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.

Special Menu Thursday 3rd October



There will also be a jacket potato option with cheese & beans. Please note we are unable to make these changes on Arbor, so please select the following options on Arbor:

If your child would like Hot Dog ,please select the Chicken Tikka Masala option on Arbor.

If your child would like Cheese Pizza, please select the Quorn Burger option on Arbor.

If your child would like Jacket potato, please select the Jacket potato with cheese and beans option on Arbor.

Please note due to this special menu, Thursday's meal choices will be on Friday 4th October for this week only. Therefore please make the following selections on Arbor:

If your child would like Chicken tikka masala on Friday 4th, please select the Pizza selection on Arbor.

If your child would like the Quorn burger option on Friday 4th, please select the Jacket potato with cheese & coleslaw on Arbor.

If your child would like the Jacket potato with cheese and beans option on Friday 4th, please select the jacket potato with tuna mayo on Arbor.

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.

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

Celebration Time

Congratulations to the following children who were celebrated in Assembly on Friday 20th September 2024. Well done all!

Jaxon Newhill Archie Swayne Indi Bird Teddy Sullivan

Alannah Broome Bella Swift Bea Harkin Chimuka Munsanje

Jacob Austin Ollie Logan



SEND Opportunities

Please see below some further opportunities for pupils with SEND.

Actio are excited to share their new video highlighting the All-In programme. Actio is a collaboration between Energize Shropshire, Telford & Wrekin and PACC (Shropshire's Parent Carer Forum). Actio aims to improve activity opportunities for children and young people with SEND in Shropshire. Parent Carers and All-In members are encouraged to learn how Actio can support their child's wellbeing and explore new activities.

Watch the video to find out why and how you can become an All-In member. Or if you're already an All-In member, you may be surprised at how many other activities are available for your child to attend.

Please watch the new video on Actio's website here:

https://actioconsortium.wixsite.com/website/

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

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

Top tips on how to keep your child healthy at school



On the <u>28th</u> 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.

Online Safety

A guide to Parental Controls

Produced by Knowsley CLCs

www.knowsleycles.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.pd

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:

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/





Please find below the TEAMs link to access the parent/carer session scheduled for: Wednesday 2nd October 2024 4pm - 4.45pm.

Attendees do not need to register, simply click on the link at the above time to access the session. Cameras and voice/audio will be switched off for all attendees. Attendees can ask questions by typing in the Q&A box, but this will be explained during the session.

https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-

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Dates for your Diary 2024-2025

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

Monday 7th October- Yr 6 Height and Weight 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