



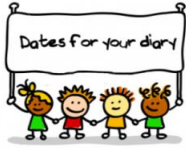
# Leagrave Primary School

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## NEWSLETTER 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2026



### Year 3 Curriculum Corner Assembly

Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> January  
at 2.45pm

School Council Houses  
of Parliament Trip  
Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> January

Supporting Your Child  
at Home Parent  
Information Session

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup>  
January 9.00am -  
10.00am



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

David B Ladybird  
Alison S Butterfly  
Aveera K Butterfly  
Matylda S 1D  
Yunus F 1SK  
Marah A 1SK  
Muhammad Y 1SK  
Amyra N 2A  
Oluwaseyitan A 3A  
Kevin L 3A  
Ibrahim H 4W  
Willen H 5H  
Aysel R 6C  
Aarib C 6B  
Michelle A 6B  
Brielle M 6M  
Mitchell A 6M



### Headteacher's Corner

Dear Parents/Carers,

Reminders are sent via email on a regular basis but unfortunately we are continuing to have ongoing parking issues on Strangers Way, please can we once again remind you of the following:

- Please **do not** use or enter the car park for our neighbouring school Lady Zia Wernher
- Please **do not** block access paths and gates to the building site
- Please ensure people have adequate space to walk safely on the paths
- Please **do not** get into confrontational conversations with the builders/other parents
- When dropping your child to school, please can you make sure that you **do not** stop in front of the zebra crossing or park on the zig zag lines to let your child out of the car

The safety of our pupils is paramount and your support in this matter is vital.

Mrs E Gillespie  
(Headteacher)

## Multi-skills Event



On Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> January, a group of Year 5 and 6 children visited the Inspire sports centre to take part in the spring multi-skills event.

They were able to take part in activities which were focused around net and wall sports including volleyball, tennis and archery. They had an enjoyable time and they demonstrated good manners, excellent sports skills and sportsmanship during the event. Well done Team Leagrave!

## Year 3 Verulamium Museum Trip

Yesterday, Year 3 went on a trip to the Verulamium Museum to learn about Roman Britain.

We visited the hypocaust and learnt about underfloor heating and how it worked. Inside the museum, we looked at the collection of coins, mosaics and pottery. We had a brilliant workshop where we dressed up as Romans at the market.

We were given tasks to find certain food items, jewellery, clothing and metals used in the houses. The teacher explained the importance of each item which was very interesting to learn about. The children had a great day at the museum and the staff there were very impressed with them as they were very keen to learn and enthusiastic.



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# Year 6 Natural History Museum Trip

Yesterday, Year 6 enjoyed a fantastic educational visit to the Natural History Museum at Tring. It was a brilliant day out that truly brought our classroom learning to life.

We participated in an engaging workshop on evolution, learning fascinating facts about how animals have adapted to survive in their environments over time. Following the workshop, we explored the museum's six historic galleries, viewing hundreds of different animal species.

The children had many favourites, but the highlights included, the imposing gorilla and lion, the different species of seals and the red fox - which we were lucky enough to touch!

It was an incredible experience and the children have returned feeling even more knowledgeable for our current Science topic: Living Things and Their Habitats.



## Sponsored Times Tables Challenge and Non-uniform Day

On Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2026, we are holding a Sponsored Times Tables Challenge to raise money for the NSPCC children's charity.

In addition to the sponsored times tables, the 6<sup>th</sup> February will also be a non-uniform day and we kindly ask for a contribution of £1 per child, which will also be donated to the NSPCC.

We hope that you will join us in supporting this incredible charity.



Times Tables Rock Stars is an excellent resource that we have available for children to practise their times tables online! It is a fun and exciting way for children to become fluent at their times tables. When playing, children are able to take part in challenges and can also challenge themselves to beat their previous scores!

It is an expectation that your child is practising their times tables daily at home.

