



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 11—Friday 25th November 2022



We have been looking at what is important to us. Is it money? Friendship? Families? God? Have a time to reflect over the weekend.

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

Hedgehogs - have been learning all about different family groups. See if they can name a mammal or an amphibian?

Squirrels - have been looking at ways to add numbers together. Some have been using numicon, some using their number bonds knowledge and others looking at the column method.

Badgers - have been really enjoyed their art learning. This has been about observational drawing. It has been very calm in Badgers with a high level of concentration.



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: Millie, Henry, Teddy, Jacob, Jasmine, Amos and Elizabeth

A massive well done!



Hedgehogs— Emma

Squirrels— George S

Badgers— Laycie

Christian Vision and Values



Hedgehogs— Mabel

Squirrels— Leo K

Badgers — Sydney and Jacob



Sponsored Walk in aid of Kent Autistic Trust, Young Minds, RSPCA, Wateraid (School Council chosen) so far we have raised £1603.80.

This is AMAZING. A massive well done to all families and extended families and friends. We will split the final total between the four charities above.

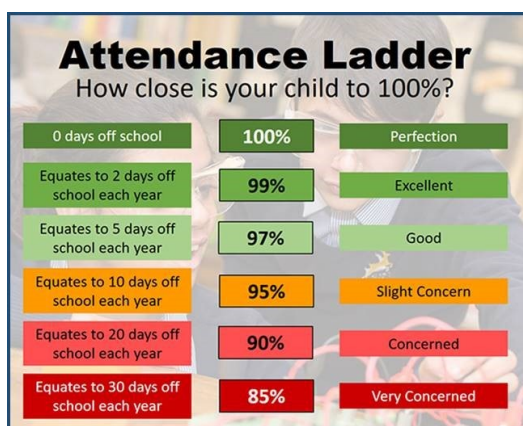


Attendance

Please continue to get your child to school. Our current whole school attendance is: 91.7%

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

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

Friday 9th December—Years 2 and 3 Outdoor learning, bring in waterproofs or a change of clothes

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.

Thursday 15th December—End of Term

Friday 16th December—Staff Training Day

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.

