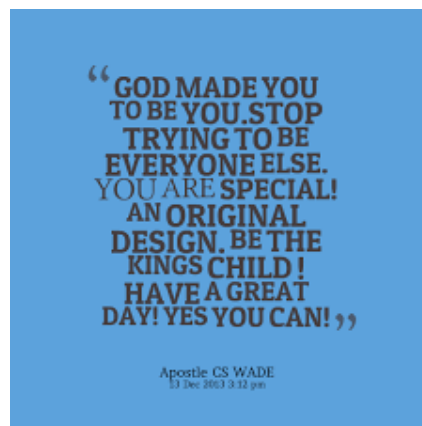




## Leeds and Broomfield C of E Primary School

Many Hands Build a House, Many Hearts Make a School  
(Matthew 7:24-27 : The Wise and Foolish Builders )

Resilience, Curiosity, Honesty, Respect, Empathy  
NEWSLETTER 09—Friday 18th November 2022



This week we have been looking at proverbs about worrying, specifically ones about worrying about what other people think of you.

As a school we decided that we should not worry about what people think BUT that is really difficult - BUT we must keep trying!

This week the children have enjoyed getting stuck into their learning.

**Hedgehogs** - have been using their phonics knowledge to write simple words (year R) and to write acrostic poems about animals (Y1).

**Squirrels** - have inspired others across the school with their fantastic writing. By the end of Tuesday I had nearly seen all children with their brilliant writing. I was blown away by the vocabulary and the presentation of their work! Well done!

**Badgers** - have continued their learning about Baptism in Understanding Beliefs. They have been making links with other faiths and non-faith to see if there are similar celebrations.



Please complete the Rocket Reader star chart by Monday 21st November and hand it into myself or your child's class teacher!



Remember to add in a new word into each star.

We are looking for a cleaner for the school. This is 15 hours a week / 3 hours per day to clean the school, classrooms and toilets. If you are interested please speak to me on the gate or look on Kent Teach.

<https://www.kent-teach.com/Recruitment/Vacancy/VacancyDetails.aspx?VacancyId=109500>

## PROUD awards

After speaking to pupils and staff we wanted to build children's self esteem and confidence in themselves. Each pupil needs to work to get a badge for each letter of the word PROUD.

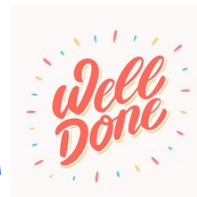
P - Pleasure in work  
R - Respect in work  
O - Organised in work  
U - Unique in work  
D - Distinction



Each class has a different colour badge to collect. The children can put these on their bags or on their school jumpers.

This week's PROUD winners are: Leo H, Ethan, Oliver R, Isabel, Storm and Lacey-May L

A massive well done!



Hedgehogs— Cabhan

Squirrels— Imogen

Badgers— Patience

## Christian Vision and Values



Hedgehogs— Cabhan

Squirrels— Lulu

Badgers — Dudley



We are seeking an afternoon crossing patrol person. If you would like more information please visit the links below or talk to myself on the gate. Thank you

<https://recruitmenthub.solutions/members/modules/job/detail.php?record=6589>

In addition we are trialling the use of Kent Teach for the vacancy and this can be found at the following link.

<https://www.kent-teach.com/EducationalVacancies/Details.aspx?JobId=1523>

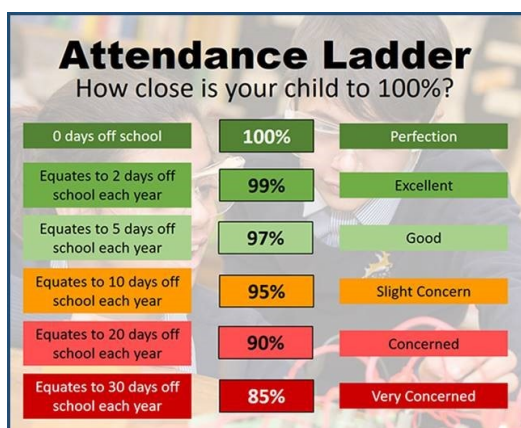


## Attendance

**Please continue to get your child to school. Our current whole school attendance is: 90.1%**

We track attendance every three weeks. If your child's attendance falls below 97% and we DO NOT have a reason for their absence then Kent County council Attendance policy Kicks in. This starts with a series of letters. The first one is a Letter 1 explaining that your child's attendance has dropped below 97%. Letter 2 invites you in for a meeting with myself and Letter 3 is again an invite for a meeting with myself and possibly an attendance officer. At this point we have options to get social services and Kent County Council officer involved as well.

If you are finding getting your child to school difficult then please do arrange a meeting with myself so that we can talk things through and work together on getting your child into school as much as possible.



### Future Dates:

**Monday 21st November**—Coffee afternoon with Mrs Steer and Mrs Coleman

**Friday 25th November** - Year One outdoor learning morning with Mrs Cannell - wear outdoor clothes.

**Friday 25th November** - Demelza House sing along - 2pm at Fremlin Walk.

**Monday 5th - 7th December** - Residential - BOWLES Year 5 / 6

**Change of Date** - Christmas Jumper and Christmas Lunch Day is now on **Friday 9th December**

**Wednesday 14th December** - Christmas at the church! 2pm and 6pm YR - 2 Nativity play in the church - families welcome to join us. 2pm - 4pm and then again at 6pm FOLSA Christmas Fayre at the church.

### FOLSA events:

**Christmas Disco** - Thursday 1st December - YrR - Y2 3:30 - 4:30 / Yr 3 - 6 4:45 - 6pm (KS2 children can stay for a film after school rather than going home if they would like to) Details to follow from FOLSA.

**If yourself, or if you know someone that is looking at schools for a September 2023 start for Year R please ask them to call the school to arrange a tour.**

