LUDLOW PRIMARY SCHOOL



NEWSLETTER



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School Uniform

A polite reminder that trousers, skirts and pinafores should be dark grey, not black. Please also note that leggings should not be worn as they are not part of our school uniform.

All children should wear black school shoes please, not trainers.

Full details of our uniform can be found on our website: <u>https://ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk/parents/school-uniform</u>

Christmas Tree Appeal

If anyone is upgrading their artificial Christmas Tree and has a spare 5/6 ft tree they no longer want, we would be very grateful if it could be donated to our Nursery.

Thank you!



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Christmas Lunch

Tuesday 17th December will be Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper Day. Children are welcome to wear a Christmas Jumper with their school trousers or skirt.

Please see the menu below and book through Arbor. Please note that we will be on week 3 of the menu and Tuesday and Wednesday's choices will appear as normal. If your child wishes to have Christmas lunch, please book Fish Stars for Roast Turkey or Mac 'n' Cheese for Festive Quorn Fillet On the Wednesday, Fish Stars (Arbor will state Roast Beef) and Mac 'n' Cheese (Arbor will state Quorn Balls) will be served for those children not attending the Pantomime.

As in previous years, children attending the Pantomime on Wednesday or Thursday will have a packed lunch and we will send more information out in due course.



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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.



Friday 15th November

Children in Need will be taking place on Friday 15th November.

Children will be able to wear something spotty for a donation of £1 and there will be a cake sale.

Donations of cakes on the day would be greatly appreciated with ingredients clearly labelled. Please could children bring in some small change if they would like to buy a cake.

Save the date!

We will be holding an Usborne Book Fayre (in partnership with Burgoyne's Books) in school on Tuesday 19th November (for children at our Sandpits Road site), and Tuesday 26th November (for children at our Clee View site).

There will be an opportunity for children to visit the fayre during the school day and the fayre will be open after school on both sites for you to visit if you would like to purchase any books.



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 – <u>admin@ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk</u> and not Dojo or individual email addresses. This will enable your query to be dealt with more effectively and efficiently.

Thank you

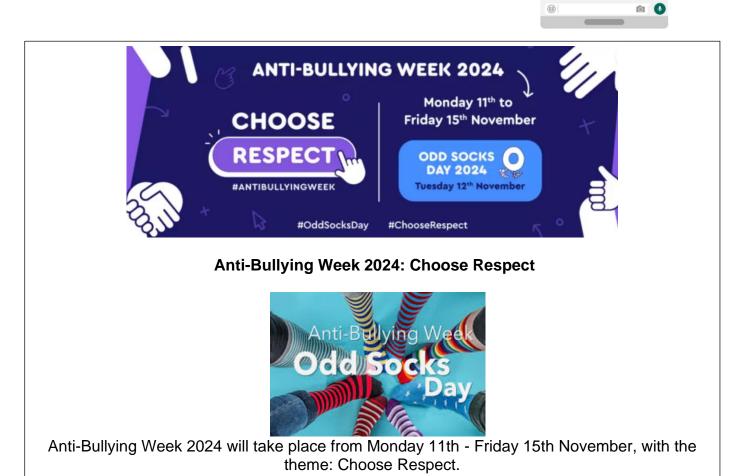
Online Safety Newsletter Nov 2024

Please find the link the November issue of our Online Safety newsletter with interesting features on WhatsApp and YouTube as well as 'How to find age-appropriate games':

online-safety-newsletter-primary-november-2024_pdf_ludlow.pdf (ludlowprimaryschool.co.uk)

Here's a snippet of one of the articles:

Users should be at least 13 years old to use WhatsApp. We frequently receive reports of children not using WhatsApp appropriately, such as sharing images to embarrass others, sending hurtful messages, spreading rumours, or excluding people from group chats to make them feel left out.



Odd Socks Day is taking place on Tuesday 12th November, with adults and children being encouraged to wear odd socks to celebrate what makes us all unique.

Top tips on how to keep your child healthy at school



It also covers basic hygiene:

≻Wash their hands for at least 20 seconds using soap and water.

 \succ Use tissues for coughs and sneezes then throw them in the bin.

≻Avoid touching their face, particularly their eyes, nose and mouth

<u> Term Dates 2024 – 2025</u>

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

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

Education Hub (blog.gov.uk)

| Autumn Term ends: | Friday 20 th December 2024 |
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| 2025 PD Day: Spring Term starts: | Monday 6 th January 2025 Tuesday 7 th January 2025 |
| Half Term: | Monday 17 th February 2025 – Friday 21 st February 2025 |
| Spring Term ends: PD Day: | Thursday 10 th April 2025 Friday 11 th April 2025 |
| Summer Term starts: | Monday 28 th April 2025 |
| Bank Holiday: | Monday 5 th May 2025 |
| Half Term: | Monday 26 th May 2025 – Friday 30 th May 2025 |
| Summer Term ends: | Friday 18 th 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.

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: <u>https://actioconsortium.wixsite.com/website/</u>

Dates for your Diary 2024-2025

Tuesday 12th November - 2 Ash visit to Ludlow Library

Friday 15th November - Children in Need Day

Tuesday 19th November - 2 Oak visit to Ludlow Library

Tuesday 19th November - Usborne Book Fayre - Sandpits Road

Tuesday 26th November - Usborne Book Fayre - Clee View

Monday 9th December - Year 3 to Whitcliffe

Tuesday 10th December - Years 2&5 Carol Concert

Tuesday 17th December - Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper Day

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

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

Tuesday 1st July- Yr 6 Induction Day Ludlow CE School

Tuesday 8th or Wednesday 9th July- Yr 5 Taster Day Ludlow CE School