



Leagrave Primary School

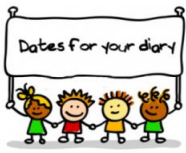
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NEWSLETTER

3rd July 2026



**Year 6 Wicksteed Park
Trip**
Wednesday 8th July

School Reports
Friday 10th July

Year 6 Leavers'
Assembly
Monday 13th July
at 1.45pm (Parents
Invited)

Year 6 Prom
Tuesday 14th July
5.30pm -7.30pm



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

Maya N Ladybird
Sidonia D Ladybird
Haya T Butterfly
Muhammad A Butterfly
Phoebe J Honeybee

Sulaiman A 1D

Fatimah N 1D

Chiamaka U 1D

Mahzala K 1D

Ariz K 1D

Amilah K 1SK

Musa B 2A

George D 2M

Adam K 3A

Aria S 3S

Lois T 4W

Usman A 4W

Rumaisa R 4W

Anantvir G 4W

Erik-David P 4B

Muhammad B 5H

Aria A 5E

Muhammad Y 5E

David P 5A

Jakub M 6B

Headteacher's Corner

Dear Parents/Carers,

As we head into the final two weeks of the summer term, it is hard to believe just how quickly this school year has flown by. These last few weeks are always filled with excitement, celebration and memorable experiences, and this week has certainly been no exception.

Our annual WOW Week has been a fantastic success, giving every year group the opportunity to enjoy a special experience beyond the classroom. Our Nursery and Reception children were delighted by a visit from Ark Farm, where they had the chance to meet and gently pet a variety of friendly animals. Year 1 enjoyed an exciting day exploring Mead Open Farm, while our Year 2, 3 and 4 pupils challenged themselves with outdoor adventures and team-building activities at Phasels Wood Activity Centre.

Meanwhile, our Year 5 and Year 6 children stepped into the magical world of Harry Potter during their visit to the Warner Bros. Studio Tour - an experience I know they will remember for many years to come.

These opportunities are about so much more than having fun. They help children build confidence, develop friendships, discover new interests and create lasting memories that become an important part of their primary school journey.

As we begin to prepare for the end of the academic year, we also start to say goodbye to our wonderful Year 6 pupils. They have been fantastic ambassadors for our school, showing resilience, kindness, determination and maturity throughout their time with us. We are incredibly proud of each and every one of them and all they have achieved. While it is always difficult to see them leave, we know they are ready for the exciting opportunities that await them at high school, and we wish them every success for the future.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. We look forward to making the most of these final two weeks together and celebrating the many achievements of our children before the summer holidays begin.

Kind regards,

Mrs E Gillespie
(Headteacher)



Leagrave would love for as many children as possible to take part in the Summer Reading Challenge. The 2026 Summer Reading Challenge is Read to the Beat, delivered by The Reading Agency in partnership with public libraries and powered by Universal Music Group UK. The theme inspires children to explore the connection between stories and songs, discovering how reading and music both ignite imagination and creativity. Children can take part for FREE, either at the library OR online:

Pop in to your local library or visit summerreadingchallenge.org.uk to sign up.



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WOW Days

WOW is the only word to describe our end of year wow event! Year 6 had a truly 'spellbinding' day out at the Harry Potter studios! The children stepped right into the wizarding world and had the opportunity to walk through the interior carriages of The Hogwarts Express, meander through Diagon Alley, and even admire the grand marble hall that is Gringotts Wizarding Bank! From uncovering the incredible behind-the-scenes secrets of special effects to the authentic costumes and props, it was an unforgettable experience that brought the magical stories to life - we had a fantastic time! Next stop... Wicksteed Park!



Year 1 had a fantastic day at Mead Farm, the children enjoyed a range of exciting activities and had the opportunity to feed different animals. They learned about different farm animals and explored the beautiful surroundings.



The children represented the school brilliantly with their excellent behaviour, enthusiasm, and kindness throughout the day. It was a memorable experience that everyone thoroughly enjoyed.

On Wednesday, Years 2, 3 and 4 got the chance to visit Phasels Wood activity centre for their WOW event. The children thoroughly enjoyed the day and were able to take part in a range of activities.

The sun was out and we all enjoyed our picnic lunch before taking part in some mini sports games on the field. The children returned exhausted but they had had such an exciting day!



Nursery and Reception had a wonderful day with a visit from Ark Farm. We were able to stroke and brush the donkey, lambs and goats. We fed flowers and vegetables to rabbits, Guinea pigs and a tortoise. It was really funny to see the ducks taking a bath while the chickens and rabbits enjoyed the sunshine. The children were fascinated by the tortoise, hedgehog and skinny pigs and really enjoyed the crested gecko climbing their arms. The chinchillas were the softest animal they had ever touched. What an amazing day!



We would like to remind you as we approach the end of term of the importance of being truthful when reporting your child's absence.

