Loatlands Edition

Respect, Resilience and Curiosity

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Dates for your Diary

Please follow the link below for the yearly planner <u>Loatlands Primary School - Newsletters</u>



this term.

Well that was a quick term, the time has flown by, although the children have managed to fit an awful lot of learning in too! Thank you for coming along to parents evening. It was great to see so many of you there and for me to get to speak to you face to face as well. I know the children love knowing you have been into school and been able to look at their achievements

I hope you all have a fantastic two week half term and we look forward to seeing you back in school on Monday 30th October. *Wrs Willis*

Attendance

Thank you for supporting us on improving our attendance figures. This term has seen a 2% increase and although we have been struck down with various germs, we have still managed to keep our figures up. So, thank you. Please remember a day missed is about three days lost learning. We want Loatlands children to leave school independent, confident learners that can reach their dreams. With your help, we can do this.

Let's see if we can get to 96% next term!

Year Group	Attendance Percentage	
Reception	91.9%	
Year 1	93.4%	Whole School
Year 2	96%	
Year 3	96.2%	94.7%
Year 4	95.9%	
Year 5	94.7%	
Year 6	94.9%	



We have had a fantastic term gathering spots on our recognition wall. We have had over 600 recognitions across the School for both staff and children.

What a fantastic positive environment we are creating.

Well done to everyone. Congratulations to **Mrs Limmage** for receiving the added bonus of the Costa Coffee voucher.

We hope you enjoy spending the voucher with your family and friends.





A huge thank you to each and every person who donated food for our food bank as part of our Harvest Mufti Day. We have filled 11 supermarket crates with an amazing selection of products. These will be split between different food bank projects in the local area.



	30th	School reopens to pupils	
October	31st	Individual School Photographs – sibling photographs will also be taken and there will be an opportunity for pre-school siblings and family photographs after school – more information to follow	
	31st	Flu Vaccinations in School – only for children with completed online consent forms	

November	6th	KS1 Multi Skills festival after school @ Montsaye – selected children
14th		Parent and young siblings coffee morning and second hand uniform sale – In Nursery Library
	15th – 17th	Year 4 Residential to Willersley Castle
	27 th - 1st	Art History Theme Week
	27th	Y4 &5 – 5-a-side Futsal Tournament after school at Montsaye Academy (6-8 pupils from across both classes)
	30th	Parents open afternoon – come along as see what the children have been doing this week
1st		Christmas tree festival
	2nd	Family Open Afternoon – come and see what we have been doing in Art History Theme Week from 1:45pm – 3:00pm
	5th	Whole School Christmas Panto – in school
	8th	Christmas Jumper Day (1)
	11th	Reception and Year 1 Christmas Concert
December	12th	Reception and Year 1 Christmas Concert
	15th	Christmas Jumper Day (2)
	18th	Phase 2 Christmas Concert
	19th	Phase 3 Christmas Concert Christmas Jumper Day (3) School Christmas Dinner Day School Closes for Pupils Christmas Holidays

As we add things to the planner we will be sure to update you with as much notice as possible. Please note dates are subject to change but we will endeavour to keep to the planner as much as we possibly can. You can find the current version by clicking on the link here.....

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YEAR 6 PARENTS

The deadline for secondary school applications is 31st October 2023. Submitting your application by this date give your child a better chance of being accepted into their preferred secondary school.

Forest School

Year 3 Morpurgo Class will be having their sessions every Tuesday morning starting on **Tuesday 31**st **October**.

Year 3 Rowling Class will be having their sessions every Wednesday morning starting on **Wednesday 1**st **November**.

Please send your child wearing their forest school kit and send their school uniform in a named carrier bag to change into



PE Days Next Term

Please check below for any changes in your child's PE days next term.

Year Group	PE Days – Term 2	
Reception	Wednesdays	
Year 1	Monday and Tuesday	
Year 2	Thursday (indoor) and Friday	
	(outdoor)	
Year 3	Monday	
Year 4	Friday	
Year 5	Wednesday and Thursday	
Year 6	Tuesday and Wednesday	

School Photographs

School Photographs will be taking place on Tuesday $31^{\rm st}$ October. If you child has PE or Forest School that day, please send them in wearing their School Uniform with their PE kit or Forest School kit in a named bag .





Year 4 Swimming will continue on Monday's throughout next term.

We ask for a contribution to our coach costs which can be paid via school money.

Can we please remind parents to be mindful when parking outside of School. We have had a number of occasions lately when vehicles can't get through due to cars being parked on the road on both sides.





Nut Free School

A reminder that we are a Nut Free School so children should not be bringing nuts as a snack or any product containing nuts in their home pack ups.



Poppy Appeal

We are pleased to be supporting The Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal again this year. Year 6 will be visiting every class on the week of the 6^{th} November giving children the chance to buy a poppy. Other items are also available - zip pull 50p, reflector 50p, silicone wristband £1, snap band £1.50.

Please send in the correct money in a named envelope with your child. Please note that

stocks are limited.

Bank Holiday

Pathfinder Schools - 2023-24 academic year Term Dates Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa Su Mo Tu We Th Mo Tu We Th 20 22 21 21 14 17 17 21 19 Jul-24 11 8 10 11 10 18 18 19 10 11 13 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 17 23 School days Total Days TD TD School holiday 190 Autumn 1 30 32 Spring 1 28 30 Teachers 195 Autumn 2 36 36 Spring 2 raining day

Coatlands Primary School OPEN SESSIONS

Is your child starting school in September 2024? If so please give us a call and come along for a school visit.



Thursday 2nd November 9.30am
Thursday 9th November 1.30pm
Saturday 18th November 9.30am
Wednesday 22nd November 6.30pm
Friday 1st December 1.30pm



Informal chat followed by a school tour, lasting approx. 1 hour We advise adults only but we understand this is not always possible.

To book a visit please call 01536 903713

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