

Leagrave Primary School

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<u>Year 4 Easter</u>
<u>Assembly</u>
Tuesday 26th March
2.45pm - 3.00pm
(Parents Invited)

Reception
Whipsnade Zoo Trip
Tuesday 26th March

Year 5 Lealands
Grease the Musical
Performance Trip
Tuesday 26th March
1.00pm - 3.20pm

<u>Easter Holidays</u> Friday 29th March – Friday 12th April



Please
ensure your
child's
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account is
up to date
with
bookings and
payments

Please use the holiday period to check your child has the correct uniform and that it fits properly

Please can all P.E. kits be clearly labelled with your child's name and class

Headteacher's Corner

Dear Parents/Carers,

We would like to thank those of you who attended Parents' Evening last week. Your support is very much appreciated and welcomed. I hope you enjoyed looking at your child's books and discussing your child's progress and next steps with their teachers.

This week our Year 6 pupils took part in their last Mock SAT's. All children have coped very well with this, and they should be very proud of their achievements and resilience.

Finally, I would like to remind parents that next Thursday is our last day of the Spring term. I wish you all a lovely Easter break and we look forward to seeing you back in school on Monday 15^{th} April. Kind regards,

Mrs E Gillespie (Headteacher)



Thank you to all the parents who attended this week's parent forum session. It is vital for us to allow you to have a voice and work together to make your child's learning experience a memorable one.

Can we kindly remind parents that you are setting an example for your children and ask you to refrain from using offensive and bad language outside the school gates.



The children in Butterfly and Honeybee classes really enjoyed welcoming their Mum's and Nanny's for our special Mother's Day workshops. The children completed lots of special activities with their loved ones, such as decorating biscuits, painting flowers and writing cards. Thank you for your support, the children really enjoyed having you and so did we!

















A big congratulations to the following classes:

1W, 4D and 5R Attendance Winners for week commencing 4th March

2K and 5W Attendance Winners for week commencing 11th March

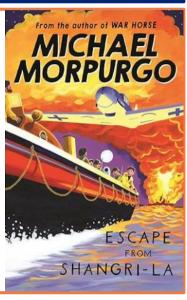


Bookworm Corner

Escape From Shangri-La by Michael Morpurgo.

Escape From Shangri-La' is a fantastic book written by Michael Morpurgo, It tells a story of a great adventure between a little girl called, Cessie, and her long-lost Grandad. Cessie is ten years old when she meets her granddad, her Dad's dad. Sadly, Grandad begins to lose his memory and is becoming a danger to people around him; he is put into a nursing home called Shangri-La. This is Grandad's worse nightmare. Cessie is determined to help her grandfather escape, which she does successfully. They go on an exciting adventure, back in time, to a night on the beaches of Dunkirk in World War Two.

(Miss Monaghan)





On Monday 4th March we held our annual Scholastic Book Fair. This was a very popular event and we raised an amazing £2052.99, giving us £1231.79 to spend on new books for your children to enjoy

A big well done to Aaliyah (5R) and Arham (1TA) who were our 'Book in a Jar' winners.

We would like to say a special thank you to Miss Brooks for coordinating the World Book Day activities and ensuring the day went smoothly.



Kids eat for £1 All Day, Every Day at Asda

Kids eat free with a purchase of 60p+ from From Mon 12th - Fri in Half Terms 2024

SAINSBURYS CAFES

Kids eat for £1 with the purchase of an adult hot main. From 11.30am every day.

PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM

Kids get 1 mini main, 2 snacks & a drink FREE with every £4 spend after 3pm

THE REAL GREEK Kids under 12 eat FREE every Sunday for

TGI FRIDAYS

adult's main meal (App needed)

Children under the age of 10 get free pizza at

Purezza with every adult meal purchased TRAVELODGE & PREMIER INN

Buy 1 Adult Breakfast from just £8.99 & up to two kids eat breakfast for free

SIZZLING PUBS

Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm, kids' mains are £1 with every adult meal.

BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE

COCONUT TREE

One child (10 & Under) eats free per paying adult. Valid from 23/03/2024 - 14/04/2024

nd £4.49 and get one free kids meal all

GORDON RAMSEY RESTAURANTS

Kids up to age 10 eat free all day, every day with paying adults at Preto in Half Terr

WHITBREAD INNS Two kids under 16 eat for FREE with every adult breakfast purchased

BELLA ITALIA

Two kids can eat free ALL DAY (Weekdays) from Monday 25th March - Friday 12th April 2024, with one adult main dish.

MES GARDEN CENTRES

TABLE TABLE

breakfast every day with one paying adult!

Kids get a meal from 95p daily from 11am

Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

FUTURE INNS

Kids eat for £1 on Mondays





Attendance: 4th March 2024 -15th March 2024

	Attendance	Class	Attendance
Honeybee	91%	4KB	96%
Butterfly	92%	4MB	91%
1ST	98%	5 <i>C</i>	94%
1W	97%	5R	99%
2 <i>A</i>	97%	5W	99%
2M	99%	6B	95%
3 <i>A</i>	97%	6E	94%
3B	97%	6M	97%
4D	94%	Whole School	96%

Our whole school attendance target is 97%.



All staff at Leagrave Primary School would like to say happy birthday to:

Maisam A Ladybird
Daoud K Butterfly
Jamal G Butterfly
Emily B Butterfly
Ibrahim J Butterfly
Zakariyah J Honeybee
Omar R Honeybee
Leon T Honeybee
Romeo W 1ST
Amaya R 1ST
Liyana A 1ST
Pranvi D 1ST
Michael R 1W

Hajrah Q 2A
Kareem S 2A
Aron N 2K
Hoorain A 2K
Lara M 2K
Dawud R 2K
Suruthy V 3A
Yusra K 3A
Fouzia I 3A
Ashleigh O 3A
Zahir S 3A
Austin O 3B
Aingaran K 3B

Farhan I 3B
Raisa D 3B
Aaliyah W 4D
Emirjon K 4D
Pranshi D 4KB
Muhammad H 4KB
Eshaal T 5C
Safah Y 5C
Ayaan R 5R
Abigail S 5R
Yasin R 5R
Amelia B 5W
Igor G 5W

Kayden M 6M
Hashim R 6M
Danica J 6M
Madison D 6M
Zarqa A 6B
Tijani P 6B
Amina R 6B
Mason J 6E
Hamzah Q 6E
Qusay A 6E

Well-Being Corner

Stress Awareness Month

Signs of Stress:

- ♦ Withdrawn behaviour—children who are struggling with stress can act withdrawn. They don't seem to enjoy the same things they used to, or seem a little hesitant to join in with their peers.
- ♦ Sleep—any change in sleep patterns can indicate that your child may be feeling stressed. For instance, all of a sudden they can't wake up in time for school. Or, they've suddenly become a night owl who refuses to go to bed before midnight.

Strategies to Support Your Child:

- ♦ Give your child effective strategies to deal with any stress, such as physical activity, breathing exercises or meditation. Older children might also like journaling or creating artwork to express their feelings.
- ♦ As with most things when it comes to parenting, actions speak louder than words. Make sure you are appropriately managing your own stress levels and your child will be more likely to follow suit.
- ♦ Take some time to talk to your child about stress and the ways that they can cope.

Relaxation Activity: Flower and Candle

This simple relaxation exercise encourages deep breathing to calm and soothe. Pretend you have a nice smelling flower in one hand and a slow burning candle in the other.

- Breathe in slowly through your nose as you smell the flower.
- Breathe out slowly through your mouth as you blow out the candle.
- Repeat a few times.

It's Mindful March. Look at the calendar below and see how many things you can achieve to develop a positive attitude.

