



Friday 28th May 2021

NEWS & VIEWS

Achievement & Enjoyment

Headteacher Mr S Bowsher



Headteacher's Comment:

For the last two days there has been something bright and yellow in the sky. Yes, the sun has been out. I've not had to wear my coat on the gate in the morning, it has been dry at home time and everything looks brighter and more cheerful. Just in time for half-term next week.

It feels like the wet and cold weather has been here for months which is in stark contrast to last year when we were in the first lockdown. It seemed like it was warm and sunny every day. However, I know which situation I would rather be in – having happy, hardworking children in school learning every day.

Next half-term is my favourite of the year. It's warm, lots of exciting things are planned e.g. sports day, discos and end of year celebrations. This year we are planning on it being as close to normal as possible. Have a great half term, keep reading and don't forget to enter Miss Dow's lunchbox competition – entries via twitter or the office email.

Staff changes

As I mentioned last week, Miss Adams starts her maternity leave today. We'll keep you updated on how she gets on. Mrs Ford, who has been working in Reception since January, is also moving on. We wish her well for the future.

COVID updates

Just a reminder that if any children develop COVID symptoms over the weekend they will need to get a PCR test. If this happens, please inform the school via the email office@larchwood.essex.sch.uk as we may need to contact trace. Hopefully this won't happen.



Mr Bowsher's Superstar Award

Mason (1Pr) demonstrating all the school values.



Stars of the Week

RS	RT	1P	1PR	2B	2G	3A
Georgia	Zachery	Alexander	Calum	Islay	Raasu	Miller
3B	4D	4K	5R	5S	6PA	
Ella-Rose	Kayla	Ethan	Riley	Isabella	Lucy	



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Reading at Home

Class	Table shows numbers of children and percentages from Monday 24th May to Friday 28th May (percentages are rounded) Times Read						Percentage Read 4 & 5 times %
	0	1	2	3	4	5	
RS	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	2 (7%)	3 (10%)	25 (83%)	93%
RT	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	1 (3%)	4 (14%)	24 (83%)	97%
1P	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	5 (17%)	24 (83%)	100%
1PR	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	6 (17%)	24 (83%)	100%
2B	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	6 (20%)	24 (80%)	100%
2G	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	3 (10%)	26 (90%)	100%
3A	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	2 (7%)	27 (93%)	100%
3B	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	1 (3%)	2 (7%)	26 (90%)	97%
4D	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	1 (3%)	6 (21%)	22 (76%)	97%
4K	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	3 (10%)	26 (90%)	100%
5R	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	4 (14%)	25 (86%)	100%
5S	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	5 (19%)	22 (81%)	100%
6PA	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	4 (13%)	27 (87%)	100%
Total							99%



Weekly Attendance

Weekly Attendance – week commencing Monday 24th May 2021

Class	RS	RT	1P	1PR	2B	2G	3A	Whole school
Attendance	98.7%	95.7%	98.0%	94.0%	96.6%	98.7%	98.0%	
								96.6%
Class	3B	4D	4K	5R	5S	6PA		
Attendance	98.0%	94.3%	98.0%	94.6%	95.0%	96.5%		

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
RS & 2G	1P, 3A, 3B, & 4K	2B



Yearly Attendance

Yearly Attendance – from 4th September 2020

Class	RS	RT	1P	1PR	2B	2G	3A	Whole school
Attendance	98.1%	98.3%	98.9%	97.1%	97.2%	98.2%	97.0%	
								97.2%
Class	3B	4D	4K	5R	5S	6PA		
Attendance	98.0%	96.8%	96.0%	96.7%	95.4%	95.9%		

1 st	2 nd	3 rd
1P	RT	2G



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