

The Leys Primary and Nursery School



22 November



Accelerating progress



Enriching wellbeing



Promoting partnerships

Person of the week is

"IT'S SURELY OUR RESPONSIBILITY TO DO EVERYTHING WITHIN OUR POWER TO CREATE A PLANET THAT PROVIDES A HOME NOT JUST FOR US, BUT FOR ALL LIFE ON EARTH."

- SIR DAVID ATTENBOROUGH
2016



Star of the Week

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| Zephaniah | Freddie |
| Anderson | Gusia |
| Sendak | Paige |
| Carle | Grace Ivy |
| Hargreaves | Spencer |
| Ahlberg | Bailey |
| Wilson | Charlie |
| Dahl | Leah |
| Freedman | Luke |
| Strong | Tommy |
| Pratchett | Taylor |
| Morpurgo | Ellen |
| Tolkien | Josh |
| Lewis | Rhys |
| Rosen | Luca |
| Shakespeare | Aliyah |
| Dickens | Keiran |

Important dates coming up

Next week

- 25/11/19 Y6 Flu Sprays
- 25/11/19 Cycle training ALL WEEK
- 28/11/19 KS1 balance festival
- 29/11/19 Year 6 Family Friday reading

Coming up

- 02/12/19 SCHOOL CLOSED Occasional Day
- 03/12/19 Book Fair in school
- 06/12/19 ENTERPRISE DAY



Thank you for your support to keep our oceans PLASTIC FREE! Our pupils have all been talking about it! Funny enough they are all enjoying being TEACHERS for the day. I can see some very bossy teachers, and pupils showing a lot of attitude!!!!!!!!!!



We are part way through our experiment to see how much plastic we can collect in a week at school!!!! The local council have come to our rescue and delivered a large bin for us to start recycling plastic which is good news!

Day one



Day two



THE LEYS LEARNING VALUE AUTUMN

Determination

Class of the Week

Anderson and Zephaniah

The friendship cup is presented to:

Baylie G

The best attendance award is presented to

Hargreaves, Morpurgo, Lewis

100% punctuality award is presented to:

Ahlberg and Wilson

Headteacher Awards

Rec

Y1

Y2

Y3 Francis

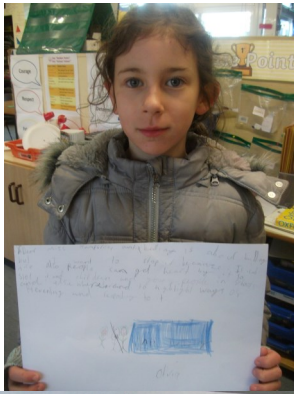
Y4

Y5

Y6 Tommy, Ethan

Inspiration Award

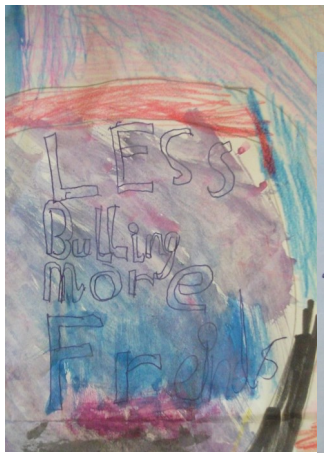
Kai Speer-Holding



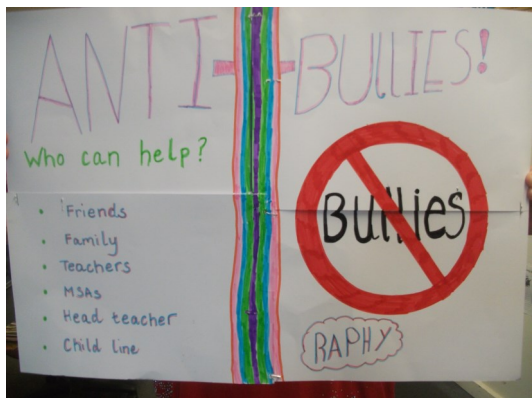
We, the students of Dickens Class, agree to be anti-bullying ambassadors of the Leys Primary and Nursery School.

By signing this pledge, I agree to:

- Treat others with kindness and respect.
- Try to include those who are left out.
- Refuse to bully others, and stop bullying when it happens.
- Refuse to watch, laugh or join in when someone is being bullied.
- Report an incident and tell an adult that we trust.
- Help those who are being bullied, and encourage them to talk about their feelings.
- If I don't have anything nice to say, I won't say anything at all.
- Try not help and protect a victim by becoming a bully myself.
- Once a bullying problem has been solved, forgive the bully and be the better person.



Last week all our pupils talked about Anti-bullying week, they created posters and pledges to help us keep THE LEYS as an ANTI-BULLYING ZONE!!!!



Thank you to everyone who supported Children in Need.



