

LUDLOW PRIMARY SCHOOL



NEWSLETTER



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Parents' Evening

Parents' Evening will be held at both sites on Wednesday 16th and Thursday 17th October from 3.30pm - 6.30pm.

More information about booking a slot will be available soon.

Attendance Policy

May we please draw your attention to the new Attendance Policy on the school website, which has been issued in accordance with the Department for Education guidelines.

<https://ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk/media/64647/attendance-punctuality-policy-2024.pdf>

Breakfast Club

If anyone would like to sign up for Breakfast Club, please contact either office. We currently have spaces for Breakfast Club at both sites, but these will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

Breakfast Club times are as follows: 8:10am at the Clee View site and 8:15am at our Sandpits Road site.

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Please join us for a coffee and a cake which will be provided by the school.

All we ask is a donation of your choice all of which will be donated to the charity.

Having a coffee morning is the perfect chance to catch up over a cuppa and a slice of something delicious for a great cause. Macmillan's coffee morning is their biggest fund-raising event to support people living with cancer. In 2023, they raised over £18 million and hope to top that this year.

Sandpits Road site will host the event in the hall at 9am till 10am

Parents and carers will have the opportunity to go into your children's classes to see their books and have a look around the classes until 9:15am which will then be followed by the coffee morning in the hall while the children continue with their lessons.

Clee View will host the event in the hall at 10:30am till 11:30am.

Parents and carers will have the opportunity to go into your children's classes to see their books and have a look around the classes until 10:45am which will then be followed by the coffee morning in the hall while the children continue with their lessons.

At Clee View, there will also have a sale of good quality second hand school uniform for a small donation.

We look forward to welcoming you on the day.

Contacting Teachers and Senior Leaders

If any parent has a concern to raise with a teacher or senior leader, we respectfully ask this is done via the school office or admin email – admin@ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk and not Dojo or individual email addresses. This will enable your query to be dealt with more effectively and efficiently.

Thank you

Nut Allergy Awareness Policy

The school Nut Allergy Awareness Policy was recently shared on Dojo. Some children in school have nut allergies so it is important that all parents and carers read and take note of the policy.

Thank you.

Year 5 – Ludlow Food Festival



Year 5 had a brilliant time at Ludlow food festival. We explored many different stalls and were lucky enough to try a variety of different samples of local produce. We also came away with items for our school garden which helped all children develop their understanding of pollination.

A huge well done to eight year 5 students who have had their poems that they wrote in year 4 published! We have received a copy of the book of poems, and it is available for children across our school to read!

Well done!



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Understanding Your Child

- *Would you like to know more about your child's development?*
- *Do you need support to understand your child's behaviour?*
- *Would you like a chance to meet with other parents and carers?*
- ***Come and join our free group!***
- ***Tea, coffee and biscuits will be provided!***



UNDERSTANDING YOUR CHILD

At Ludlow Primary School

On Wednesdays from 1:00pm to 3:00pm

The first session will be on **Wednesday 2nd October 2024**

The group will take place at our **Sandpits Road** site for 10 weeks
(excluding the school holidays)

To find out more or to book a place
please contact Ruth Cummings or Jennie Marsden
via Class Dojo or by calling 01584 873602.

Topics covered:

- How your child develops
- Understanding how your child is feeling
- Tuning into what your child needs
- Responding to how your child is feeling
- Different styles of parenting
- Having fun together
- The rhythm of interaction
- Why is sleep important?
- Self-regulation and anger
- Communication and tuning in
- Looking back and looking forwards

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Top tips on how to keep your child healthy at school

MediaOffice: 28 August 2024 - Returning to school, Schools



On the 28th August, the DfE blogsite published a blog: Top tips on how to keep your child healthy at school.

[Top tips on how to keep your child healthy at school – The Education Hub \(blog.gov.uk\)](#)

- This outlines that parents should ensure that children are up-to-date with vaccinations such as measles.

It also covers basic hygiene:

- Wash their hands for at least 20 seconds using soap and water.
- Use tissues for coughs and sneezes then throw them in the bin.
- Avoid touching their face, particularly their eyes, nose and mouth

Term Dates 2024 – 2025

2024

PD Day: Friday 25th October 2024
Half Term: Monday 28th October 2024 – Friday 1st November 2024

Autumn Term ends: Friday 20th December 2024

2025

PD Day: Monday 6th January 2025
Spring Term starts: Tuesday 7th January 2025
Half Term: Monday 17th February 2025 – Friday 21st February 2025

Spring Term ends: Thursday 10th April 2025

PD Day: Friday 11th April 2025

Summer Term starts: Monday 28th April 2025

Bank Holiday: Monday 5th May 2025

Half Term: Monday 26th May 2025 – Friday 30th May 2025

Summer Term ends: Friday 18th July 2025

As you will be aware, we are not able to authorise holidays in term time due to government legislation introduced in 2013. Please note that other schools in the area may be different as schools have the flexibility to plan their own PD days. This information will also be on our website.

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Online Safety

A guide to Parental Controls

Produced by Knowsley CLCs

www.knowsleyclcs.org.uk



As part of our commitment to ensure Online safety for our children, please find a link below to our updated Parent Online Safety booklet, which includes an overview of key parental controls. This booklet is updated on an annual basis (next update scheduled July 2025).

<https://www.knowsleyclcs.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2024/07/Parental-Controls-booklet-2024.pdf>

The link below is to seven short videos which have been produced showing how to do different things, for example, setting up parental controls on an iPhone, social media apps like snap chat, on the games Roblox and Nintendo Switch and also YouTube:

<https://www.knowsleyclcs.org.uk/online-safety-videos/>



Ahead of the virtual Parent/Carer information session (scheduled for the time below), I have attached a poster to publicise the event.

Parent/Carer information session

Wednesday 2nd October 2024

4pm - 4.45pm

The link to access this session will be sent to you one week before the event.

The Importance of Internet Safety for Children

In today's digital age, where technology has become an integral part of our lives, ensuring the safety of young children whilst they explore the internet is incredibly important for parents, educators, and caregivers.

We will send out monthly newsletters where we'll look into internet safety for children and offer some tips to help families guide your young ones toward responsible and secure online experiences.

Please access the attached link for this month's Online Safety newsletter:

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If you require a hard copy of this Newsletter, please contact the school office at either site, thank you.

[online-safety-newsletter-september-2024_pdf_ludlow.pdf \(ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk\)](#)

NSPCC is also a really useful website, giving tips on talking to your children about Online safety:

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/talking-child-online-safety/>

Dates for your Diary 2024-2025

Wednesday 25th September - Ludlow CE School Open Evening (Yrs 5 & 6) 5.30-7.30

Friday 27th September - Macmillan Coffee Morning at both sites

Wednesday 2nd and 9th October - Reception Classes Vision Screening

Monday 14th October - Year 3 Harvest Festival Performance 9.15-10.15

Wednesday 16th and Thursday 17th October - Parents' Evenings at both sites 3.30-6.30

Thursday 7th November - Individual and sibling photos with Tempest Photography 8am

Wednesday 18th December - Pantomime for Reception Robins and Ash Classes

Thursday 19th December - Pantomime for Reception Wrens and Oak Classes