



The Leys Primary & Nursery School Newsletter

Learning Today ...Leading Tomorrow

Star of the Week	
Class	Pupil
Murphy	Lola
Benjamin	Izza
Kerr	Thomas
Bryon	Thomas
Donaldson	Christabel
Soundar	Adam
Dahl	Yasa
Gavin	Elijah
Mante	Odin
Morpurgo	Barnaby
Riordan	Elsie
Zephaniah	Todi
Malala	Tine
Blackman	Amelie



Times Tables Leaders Well done to...

1. Lewis
2. Amelia
3. Nahla

For most improved time
(playing in the Studio
area) over the past 7
days

Friday 4th April 2025

DATES COMING UP!
(please note all dates are subject
to change)

- 7 Apr -21 Apr Easter holiday
- 22 Apr Summer term starts
- 23 Apr St George's Day - Wear Red & White or school uniform
- 25 Apr Y5 Knex Challenge
- 29 Apr Y5 Ancient Greek VR day (in classrooms)
- 8 May VE day 80th Anniversary
- 12-15 May -Y6 SATS week
- 19 - 23 May Healthy Living & STEAM week
- 22 May Sports Day
- 23 May Sports Day (reserve)
- 26 - 30 May Half term
- 2 Jun Inset day
- 3 Jun Children back to school
- 13 Jun School Summer Disco
- 17 Jun Year 6 Duxford war museum
- 20 Jun King's Birthday celebration & Y1-Y6 School Stay & Share from 2.30pm
- 27 Jun International food festival from 2pm
- 30 Jun Class group photos
- 4 Jul Leys have talent Y3-6
- 7-9 Jul Wymondley Woods Y4
- 10 Jul Whole school-Transition Day
- 11 Jul Art exhibition day
- 17 Jul iRock concert
- 18 Jul Y6 Productions
- 21 Jul Y6 Prom
- 22 Jul Last day of term finish 1.30pm

Kindness Award

Kindness Award Y5	Pearl
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Headteachers Awards

Year Rec	Tia-Grace, Gabriela
Year 4	Shiv, Harry, Lola, Ella
Year 5	Charlie, Oliver
Year 6	Alfie

Whole school attendance target =
97%
Whole school attendance this week
=**96%**
Best class attendance this week =
Blackman

Attendance Wheel of Reward

Each week in assembly the wheel will be spun for the **most improved class attendance**



Be here to have a go!

This week's winners & rewards:

- Kerr - PJ day
- Soundar - PJ day
- Riordan - Yes day
- Morpurgo - Art + Crafts





Friends of The Leys - PTA

Together so far we've raised...
October School disco £1,455
October non-uniform day £236
Asda's Cashpot £763.18
March School disco £1463.09



This week in school we have been celebrating World Autism Day. Autism isn't a mental health problem, but if you're autistic you may be more likely to experience a mental health problem. Data suggests that a quarter of the general population have problems with their mental health at some point in their life. In autistic people, this number is much higher with almost 80% of autistic adults experiencing mental health issues during their lives. For many people with autism, mental illness can be more difficult to recognise and treat effectively. It's widely recognised that much more needs to be done to support autistic people with their mental health but getting the basics right (exercise, diet and sleep) is an important start. Here is some further advice from Mind.

<https://www.mind.org.uk/information-support/tips-for-everyday-living/autism-and-mental-health/>

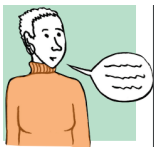
School Uniform

Winter Uniform

- White polo shirt.
- Black trousers OR black skirt OR black pinafore dress (No leggings)
- Red cardigan OR school red sweatshirt OR school red fleece
- White/ Black school socks.
- Black school shoes/ Plain black trainers (no boots)
- Tights (Red/ Black)

PE

- Plain white t-shirt
- Plain black shorts
- Plain black jogging bottoms
- Black plimsolls or trainers (plain white/ black are preferred)
- Red cardigan OR school red sweatshirt OR school red fleece OR Black hoodie/sweatshirt (No leggings or gym tights)



About ABA

United against bullying



We are a unique coalition of organisations and individuals, working together to achieve our vision to: stop bullying and create safer environments in which children and young people can live, grow, play and learn. <https://anti-bullyingalliance.org.uk/aba-our-work/about-aba>

Empathy

Inclusivity

Respect

Aspirations

Determination

Empowerment

Parent invitation events

Family Numeracy session (aimed at Y2) 1:15 – 2:45 pm

1. Session 29th April
2. Session 6th May
3. Sesion 13th May
4. Session 20th May
5. Session 3rd June
6. Session 10th June

Term dates 2024-2025

AUTUMN TERM

Start of term: 3 September 2024
 Inset day: 2 September 2024
 25 October 2024
 Term: 2 September - 25 October 2024
 Half term holiday: 28 October - 1
November 2024

Occasional day: 2 December 2024
 Term: 4 November - 20 December 2024
Christmas holiday: 23 December - 3
January 2025

SPRING TERM

Inset day: 6 January 2025
 Start of term: 7 January - 14 February
 2025
Half term holiday: 17 February - 21
February 2025
 Term : 24 February- 4 April 2025
Easter holiday: 7 April - 21 April 2025

SUMMER TERM

Term: 22 April - 23 May 2025
 Bank Holiday: 5 May 2025
Half term holiday: 26 May - 30 May
2025
 Inset day: 2 June 2025
 23 July 2025
 Term: 2 June - 23 July 2025
Summer holiday: 24 July 2025 - 29
August 2025

Inset Days 2024 - 2025
 2 September 2024
 25 October 2024
 2 December (Occasional day) 2024
 6 January 2025
 2 June 2025
 23 July 2025

Term dates 2025-2026

AUTUMN TERM

Start of term: 4 September 2025
 Inset day: 3 September 2025
 24 October 2025
 Term: 3 September - 24 October 2025
Half-term holiday: 27 October - 31
October 2025

Occasional day: 1 December 2025
 Term: 3 November - 19 December 2025
Christmas holiday: 22 December - 2
January 2026

SPRING TERM

Inset day: 5 January 2026
 Start of term: 6 January - 13 February
 2026
Half-term holiday: 16 February - 20
February 2026
 Term: 23 February- 27 March 2026
Easter holiday: 30 March - 10 April
2026

SUMMER TERM

Term: 13 April - 22 May 2026
 Bank Holiday: 4 May 2026
Half-term holiday: 25 May - 29 May
2026
 Inset day: 1 June 2026
 23 July 2026
 Term: 2 June - 23 July 2026
Summer holiday: 24 July 2026 - 28
August 2026

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