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Dear Parents/Carer,

What lovely weather we are having. The children really enjoyed going on to the field at lunchtime. It is fantastic for them to be able to enjoy the wonderful space that we have. Can I just remind you to ensure your child has a sun hat and applies appropriate sun protection before coming to school.

The Reception children are so excited about their Barleylands trip. Thank you to all who have completed consent forms. If you have not yet done so, please speak to the office.

On Friday, we have our RSHE Workshop. This is a great opportunity for you to gain knowledge and insight as to how we deliver the statutory Relationship, Sex, Health Education to our children at Langtons. I look forward to seeing you there as I am sure you will have lots of questions. We will also have a focus on mental health and wellbeing for both adults and children.

Finally a polite reminder to not park across the driveways of our neighbours including using the parking spaces at Westland Medical Centre. Many people visit the centre each day, some very poorly, disabled or with young children. Please be kind and courteous when parking your car.

Have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards,

Miss Page

| Star Writers of the Week | | |
|--------------------------|-----------|--|
| Ash | Reggie | |
| Oak | Caitlin | |
| Cedar | Ayub | |
| Elm | Lylah-Mae | |
| Maple | Saiba | |
| Willow | Oscar | |



| Maths Champions of the Week | | |
|-----------------------------|---------|--|
| Ash | Zahra | |
| Oak | Aishat | |
| Cedar | Yashwin | |
| Elm | Jude | |
| Maple | Норе | |
| Willow | Nitara | |

Nursery Star of the Week Lila-Rose

For excellent blending in phonics.

Reception Star of the Week

Ash Class Thayla

For trying her best with blending.

Oak Class O'Neil

For being imaginative and creating his own story in role play.

Year 1 Star of the Week

Cedar Class

Henry

For great attitude towards his work and having a go independently.

Elm Class

Oliver

For coming into school enthusiastically.

Year 2 Star of the Week

Maple Class

Dylan

For working really hard in every lesson.

Willow Class

Marcie-Rae

For a huge effort in learning about money this week.

ATTENDANCE

Please remember, you **must** inform the school by telephone or email on the first day of your child's absence. For safeguarding we require, in addition to your own contact details, at least two additional emergency contacts.

Our attendance target is 96%. The attendance for this year is: 93.37%. This is higher than the last newsletter when it was 93.01%. Well done!

Yr R Ash 86.54% Yr 1 Cedar 94.4% Yr 2 Maple 97.18% Yr R Oak 92.45% Yr 1 Elm 93.97% Yr 2 Willow 96.77%

Well done Maple Class!



Dojo Points - Headteacher Stickers - Postcard Home

The following children have achieved their Dojo points target and will be getting a postcard home:

Abdallah B, Aisha C, Aleena U, Alfie P, Alije A, Archie K, Ayra S, Dolly-Rose B, Dylan B, Elliot M, Ema N, Emily G, Emilianos T, Eva M, Harrison B, Hephzibah A, Jasmine C, Jenson R, Joshua A, Leandro B, Manoor K, Oliver B, Riyan A, Ronnie T, Sophia U, Willow S, Yaqub R, Zara I





In June Mrs Holmes is attempting to complete the 3 Peaks Challenge, which involves climbing three mountains in three days. She will be doing this as part of a team supported by West Ham United.

Any money raised will be shared equally between a range of charities including supporting children with Autism, a local women's refuge and children with cancer.

The charities Mrs Holmes has chosen to support are Child Bereavement UK, a charity very close to Langtons' heart and The Taylor Dolman Fund, which supports a local boy who has cerebral palsy.

She would really appreciate it if you could sponsor her... like the famous superstore says 'Every little helps'. Mrs Holmes 3 peaks challenge go fund me page

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Important note:

Some dates and times may have changed. The information below replaces all previous communications regarding dates and times, so please read the information carefully.

| DATE | EVENT | Details |
|-------------------|--|--|
| 14.05.24 | Reception - Barleylands Farm Trip | Payment open on sQuid, letter sent |
| 17.05.24 | RSE Parent Workshop Nursery/Reception – 8:40-9am Year 1 & 2 – 2:30-3pm | Email sent |
| 20-24.05.25 | DT Week - Planters | Details to follow |
| 24.05.24 | Inset Day | Closed to children |
| 27.05 31.05.24 | Half Term | School closed |
| 03.06.24 | First day back – Summer 2 nd half term | |
| 10-14.06.24 | Phonics week | Details to follow |
| 10.06.24 | Reception visit Hornchurch Fire station | Details to follow |
| 13.06.24 | New Intake meeting for parents of children starting Reception in September | 6pm School Hall |
| 14.06.24 | Father's Day activities in class | In class activities |
| 18.06.24 | Nursery Sports Day | Details to follow |
| 19.06.24 | Reception, Year 1 and 2 Sports Day | Details to follow |
| 21.06.24 | World Music Day | Details to follow |
| 25.06.24 | Class Photos | |
| 27.06.24 | Year 2 Thriftwood Trip | Payment open on sQuid, letter to follow |
| WB 01.07.24 | Transition days - children will meet with their new teachers | Details to follow |
| 04-05.07.24 | Activity mornings - for children starting in Reception September 2024 | Details to follow |
| 05.07.24 | School reports sent home to parents | Details to follow |
| 11.07.24 | Sponsored Spell | Details to follow |
| 12.07.24 | Year 1 Rainham Marshes Trip | Details to follow |
| 16.07.24 | Year 2 Performance AM and PM | Parents invited- details to follow |
| 17.07.24 | Year 2 Leavers' Assembly (children only) | During school day |
| 18.07.24 | Year 2 Disco | Details to follow |
| 24.07.24 | Last day of term | |
| 04.09.24 | First day back for current children in Reception, Year 1 and 2 - 2024/5 (Autumn 1) | |

Key Messages

Free School Meals/Pupil Premium - Although this year all children in Reception through to Year 6 do not have to pay for school dinners, if you are in receipt of benefits, you may be entitled to Pupil Premium. By registering for Free School Meals/Pupil Premium now, you will be entitled to register with Havering's School Meal Holiday Scheme which provides £15 per child per holiday week as well as help from school with things like after school clubs, uniform, milk, etc.

For further details or to apply please go to: https://www.havering.gov.uk/freeschoolmeals

On School Grounds - Please <u>do not</u> use your mobile phone. Children are not permitted to ride their bikes or scooters once they have entered site. Please ensure your child walks into school and pushes their scooter/bike.

One Way System: - Please follow our one way system as directed by staff.

Labelling of Items - Please remember to put your child's name on all items they bring in to school. This includes hats, scarves, gloves, water bottles, book bags, etc.

Absences - please remember to <u>always</u> contact the office either by email (<u>office@langtons-inf.havering.sch.uk</u>) or by leaving a message on our absence line (telephone 01708 447 866) by <u>9am</u> on the first day of your child's absence. When leaving a message on the answerphone please clearly state your child's name, class and the specific reason for their absence. If your child is unwell, please specify whether this is because they have a cold, a temperature or are feeling sick, etc.

It is our duty to make contact with every parent whose child is absent to check that everything is ok and the family are not in an emergency situation needing assistance. If we cannot make contact, we may make a home visit to make sure everyone is ok.