



Lingdale Letterbox

Working together to be the best we can be
13/9/19



Y5/6: 100% Fantastic!
Y3/4: 99.2% Well done!
Y1/2: 99.3% Well done!
Reception: 95.6% Below

This week's whole school attendance: 99% Fantastic!

Yearly school attendance to date: 97.7%

Target: 96.6% - Expected Standard for all schools. Poor attendance impacts negatively on your child's potential and life chances.

Dear Parents,

Wow! What an amazing eight days it has been at Lingdale Primary School! Every single child has impressed us in one way or another... be it uniform, manners, punctuality, attitude, homework, reading, times tables, a thirst for knowledge, being a super friend...the list is endless!

We would like to take this opportunity to thank parents /carers for their support with all of the above. Whether your child is new to two- year old provision or seeing out their final year with us, we appreciate all your efforts to make sure that our pupils strive to be the best that they can be. 2019/20 is certainly going to be a fantastic year to be part of our school family. Staff have planned an amazing curriculum that is guaranteed to engage and stimulate every child whatever their interest.

Health and safety news - This week the children have taken part in two fire drills. The children were sensible and managed to exit school in less than one minute. We were very proud of all of them and we are over the moon with our new fire alarm system.

Macmillan Coffee Morning - On Friday 28th Sept at 9.00am, we are holding our annual coffee morning to raise money for Macmillan. We hope you can all join us for a coffee and our very special AUCTION! Any donations of raffle prizes, cakes or any other baking would be greatly appreciated for this very worthy cause.

2 Year Old Provision - Do you know any children in the area that are nearly 2? We are updating our waiting list and making sure all our babies and toddlers are registered with our school office. Please register your child and spread the word as soon as you can.

30 hours entitlement - We now offer 30 hours childcare for 3 & 4 year olds. Please speak to the school office to enquire if you are eligible or visit www.childcarechoices.gov.uk

Trips and Residential News

This year we have already secured some exciting trips for each class and a Year 5/6 residential. Due to school budget cuts, we will be asking for a small contribution again this year. We want all of the children at Lingdale Primary School to be able to take part in a residential and school trips so any fundraising this year will help towards these costs. The cost of class trips will not exceed £10 and the school will pay the rest. The residential cost is £80 and the deadline for payments is Tuesday 1st October 2019.

Greggs Uniform Competition

This week five of our lovely families were awarded £50 of FREE school uniform. The families were entered into a draw and Greggs selected the lucky winners for the funding. If you would like to enter next month and haven't already let us know, please email the school office or let a member of staff know.

Half term holidays:

Last day of term Fri. 25th October, returning to school Monday 4th November 2019

School Uniform

A huge thank you for your efforts with uniform. Your children look great! A quick reminder: All shoes should be flat and black. PE bags should be kept in school Monday to Friday. The only item of jewellery appropriate for school is a watch and **plain pair of studs** (no jewels or shaped earrings). Please remember that earrings must be removed for PE. Please see class newsletters for more information about PE days.

Head teachers Awards: For a fast start to the year - Well done!

Bunty Stiff - Mrs Jones
Elliott P - Miss Stonehouse
Maddie D - Mr Fairbridge
Kenzie C - Mrs Crame
Cerys B -Mrs Norris



Lewis J & Noah D - Citizenship Award