## Contacting Leagrave Primary

If you need to contact the school regarding your child/ren please use:

[Parents@leagraveprimary.co.uk](mailto:Parents@leagraveprimary.co.uk)

If your email is regarding your child's attendance or regarding an appointment your child has please use:

[Attendance@leagraveprimary.co.uk](mailto:Attendance@leagraveprimary.co.uk)

If you need to contact the school regarding any admission related queries please use:

[Admissions@leagraveprimary.co.uk](mailto:Admissions@leagraveprimary.co.uk)

For urgent matters please telephone: 01582 571951

## Pharmacy First

for help with everyday health conditions

HSC Health and Social Care

SAVE TIME AND AVOID WAITING TO SEE A GP

For **FREE** confidential advice and treatment ask your pharmacist **FIRST**

- Acne
- Athlete's foot
- Diarrhoea
- Ear Wax
- Groin area infection
- Haemorrhoids
- Head lice
- Mouth Ulcers
- Oral Thrush
- Scabies
- Threadworms
- Vaginal Thrush
- Verrucae



## What is Pharmacy First?

Hockwell Ring Pharmacy and other pharmacies provide this service, which enables children and adults to get quick access to healthcare advice. You can walk into the pharmacy and access this service.

You will be offered a consultation with a pharmacist in a private consultation room.

This service takes away the potential delay of having to wait for a GP appointment and may help ensure children get well and back to school as quickly as possible.

# Road Safety

With the ever increasing number of vehicles on the road it is our priority to keep our roads surrounding the school safe for everyone. Parking on Strangers Way is an ever growing concern for our school as it impacts on the safety of the children.

We are asking parents to walk to school if possible and if you do have to come by car to be mindful of where you are parking.

We are aware school drop offs and pickups can be a busy time but we would appreciate if all parents could not park in front of the school gates, park on yellow lines or zig zag lines, stop in the middle of the road to let children out of the car or park across any residents driveways.



## Leagrave's Little Learners

Every Tuesday at Leagrave Primary School  
9.00am - 10:00am

For parents/carers with children aged 0-3  
Free of charge, no booking required

Parents and carers are warmly invited to join our Stay and Play session, where you can spend quality time playing with your child and connecting with other parents/carers who may have similar experiences.

Items available to play with include soft toys, felt books, musical instruments, ride-on tricycles, and more.

Covered Outdoor play area / Baby changing facilities are available

CONTACT FOR MORE INFO:  
admin@leagraveprimary.co.uk  
01582 571 951

## LEAGRAVE PRIMARY SCHOOL Nursery Peek 'n' Play

No pressure! Just play!

We are happy to invite you and your child to experience a special session at Leagrave's nursery provision. This relaxed session is a perfect way to get a feel for our nursery.

**An opportunity to:**

- Meet our nurturing staff
- Explore our welcoming, child-friendly spaces
- See how we support learning through play
- Enjoy fun hands-on activities with your child

**Visit Us!**

Book a session with us using the Eventbrite booking system!  
Sessions are limited to 4 parents (and child) per session to allow you to experience the nursery in action.  
Stay for the full session or leave early if you wish.

**We can't wait to see you!**  
Now enrolling for 2025/26

For more information & registration visit:  
leagraveprimaryschool.co.uk  
or call: 01582 509531

### ATTENDANCE WINNERS

**A big congratulations to the following classes:**


Attendance winners Honeybee and 5E for week commencing 5<sup>th</sup> January.




Attendance winners 1D and 5H for week commencing 12<sup>th</sup> January.




### ATTEND TODAY ACHIEVE TOMORROW



**Attendance: 12<sup>th</sup> January 2026 - 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2026**

	Attendance	Class	Attendance
Honeybee	98%	4W	99%
Butterfly	95%	5E	96%
1SK	96%	5H	99%
1D	96%	5A	98%
2A	97%	6B	99%
2M	99%	6M	99%
3A	97%	6C	97%
3S	99%		
4B	99%	Whole School	98%

Our whole school attendance target is 97%.