included in your child's end of year report.

We are extremely proud of all of the children in Year 6 for their excellent SATs results this year. The children have remained focused and have worked hard throughout the year. They have significantly outperformed the national standard in all subject areas.

These pupils experienced disruption to their learning during the pandemic, particularly at the end of Year 4 and in Year 5.

Subject	Garden Suburb Junior School End of KS2 SATs 2022 National Standard and Above	National End of KS2 SATs 2022 National Standard and Above
Reading	87%	74%
Grammar, spelling and punctuation	87%	72%
Writing TA	78%	69%
Mathematics	94%	71%

Garden Suburb Junior School Y6 Pupils 2022	National Y6 Pupils 2022
Floor Standard	Floor Standard
Y6 Pupils who have met the expected standard in	Y6 Pupils who have met the expected standard
reading, writing and maths	in reading, writing and maths
75%	59%

Our hardworking and dedicated staff members, as well as our supportive parents, have helped these children to flourish both in school and during the periods of school closure over the last two years.

Thank you and well done everyone!













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The Y4 Multiplication Table Check (MTC)- the results will be included in your child's end of year report

The multiplication tables check (MTC) is statutory for primary schools in the 2021/22 academic year. The purpose of the MTC is to determine whether pupils can recall their times tables fluently, which is essential for future success in mathematics.

91% of the Garden Suburb Junior Year 4 pupils reached the expected standard or above in these tests.

Well done to the children! Thank you to the staff and parents for supporting the children to do their best in these tests.

Message from the Chair of Governors Regarding the Recent Ofsted Report

As you will have seen, the school has now received the report from Ofsted following the recent inspection. I would urge all parents to read it.

Garden Suburb Junior & Infant School - Ofsted

As Chair of Governors, I am so proud of the staff and pupils. I was very glad to see the inspection highlighted so many of the wonderful aspects of our school.

I would like to thank all the staff, particularly the leadership team, for handling the inspection process so professionally, and for all their hard work and dedication in the years and months leading up to the inspection.

Many congratulations to the whole school!

Ruth Henrywood Chair of Governors

Garden Suburb Junior School PTA Junior School Disco – deadline to buy tickets has been extended to Wednesdsay.

There has been a glich on the payment system on Parentmail which has now been rectified. Contact the school office if you still have problems.

Years 3 & 4 Monday 18th July 3:30pm - 5:00pm Years 5 & 6 Tuesday 19th July 3:30pm - 5:00pm

Tickets are £10 and include refreshments and a glow bracelet

Book online in your Parentmail Shop

Go to Payments > Shop > Events > PTA Junior Disco 2022

Tickets will <u>not</u> be issued - your child's name will be on the door list and an **entrance bracelet** will be handed to your child on the day of the disco.













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GARDEN SUBURB LOTTERY: The next draw is this Saturday 9th July. You could win £25,000! Only £1 per ticket. https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/garden-suburb-junior. You've got to be in it to win it – GOOD LUCK EVERYONE.

Water is Cool in School - PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT YOUR CHILD HAS A WATER

It is essential that all children arrive at school with a full water bottle which they can refill during the day. Children are being encouraged to have regular water breaks and this goes more smoothly if they have their own refillable bottle.

Get well soon to the staff and children who are unwell at the moment – there seems to be a lot of Covid about.

Enjoy the lovely weather!

Kind regards

Mrs Eileen Bhavsar Head Teacher









