



Georgian Gardens Primary School
Newsletter Friday 26th September 2025

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Please do not allow your children to play on the playground equipment before and after school. Thank you.

Hopefully, by now, you will have had the chance to download the new communication app 'Reach More Parents' as explained in the box to the right. We shall continue to use 'School Ping' for a short while to ensure no messages are missed. Parents' evening bookings will be via Ping and will be sent out in the next couple of weeks.

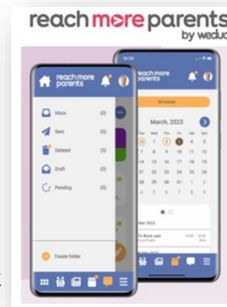
Keep your eye out for adverts from the PTA in the coming weeks. There are a number of events and initiatives being organised and we would love you to be involved.

We are looking forward to welcoming prospective new parents to school in the next few weeks at our open events, the first of which is on next Wednesday morning. Always great to show off our wonderful school.

New Communication System:

All parents/carers will have received information via Ping last week about the new and exciting app we will soon be using for all our school communications, called **Reach More Parents**. We have today sent out login details to all parents/carers via email and ask that you kindly download the app and login, at your earliest convenience please.

There is a direct customer support email for parents/carers should you require any technical assistance - support@weduc.com (please provide your name and telephone number when using this service to enable the team to make contact with you, thank you).



Key dates for 2025 - 2026			
Open Evening for 2026 cohort	Tuesday 11 th November 6pm – 7pm		
Parents' Evenings 3:30pm – 6pm	Mon 20th Oct / Wed 22nd Oct	*Wed 25th Feb/Thurs 26th Feb* Date changed to allow for book fair	
Open Classrooms From 2:45pm	Mon 24 th Nov	23 rd March	22 nd June
Nativity 9:30am	YR parents - 8 th , Y1 parents - 9 th , Y2 parents - 10 th December		
Sports Day KS1 am KS2 pm	Thursday 18 th June (back up 25 th June)		
Summer Fair 3:30 – 5:15pm	Fri 5 th June		
Y6 production 1:30pm / 6:30pm	Tues 14 th July pm / Thurs 16 th July pm and evening		
Y6 presentation eve 6pm – 7pm	Mon 20 th July		

STARS of the week:



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| 1LG Ronnie | 1HK Toby |
| 2CA Edie | 2LN Billy |
| 3VW Oli | 3HC Henry |
| 4TF Sienna | 4KC Hermione |
| 5RD Kaima | 5CT Millie |
| 6BA Dulcie | 6HB Arthur |

Attendance: Whole school: **95.5%** (to date)

The class with the highest attendance in the last week: **2LN 99.3%** they get the chance to have 15 minutes extra choice time next week).

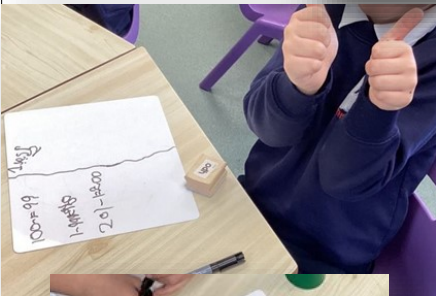
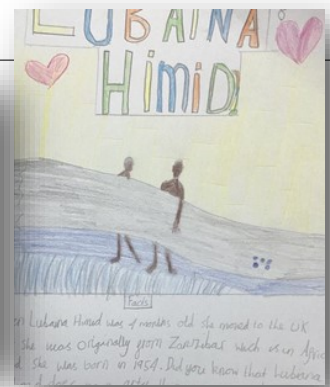
The child with **100% attendance** this week chosen by a random generator:

Nathan 1LG he gets to choose a book from Miss Bowers' selection of prize books.

