



The Leys Primary & Nursery School Newsletter

Learning Today ...Leading Tomorrow

Star of the Week	
Class	Pupil
Campbell	Mabel
Murphy	Usman
Benjamin	Jacob
Kerr	Somith
Bryon	Nesu
Donaldson	Albie W
Soundar	Esther
Dahl	Orla
Gavin	Rose
Russell	Vinnie
Morpurgo	Haydn
Riordan	Dhyay
Zephaniah	Muku
Lawrence	All
Hargrave	All



Times Tables Leaders

Well done to...

1. Chloe S
2. Nicolas P
3. Muku N

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

Friday 15th May 2026

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

20 May Sports Day
 22 May Sports Day (reserve)
 25 May - 29 May Half term
 1 Jun Inset day
 2 Jun Children return to school
 2 -5 Jun STEAM week
 4 Jun Sports Day Nursery/Fletcher room
 8-12 Jun Year 1 Phonics
 10 Jun Y6 Crucial Crew
 12 Jun Year 4 Curriculum Fair
 12 Jun Summer School Disco
 15 Jun Y6 Duxford Museum
 16 Jun New to Nursery Parents' Information Meeting 9am
 17 Jun Reception Stay and Play 2.30
 23 Jun New to Reception Parents' Information Meeting 9am
 25 Jun Greek drama workshop Year 5
 26 Jun Photos and Stay and Share Y1 to Y6
 30 Jun Safari Stu visit in Early Years
 1 to 3 Jul Wymondley Woods
 3 Jul Y5 Curriculum Fair
 9 Jul Transition Day
 15 Jul We create music ukulele concert 11.30-12.00pm
 16 Jul iRock concert 2.30pm
 17 Jul Year 6 Production 2-3pm & 6-7pm
 20 Jul Year 6 Prom 6.30 pm
 21 Jul End of Term parties
 22 Jul Break Up

Friends of The Leys - PTA

Together so far we've raised...
 October School disco 2025 £1,324.25
 Poppy Appeal £348.66p
 Enterprise Day £1102.00
 Feb 2026 non-uniform £238.20
 Thank you

School Email response: We aim to respond to all communications within 72 hours.

Kindness Award

Kindness Award Phoebe

Attendance Wheel of Reward

Each week in assembly, the wheel will be spun for the **most improved class attendance**



This week's winners:

- Murphy - Games
- Donaldson - Class party
- Hargrave - Yes day
- Lawrence - Fun day

Our current isolation period for diarrhoea and sickness is 24 hours

Dear Parents and Carers,

Congratulations to our Year 6 pupils on smashing their SATs! We are incredibly proud of the resilience, maturity, and the positive attitude they showed throughout the week. While these tests measure certain skills in English and Maths, they don't capture everything that makes our students special—their kindness, creativity, and unique talents are what truly define them. Now that the hard work is done, it's time to celebrate.

We are looking forward to the final week of the half term and our focus on Healthy Living. The children will be doing lots of sport as well as learning about healthy eating, hygiene, the importance of sleep and maximising their exercise through walking to school. We are closely monitoring the forecast and a final decision regarding whether Sports Day will go ahead on Wednesday or Friday will be made by 8:30 am. We will notify parents/carers immediately via text.

Mrs Barr & the School Team 🌟



We have been asked to share this survey with parents and carers.

In Hertfordshire children and young people who are registered with a Hertfordshire GP can currently access a range of services to support them with their emotional and mental wellbeing. This includes free online, virtual and digital support delivered through **WithYouth** young people's service for 5-18-year-olds (including the **Lumi Nova** game) and the **Sandbox** for 10-25-year-olds. (Please see the Mental Health page on the school website for further information about these services.)

To ensure we are commissioning services that are based on the needs of children and young people, Hertfordshire County Council and the NHS are seeking the views of those who have or may access these services' support. By completing this short survey as a young person or a parent/carer of a young person, you will help us understand your views and opinions as well as indicating what you might want from future online, virtual or digital mental health and emotional wellbeing support.

Complete the survey as a Parent/Carer or child or young person here:

<https://surveys.hertfordshire.gov.uk/s/KTULEE/>

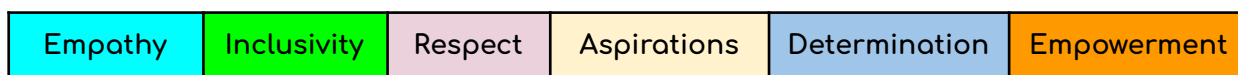
[SEND news](#)

Where can I find out about the local Authority's local offer of services and provision for children with SEND?

For Hertfordshire's Local Offer please click here:

<https://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/microsites/local-offer/the-hertfordshire-local-offer.aspx>

It included information about support available for children and young people aged 0-25 with special educational needs or disabilities (SEND) and their families.



Uniform at a Glance - The Leys School

✨ Please ensure all clothing is clearly labelled with your child's name.

Summer Uniform: <https://www.leys.herts.sch.uk/nad-parent-toolkit.html>

- Top: White polo shirt OR red checked dress
- Bottom: Black trousers OR black skirt OR black school shorts
- Outerwear: Red cardigan OR school red sweatshirt OR school red fleece
- Socks: White or black school socks
- Shoes: Black school shoes
- Hat: Cap or bucket style hat to be worn on the playground

PE Kit:

- Top: Plain white t-shirt
- Bottom: Plain black shorts
- Footwear: Black plimsolls or trainers (plain white or black preferred)
- Outerwear: Red cardigan OR school sweatshirt OR school red fleece

Parents are encouraged to apply a high factor, long lasting sunscreen before children come to school. Children may bring in a named sunscreen to apply themselves during the day.

