

LECONFIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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NEWSLETTER Friday 4th October 2024

Attendance

Whole School: 95,42%

Cherry Class had the highest attendance of 99%!

Dear Parents & Carers,

Thank you to all for your patience and understanding this week.

It has been an even busier week than usual with our Ofsted inspection and your positive comments and kindness have been so appreciated by us all.

The inspectors spent two full days in school, observing lessons, speaking to children, parents and staff about all aspects of school life.

We are very proud of our children for the way they spoke to the inspection team and for the way they got on with business as usual. I am also extremely proud of **all** our staff for their commitment and passion which has shone through this week.

We look forward to sharing the report with you once the report has been finalised and published.

Have a lovely weekend, Katie Tracey, Headteacher

Longcroft Open Evening for Y6 Families

If you missed the open evening for Y6 children and their families at Longcroft...fear not!

Longcroft has announced an alternative date for families who were unable to attend.

Families of children in Year 6 can visit the school on Thursday 17th October at 4pm.



Freya found an ingenious use for medical equipment this week when she made some Harvest art!



Thank you to everyone who has attended the recent cross country and football events at Longcroft. We were really proud of you all, especially on Tuesday night in the torrential rain! Ella came in 5th position and has made it through to the next stage of the cross country event!

Dates for Your Diary...

9.10.24	Mental Health Team Afternoon Tea for Parents & Carers
25.10.24	School Closes Half Term
4.11.24	School Opens Autumn 2
6.11.24	School Photographs
13.11.24	Flu Vaccinations
15.11.24	Non Uniform Day (wear spots!) Children in Need
WC 25.11	Y3 Swimming (+ some Y4 / Y5)
17.12.24	Pantomime Trip
19.12.24	School Closes Christmas
6.1.25	School Opens Spring 1
14.2.25	School Closes Half Term
24.2.25	School Opens Spring 2
4.4.25	School Closes Easter
22.4.25	School Opens Summer 1
23.5.25	School Closes Half Term
2.6.25	School Closed – Training Day
3.6.25	School Opens Summer 2
21.7.25	2.00pm Y6 Leavers Assembly
21.7.25	School Closes End of Year

More dates to follow...watch this space...

Illness in School

We have had a lot of illness this week with an increasing number of cases of hand, foot and mouth disease. Please keep an eye out for the symptoms. The first symptoms can be a sore throat, a high temperature and not wanting to eat. The second stage usually starts a few days later and symptoms can include mouth ulcers, which can be painful, a raised rash of spots on the hands and feet, and sometimes the groin area and bottom. The spots may turn into blisters. Further information can be found here: [NHS Information](https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/hand-foot-and-mouth-disease/)

We have also had several cases of diarrhoea and vomiting. We understand that children can seem to recover very quickly from sickness but we need you to keep children at home until 48 hours after the last bout of sickness or diarrhoea. This helps stop illness being passed on to other children and staff.

Thank you so much for your support.