We raised £250.78



This week our ESG Eco warriors helped out to clear our site from all the litter that has been left around the school. It was a messy job for sure, but I have never seen a group of pupils so keen to help out!! THANK YOU!



| Anderson | Zephaniah | Carle | Sendak | Ahlberg | Hargreaves | Wilson | Freedman |
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| | | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 |
| Dahl | Pratchett | Morpurgo | Strong | Lewis | Tolkien | Shakespeare | Dickens |
| 4 | | 5 | | 5 | 2 | 2 | 2 |

Bad News! No classes earned BONUS POINTS for being HERE EVERY DAY and ON TIME last week

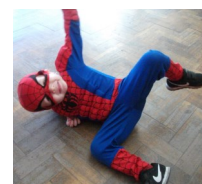
Superhero Olympics in

Nursery

This week our Nursery pupils had a fantastic time at their Superhero Day! They got involved in all kinds of heroic challenges and exciting missions!!! So great to see them all having so much fun!!



Captain's America crawling challenge



Writer of the Week—Delilah E Carle Class

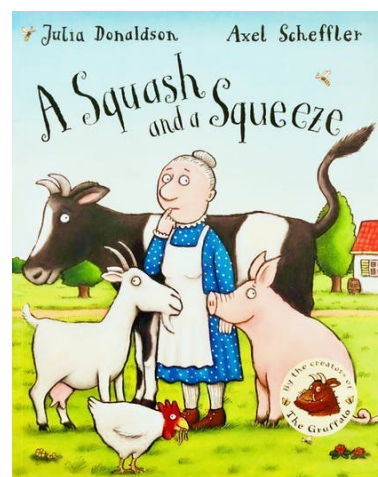
We were writing our own sentences about the animals in the book

'A squash and a squeeze' by Julia Donaldson

The hen flew around the room and laid an egg.

The goat ate the mat and ran around the kitchen table.

The naughty pig stomped around the garden and ran around after that.



Important Dates



DECEMBER

02/12/19 SCHOOL CLOSED Occasional Day

03/12/19 Book Fair in school

03/12/19 WRITING WEEK

How can we be creative to raise money for our school at Christmas?

06/12/19 ENTERPRISE DAY

06/12/19 Year 5 Stay and share

9/12/19 Year 3/4 Christmas production 9.30 am

9/12/19 Year 5/6 Christmas production 10.45 am

9/12/19 Year 1 Christmas production 2 pm

10/12/19 Reception trip to willows Farm

10/12/19 Nursery Christmas production 9.30 am
Year 2 Christmas production 2 pm

11/12/19 Year 1 Christmas production 9.30 am
Reception Christmas production 2 pm

11/12/19 Choir to Over 60's event

12/12/19 Reception Christmas production 9.30 am

Nursery Christmas production 2 pm

12/12/19 Year 5 trip to AIRBUS

13/12/19 Year 2 Christmas production 9.30am

13/12/19 Year 2 Stay and share

17/12/19 House Point Trip

18/12/19 XMAS DINNER Wear a Xmas Jumper Day—non uniform (no donation needed)

20/12/19 Own clothes day (no donation needed)

End of term school closes at 2.30pm.

Term dates 2019-2020

Autumn first half

3 September 2019 - 25 October 2019

Half term holiday:

28 October 2019 - 1 November 2019

Autumn second half

4 November - 20 December 2019

Christmas holiday:

23 December 2019 - 6 January 2020

Spring first half

7 January - 14 February 2020

Half term holiday: 17 February 2020 - 21 February 2020

Spring second half

24 February - 3 April 2020

Easter holiday: 6 April 2020 - 17 April 2020

Summer first half

20 April - 22 May 2020

Half term holiday: 25 May 2020 - 29 May 2020

Summer second half

2 June - 17 July

Summer holiday: 20 July 2020 - 2 September 2020

Start of term: 2 September 2020

INSET DAYS

2 December 2019 Occasional day

6 January 2020

1 June 2020

20 -21 July 2020

CLASS—Hargreaves

In Maths this week, Hargreaves have been learning to regroup numbers to help them add 9 rapidly. e.g. $9 + 5$ is regroup to $10 + 4$. This allows us to then mentally work out the answer quickly.

We also have been doing lots of practice for our Christmas performance. We have been looking at the different pitches in songs and how we need to change our voices to adapt.

Nursery Admissions.

The current round is for parents and carers of children born between the 1st September 2016 and the 31st August 2017.

Parents will be allocated either a morning session: 8.45 a.m.-11.45a.m. or an afternoon session: 12.30p.m. – 3.30p.m. Parents have the option to request 30 hours Childcare provision through our setting. We also work alongside Pilgrims Way Playgroup to share the provision. We hold tours for parents and carers in the Spring term. Please contact the school to book a place.

Applications are made directly to the school from now up to the 13th March 2020. Please contact the school office if you need an application form.

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