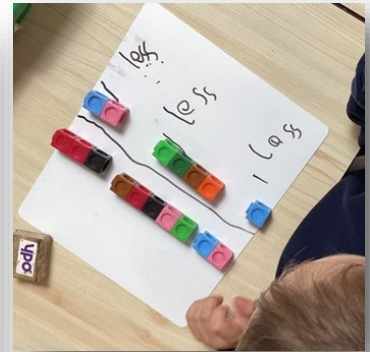
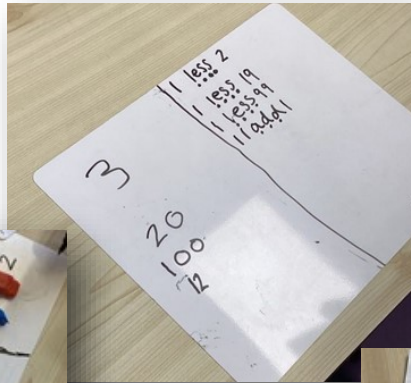
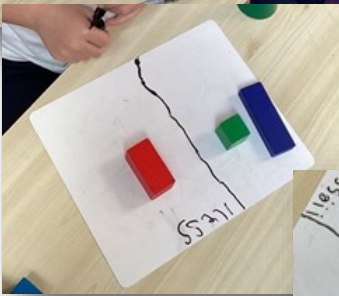
Housepoints: 1st Arundel 2nd Lewes
3rd Bramber 4th Amberley

Snapshot of the week:

Year 6 have been researching and learning about Lubaina Himid, before starting an art project inspired by her work.



Y1 calculated one less by using manipulatives. Some people were able to use a number track or even do it in their heads. Mrs King challenged some people to use bigger numbers.



Year one practised counting backwards from 10. We made blast off posters.



Children in Y5 used the app, Google Earth, to locate different areas of the world and then compare them.



Sports News:

On Tuesday afternoon, we had the KS1 Angmering Half Mile. For some of our children, this was their very first event representing Georgian Gardens, and they did an amazing job. Others had taken part before and once again thoroughly enjoyed the experience, while a few were brand new to the challenge!

A few special mentions:

- Maddie (Year 2) - finished second overall an incredible result!
- Dustin (Year 1) - came 15th overall, but was our very first boy back. A brilliant achievement, especially as one of the youngest runners.

Well done to every single child who took part, you all did yourselves and the school very proud - what a fantastic race!



"Parents...feel that their children are known, nurtured, respected and valued" (Ofsted)

If you have a child starting school in September 2026, we warmly invite you to visit our friendly, vibrant and welcoming school.

Stay & Play

Saturday 4th October, 10.00am -12.00pm

Take part in fun activities and explore our early years setting and new S.T.E.A.M area.

Open Events

1st October, 9.30am - 11am

11th November, 1.30pm - 2.30pm and 6.00pm

27th November, 1.30pm--2.30pm

Meet our current pupils, hear from our Headteacher about life at Georgian Gardens and explore our fantastic facilities.



To book your place, please:

Email: office@georgiangardens.w-sussex.sch.uk
Call: 01903 771555



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CHRISTMAS
Craft Market
SATURDAY 15TH NOVEMBER
10AM - 1PM
FREE ENTRY

Discover Unique Handmade Gifts Just in Time for the Holidays, Kids Craft Activities and a Raffle

School choir will be performing

Refreshments and a selection of cakes will be available

Crafters wanted! Tables are £15
Please apply to
PTAEVENTS@GEORGIANGARDENS.CO.UK

Georgian Gardens
PTA event



Sponsorship:

If you, or someone you know would be interested in sponsoring our fireworks event or donating money towards it, please do contact the school or email the PTA team: pta@georgiangardens.co.uk



Match funding:



Do you own or work for a company who match funds fundraising events? If you would be willing and able to join one of our PTA events in the year and offer this excellent source of extra income, please contact the school either via the office or the PTA email pta@georgiangardens.co.uk

Very many thanks, in advance!

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AN INVITATION TO
DURRINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
OPEN EVENING

Thursday 2nd
October 2025
6pm to 8pm

Presentations by the Headteachers at 6.10pm and 7pm

Open Morning Tours
Monday 6th October to Friday 10th October
9am to 10am

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Term Dates
2025 – 2026

Thursday 4th September – Friday 19th December
(Half term Monday 27th October – Friday 31st October)

Tuesday 6th January 2026 – Friday 27th March 2026
(Half term Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February)

Monday 13th April 2026 – Tuesday 21st July 2026
(Half term Monday 25th May – Friday 29th May)

INSET Dates 2025 - 2026

Wednesday 3rd September, Monday 3rd November,
Monday 5th January, Friday 22nd May, Wednesday 22nd July