



# Goodyers End Primary School

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## Thank you and Goodbye

As we begin the final week of the summer term, it is bitter sweet for me with it being my final ever week at Goodyers End!

It's hard to believe that this time last year we were battling the trials and tribulations of COVID and now 12 months on and there is another national emergency to deal with; these extraordinary temperatures are certainly not what we are used to. However, as usual we soldier on with the children's best interest at heart.

These sorts of major life events have made me consider how resilient our children are, in dealing with the different obstacles life puts in our way. On a positive, the school year has felt far more normal this year and the children have certainly slotted back into the work ethic of a pre-covid era. They have shown great determination to succeed and great pride in their work; I could not be prouder of their achievements this year.

It has been well documented in the media how badly affected children have been due to the pandemic, however our children have definitely bucked the trend.

### Key Stage Two SATs results:

Key Stage 2	2022 Expected Standard (National data 2022)	2022 Greater Depth
Reading	80% (74%)	32%
Writing	78% (69%)	15%
Maths	82% (71%)	23%
GPS	85% (72%)	40%
Combined R W M	72% (59%)	8%

These results are a testament to the hard work and dedication of the pupils and the staff, not just this year but also all through their time at school. To achieve results across all subjects is a huge success and some of those results are significantly above national too!

### Sporting successes

Yet again this year we have participated in several local school sporting competitions. Miss Hall was very proud to announce that every competition they entered this year resulted in a podium finish! A huge well done to the rounders team who made it through to the All Coventry, Warwickshire and Solihull finals. A very big thank you to the staff and parents who gave up their time to escort them to the various events.

Competition	Place
Year 5/6 Dodgeball Tournament	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Year 5/6 Dodgeball Tournament	3 <sup>rd</sup>



Year 3/4 Boys 5-a-side Football tournament	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Year 1/2 mixed 5-a-side Football Tournament	1 <sup>st</sup>
Year 5/6 7-a-side Football Tournament	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Year 5/6 Indoor Athletics	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Year 5/6 Gymnastics	1 <sup>st</sup>
Year 5/6 Swimming Gala	1 <sup>s</sup>
Year 3/4 Swimming Gala	3 <sup>rd</sup>
Year 5/6 Rounders	2 <sup>nd</sup>
Year 5/6 Rounders Regional	1 <sup>st</sup>

### **Goodbye to Year Six**

So on that very positive note I would like to wish each and every member of year six all the very best as they move on to their new destinations; they can all go confidently knowing they have certainly maximised their primary school experience. Good luck year six!

### **Goodbye to Miss Horsfall, Mrs Miller and Mrs Broad**

I would like to wish these staff members all the best in their new destinations. The work that you have all carried out at Goodyers End has been invaluable. I know they will be missed by everyone. I would also like to welcome Mrs Malkin, who many of you have already met, who takes over the role of Family Learning Mentor.

And finally, a very big thank you from me to all of you for your support shown over the years, I have loved working at Goodyers End Primary School, your children are a credit to you. Children, remember to dream big because you are capable of fantastic things.

Happy summer everyone.

Best wishes,



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Headteacher