



The Leys Primary & Nursery School Newsletter

Learning Today ...Leading Tomorrow

Star of the Week	
Class	Pupil
Murphy	Zaynab
Benjamin	Ruby
Kerr	Aizah
Bryon	Albie D
Donaldson	Olivier
Soundar	Reet
Dahl	Jake
Gavin	Jasmine
Mante	Lola
Morpurgo	Maaya
Riordan	Naeem
Zephaniah	Gusia
Malala	Poppy-Rose
Blackman	Jenson



Times Tables Leaders
Well done to...

1. Lillie-Mai
2. Hailey
3. Amelie

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

Friday 14th March 2025

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

17 Mar Individual in Class photos
17 Mar Y2 Cake sale
21 Mar Whole school Stay and
share 2.30-3.15pm
24 Mar 'All About SEND' with Mrs
Pomroy 9.50 - 11.30am
24 Mar Y5 Cake sale
25 Mar Year 1 assembly to parents
9-10am
27 Mar Y3 - School trip
28 Mar Easter Service to Church Y1
to Y6
3 Apr iRock performance infant hall
4 Apr Colour Run 12.30 - 1.30
4 Apr School finishes at 1.30pm
7 Apr -21 Apr Easter holiday
22 Apr Summer term starts
29 Apr Y5 Ancient Greek VR day (in
classrooms)

Thank you

A big thank you to all the families and
friends who supported and
sponsored our Early Years Bike and
Scooter challenge .

We are thrilled to announce that we
have raised **£1272** that will be used
to enhance our outdoor area,
providing even more opportunities for
the children to explore and play.
Your generosity and encouragement
made the event a great success.

Early Years Team

Kindness Award

Kindness Award Y2	Alex
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Headteachers Awards

Year 6	Kobi
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Whole school attendance
target = **97%**
Whole school attendance this
week = **96.1%**
Best class attendance this
week = **Bryon**

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- Friday non-uniform

Soundar - Movie afternoon

**Riordan - Bring in a different
snack + long playing game**

Morpurgo - Free homework pass





WELLBEING

As our year 6 children found out about their secondary school placements last week and started to think about moving on. There are many online resources to help them make this transition and help them with their inevitable worries about making this big move.

▶ Find Your Feet Schools Resource

▶ Moving Up! The transition to secondary school (SUBTITLED)

<https://www.place2be.org.uk/our-services/parents-and-carers/getting-ready-to-start-secondary-or-high-school/>

<https://www.youngminds.org.uk/professional/resources/supporting-school-transitions/>

<https://www.gcsepod.com/mentalhealth-videos/>

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)

Red Nose Day is back

This Red Nose Day, let's celebrate 40 years of going big, giving big and feeling good with Comic Relief. Whether you give a few quid or give your all, let's do it together and support incredible projects which help children to be happier, families stronger, women safer, communities prouder, and millions of lives fairer. Red Nose Day 2025.

Go big. Give big. Feel good.

https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/rnd25-the-leys-primary-and-nursery-school?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=CL

PEGI helps parents to make informed decisions when buying video games.

PEGI provides age classifications for video games in 38 European countries. The age rating confirms that the game content is appropriate for players of certain age. PEGI considers the age suitability of a game, not the level of difficulty.



<https://pegi.info/>

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Inclusivity

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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

Thank you

Parents Workshop Dates

18th March @ 9-10am EYFS-Fine motor skills

20th March @ 9-10am EYFS-Fine motor skills

24th March @ 9.50 - 11.30 Tip and tools to manage everyday changes ADD Vance with Mrs Pomroy

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

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Term dates 2025-2026

AUTUMN TERM	SPRING TERM	SUMMER TERM
<p>Start of term: 4 September 2025 Inset day: 3 September 2025 24 October 2025 Term: 3 September - 24 October 2025 <u>Half term holiday: 27 October - 31 October 2025</u></p> <p>Occasional day: 1 December 2025 Term: 3 November - 19 December 2025 <u>Christmas holiday: 22 December - 2 January 2026</u></p>	<p>Inset day: 5 January 2026 Start of term: 6 January - 13 February 2026 <u>Half term holiday: 16 February - 20 February 2026</u> Term : 23 February- 27 March 2026 <u>Easter holiday: 30 March - 10 April 2026</u></p>	<p>Term: 13 April - 22 May 2026 Bank Holiday: 4 May 2026 <u>Half term holiday: 25 May - 29 May 2026</u> Inset day: 1 June 2026 23 July 2026 Term: 2 June - 23 July 2026 <u>Summer holiday: 24 July 2026 - 28 August 2026</u></p> <p><u>Inset Days 2025 - 2026</u> 3 September 2025 24 October 2025 1 December (Occasional day) 2025 5 January 2026 1 June 2026 23 July 2026</p>