It's a legal requirement that we ensure children who are absent from school are safe. School staff spend vital hours investigating absences where false information has been provided.

This time could be used supporting the children in school. We would ask that you be honest when reporting your child's absences, particularly when traveling abroad.

Stronger TESCO Starts. Every little helps

A reminder that we have been shortlisted for a Tesco grant, which will be put through to a customer vote in store. Our project would be to provide education and demonstrations on healthy eating/fitness.

The project with the highest number of votes in our region will win £1500.

Can we please remind everyone that when you shop in a local Tesco store, you put your token in the Leagrave Healthy Eating tube.

Uniform Exchange

During the week commencing Monday 13th July there will be a purple bin on the main school playground for all uniform donations.



End of Term Reminders

- **ALL** P.E. kits are to be taken home on the last day of term.
- **ALL** reading/library books are to be returned to school on Wednesday 15th July. New reading books will be given out in the new school year.
- **ALL** medication will be returned to parents on the last day of term.



Please ensure your child/ren's Scopay accounts are up to date by the end of the term

Did we mention...you're a Star!

Our children often do amazing things outside School and Leagrave Primary would like to celebrate the achievements that our children have accomplished. Well done to our superstars!



Amaya in 3S has completed her Level 1 Let's Go Outside challenge. She has been having fun exploring the outdoors such as climbing a tree, flying a kite and rolling down a really big hill. Amaya said "I loved all of the activities, especially climbing a tree!" She is now eager to complete Level 2. Go Amaya :)

The Drowning Prevention Charity | ROYAL LIFE SAVING SOCIETY UK

Summer WATER SAFETY

Help to spread the summer water safety message!

Drowning accidents are especially high in the summer months and over the last few years there have been too many tragedies that could have been prevented. Every year people drown both at home and on holiday because they don't take simple precautions, so understanding how to enjoy the water safely is vital. Please help to avoid another tragic summer this year by spreading the following water safety advice:

LOOK OUT FOR LIFEGUARDS

If you're looking for a place to cool off, always find a lifeguarded swimming site

IT'S COLDER THAN IT LOOKS

Water at open and inland sites is often much colder than it looks, cold water can affect your ability to swim and self-rescue

DON'T GO TOO FAR

Always swim parallel to the shore, that way you're never too far away from it

IT'S STRONGER THAN IT LOOKS

Currents in the water can be very strong. If you find yourself caught in a current - don't swim against it. Stay calm, float on your back, call for help and swim out of the side of the current when it is safe

BRING A FRIEND

Always bring a friend when you go swimming so if anything goes wrong, you've got someone there to help

for more water safety advice visit rsls.org.uk/water-safety



ICE POP SHOP!

From **MONDAY 6TH JULY** to **FRIDAY 10TH JULY**

The School Council will be selling ice pops at break time each day for just...

30p

Each child can buy **one ice pop per day** – perfect for enjoying with friends in the sunshine!

Please ensure children bring the **correct money** to school.





Summer bookings now open!

For children aged 4-8 years

Monday 20th July – Friday 28th August

Join in on drama activities, puppet shows, pop/Disney singing, arts & crafts, robotics workshops and much more.

All children will enjoy a nutritious meal with friends per booking.

Free for children on income-related Free School Meals or £18.80 per child Pay As You Go.

Book Now!
energiseluton.co.uk

Please note, the maximum number of camp sessions that can be booked during Summer 2026 is 16 per eligible child.



Need help booking? Find guidance here:
<https://help.ee.qa.org/en/articles/220821-quick-guide-on-how-to-book-a-half-session>
 Or call 03330 384146






Energise Luton is supported by the Department for Education's Holiday Activity and Food programme for those on free school meals.

#HAF2026
#EnergiseLuton



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Leagrave Nursery

We currently have availability for children starting Nursery in 2026.

In September last year we were fortunate to secure funding from the government's School Based Nursery Capital Fund to enable us to expand our nursery and welcome more young members to our school community.

The expanded premises feature: purpose built learning rooms, a large outdoor play area, a sensory room and enhanced facilities for family engagement.

Enrolment for new spaces is now open and interested families are encouraged to contact the admission team on 01582 509531.

ATTENDANCE WINNERS


A big congratulations to the following classes:

ATTENDANCE WINNERS


Attendance winners **2A and 6B** for week commencing 15th June.




Attendance winners **2A and 3A** for week commencing 22nd June.




ATTEND TODAY ACHIEVE TOMORROW



Attendance: 22nd June 2026 – 3rd July 2026

	Attendance	Class	Attendance
Honeybee	97%	4W	91%
Butterfly	97%	5E	97%
1SK	96%	5H	93%
1D	94%	5A	96%
2A	99%	6B	97%
2M	96%	6M	93%
3A	97%	6C	96%
3S	97%		
4B	96%	Whole School	95%

Our whole school attendance target is **97%**.