

EMMAVILLE PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWS BULLETIN

WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH PARENTS



On 23rd January 2025, 15 Year 2 children had a wonderful time at the GSSP Cricket Festival at Gateshead Stadium. We took part in a carousel of activities working on fielding, batting, throwing and catching skills. It was a fantastic afternoon - well done to you all!

Mrs Johnson and Mrs Wallace

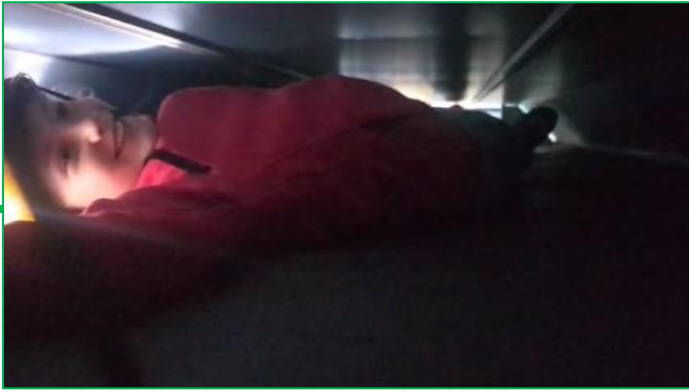
WORLD
**BOOK
DAY**

6 MARCH 2025

We are busy making plans for World Book Day (6th March) and have decided that this year, the fancy dress theme will be bedtime stories, and the children should come to school in their pyjamas to celebrate the day.



Friday 31st January '24



Jolly well done Grace!

We would like share this email which Miss Armstrong has received from Grace's (Y5, Oceania) Mum:

I just thought you'd like to know about Grace's amazing success from the weekend. She went to Cub Camp to do outdoor adventurous activities. One of the activities was caving in a converted bus. She initially had a go and had to climb out after a few minutes as she didn't like it ("terrified" was her word!). After a reassuring hug from her Dad (who was there as Cub leader), Grace decided to have another go! I think this shows an amazing attitude, resilience and growth mindset which I know you value highly at Emmaville. We are just so proud of her! And actually, she ended up loving the caving so it's a good job she tried again (we also talked about this being exactly why you should try something again)! You can see how narrow the tunnels were in the photo. No wonder it took some psyching up to do!

Furthermore, while she was at camp, she was awarded the Chief Scout Silver Award which is the highest accolade you can get in Cubs (you work towards the Gold at Scout level). It's not common for Cubs to achieve this award - it's the culmination of years of attendance, outstanding attitude and adhering to the Cub Scout Law.

I hope this has made you smile!

Thanks,

Beth

If your child has sickness and/or diarrhoea, they must stay off school for **2 full days** after the last bout of the illness.

Thank you

Harry G (Northern Ireland) has misplaced his grey and black coat.

Please check that your child has their own items of clothing.



Please remember if your child is absent from school that you contact the school office before 9.30am (0191 4132460) and leave a message on the absence line.

Alternately, you can email school: emmavilleprimaryschool@gateshead.gov.uk

School Attendance - Week Ending 24.01.25

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| Year 6: North America | 96.9% | South America | 94.8% |
| Year 5: Antarctica | 89.7% | Oceania | 94.2% |
| Year 4: Africa | 91.7% | Asia | 97.0% |
| Year 3: Northern Europe | 99.7% | Southern Europe | 94.5% |
| Year 2: Northern Ireland | 98.1% | Wales | 96.8% |
| Year 1: England | 94.3% | Scotland | 93.3% |
| EYFS: Gateshead | 97.5% | Newcastle | 91.4% |
| Crawcrook | 97.1% | | |



Well done to Northern Europe for the best attendance last week.

Stars of the Week

Head Teacher - Grace

Congratulations Grace on showing great resilience and perseverance - I am very proud of you.

North America - Willow

For such speedy times table work.

South America - Ewan

For amazing effort and attitude across school.

Antarctica - Hal

For gorgeous handwriting.

Oceania - Alfie

For his brilliant effort in learning and improvement in handwriting.

Africa - AJ

For always having a positive, can-do attitude.

Asia - Finlay

For always trying his best and showing kindness to others.

Northern Europe - Rosie

For super focus during lessons! Well done!

Southern Europe - Rosa

For setting a great example to all children in Year 3.

Northern Ireland - James

For his fantastic English work this week!

Wales - Amelia

For great effort in her writing all week!

England - Lyra

For being a kind helper to her friends in English!

Scotland - Charlie DK

For her resilience and fantastic art work.

Newcastle - Rocco

For always having beautiful manners!

Gateshead - Kade

For trying very hard and coming up with a fabulous describing word in English - venomous.

Crawcrook Nursery - Oliver

For his enthusiasm during Bird Week and was kind to his friends.