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/>

Empathy

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Celebrations and Festivals Around the World Calendar



FUTURE BALLERS LTD GIRLS ONLY MAY CAMP 🐣

DETAILS:

📅 Wednesday 27th May 2026

🕒 9:00am - 3:00pm

📍 The Leys Primary and Nursery School,
Ripon Road, SG1 4QZ

💰 £20 per day pp
£15 per day pp (Fairlands FC Players)

50% sibling discount available

Our first ever girls only camp! Come with us to celebrate the grand opening of our girls only sessions!

Tournaments
Games
Challenges
Tuck Shop
Prizes

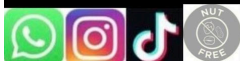
5 - 15 years old
(Girls Only)

Early drop off & late pick up available - Message for further details.

Whatsapp, DM or email to get booked in -

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MAY CAMP

* 1 YEAR ANNIVERSARY *

DETAILS:

📅 Tuesday 26th May
Wednesday 27th May
Thursday 28th May

🕒 9:00am - 3:00pm

📍 The Leys Primary and Nursery School,
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💰 £20 per day pp
£15 per day pp (Fairlands FC Players)

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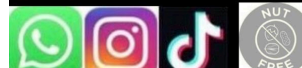
Multi Day Discount

1 day ~ £20

2 days ~ £40

3 days ~ £55

Excludes Fairlands FC
Players due to discount
already applied.



Inflatables (New!)
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Parent Partnership sessions (with engagement tracker)

- 15 Jan SATS information briefing 3.30pm - Good attendance (info on school website- under Class)
- 23 Jan Year 3 assembly 9.15- Excellent attendance - THANK YOU!
- 30 Jan Stay and Play Nursery 11am & 2.45pm Good attendance - THANK YOU!
- 3 Feb Y3 & Y4 Maths workshop 9am Excellent attendance - THANK YOU!
- 4 Feb EYFS workshop for parents - Early Reading 9 am - Nursery and Reception Average attendance - please do make time to attend to support your child's learning both at home and at school.
- 06 Feb Year 4 assembly 9.15 am -Excellent attendance - THANK YOU!
- 10 & 11 Feb Parents' evening Nursery - Year 5 Good attendance - THANK YOU!
- 27 Feb Y4 timetable workshop for parents 9.15 Excellent attendance - THANK YOU!
- 5 Mar Partnership for inclusion of neurodiversity in schools project PINS 9am Lower than average
- 5 Mar Year 6 Parent consultation day Good attendance - THANK YOU!
- 6 Mar Year 1 assembly 9.15 Excellent attendance - THANK YOU!
- 6 Mar Books & Biscuits with parents/carers from 2.30 pm Excellent attendance - THANK YOU!
- 12 Mar iRock concert time doors open 2.25 for 2.30 start Excellent attendance - THANK YOU!
- 13 Mar Reception to Y6 Stay & Share 2.30pm Good attendance - THANK YOU!
- 27 Mar Colour Fun Run (parents/carers invited) 12 - 1 pm Excellent attendance - THANK YOU!
- 17 Apr Year 2 Curriculum Fair 2.30 pm Excellent attendance - THANK YOU!
- 22 Apr Y1 phonic screening information meeting 9 am Good attendance - THANK YOU!
- 23 Apr St George's Day Wear Red Great participation!
- 29 April Early Years workshop for parents Excellent attendance - THANK YOU!
- 20 May Sports Day

Term dates 2025-2026

AUTUMN TERM

Start of term: 4 September 2025

Inset day: 3 September 2025
24 October 2025

Term: 3 September - 24 October 2025

Half-term holiday: 27 October - 31 October 2025

Occasional day: 1 December 2025

Term: 3 November - 19 December 2025

Christmas holiday: 22 December - 2 January 2026

SPRING TERM

Inset day: 5 January 2026

Start of term: 6 January - 13 February 2026

Half-term holiday: 16 February - 20 February 2026

Term: 23 February- 27 March 2026
Easter holiday: 30 March - 10 April 2026

SUMMER TERM

Term: 13 April - 22 May 2026

Bank Holiday: 4 May 2026

Half-term holiday: 25 May - 29 May 2026

Inset day: 1 June 2026
23 July 2026

Term: 2 June - 23 July 2026

Summer holiday: 24 July 2026 - 31 August 2026

Inset Days 2025 - 2026

3 September 2025

24 October 2025

1 December (Occasional day) 2025

5 January 2026

1 June 2026

23 July 2026

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Term dates 2026-2027

AUTUMN TERM

Start of term: 2 September 2026
Inset day: 1 September 2026
Term: 2 September - 23 October 2026
Half-term holiday: 26 October - 30 October 2026

Occasional day: 4 December 2026
Term: 2 November - 18 December 2026
Christmas holiday: 21 December - 2 January 2027

SPRING TERM

Start of term: 4 January - 12 February 2027
Half-term holiday: 15 February - 19 February 2027
Term: 22 February- 25 March 2027
Easter holiday: 26 March - 9 April 2027

SUMMER TERM

Term: 12 April - 28 May 2027
Bank Holiday: 3 May 2027
Half-term holiday: 31 May - 4 June 2027
Term: 7 June - 19 July 2027
Inset day: 19 July 2027
20 July 2027
21 July 2027
22 July 2027

Summer holiday: 19 July 2027 - 1 September 2027
Inset day 1 September 2027

Pupils back to school 2 September 2027

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