# HEADTEACHER'S NEWSLETTER



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The communication between school and parent is vital in reinforcing to students that the school and you, the parent, is a team with the same goal: to support children in reaching their potential.

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Dear Parent and Career,

#### HALFWAY THERE

The first week of October has now come to an end and once again we have reached another Friday. Attendance this week has stabilised, however, it is not where it should be. Could you please ensure that your son or daughter attends school regularly and any illness is reported to school or via the <a href="mailto:admin@gateacre.org">admin@gateacre.org</a> email address. Thank you to those parents who are contacting school with sufficient time to enable school colleagues to provide that necessary support. I would encourage you to continue to work with school regarding illness and attendance moving forward.

As we enter the halfway stage of this particularly long half term, I would like to remind you that the half term break for Liverpool schools is a little later than in previous years and starts on Monday 30th October 2023.

On a closing note, I look forward to meeting Year  $\gamma$  parents and carers on Tuesday, as you join school colleagues to review the first 5 weeks of term.

Please enjoy the warm weekend when it comes.

Yours faithfully,

Gareth Jones

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## STUDENTS ATTENDANCE

VERSUS

# 5 GOOD PASS GRADES AT GCSE

100% - 96%

73% of Students achieve 5 good pass grades

96% - 94%

64% of Students achieve 5 good pass grades

93% - 90%

55% of Students achieve 5 good pass grades

80% TO 70%

Only 20% chance of achieving 5 good pass grades

50% AND BELOW

Only 6% of Students achieve 5 good pass grades

### WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

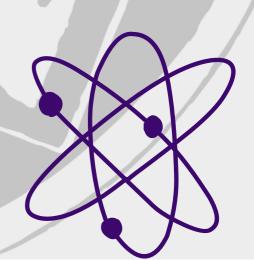
Year 7 91.65% down

Year 8 90.3% up

Year 9 86.25% up

Year 10 86.1% up

Year 11 87.55% up





# GATEACRE GREATS A WEEKLY 'WELL-DONE' TO STUDENTS BEING THE BEST THEY CAN BE

#### Year 7- Darcie Rankin

For helping out so much during Academic Tutorial

#### Year 8- Alicia Lacey

Spending the afternoon at the BIG Little Library helping Norman Pannell pupils select books for their library and listening to pupils read.

#### Year 9- Oakley Allister

Helping pupils from Norman Pannell Primary at the BIG Little Library select books to fill their library. and reading aloud to pupils.

#### Year 10- Mia Downey

Excellent effort for homework in English

#### Year 11- Laci Arends

Laci has been trying really hard in English recently which is showing in her latest assessment. Well done Laci!







### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

#### 10TH OCT

Year 7 Form Tutor Meet & Greet (book your appointment on your Edulink app).

# 17th OCT

Sixth Form Parents Evening

#### 27th OCT Break for Half Term

7th NOV Year 11 Parents Evening





