



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Hello everyone! It's the last day of November and it will be 1st December tomorrow—so who's been on the naughty or nice list? I must say there have been lots and lots of Lake Farm Park Academy children on our nice list! Really impressed with how well behaved the children have been, very helpful and kind to each other, very respectful to everyone—greeting adults and holding doors open and more. But most impressive is their excellent behaviour for learning where they are engaged with their learning and trying their best always. Parents/carers you should be proud of your children and tell them everyday how you feel.

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30th November 2018

FORTHCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS

- Monday 3rd December International Day of Disabled Persons
- Monday 3rd December PTA Forum at 2.30 pm
- Wednesday 5th December Governors in school day
- Friday 7th December Non-uniform day bring a chocolate donation for the Fair
- Monday 10th December Year 2 trip to V&A Museum of Childhood
- Wednesday 12th December Bike it Breakfast at 8.20 am onwards
- Friday 14th December Christmas Fair at 2.30 pm (children can be picked up from 2.15 pm)
- Thursday 13th December and Friday -4 December 2018 R/KS1 Nativity 9.30 & 2.00 & 9.30
- Friday 14th of December 2018 Xmas Fair 2.30 pm
- Tuesday 18th December 2018 Nursery X'mas show 9.30 am and 2 pm

Coffee Morning/Parents Forum Calendar

Date	Time	Led by	Focus
30.11.2018	9-9.45	Miss Whitehead	Maths calculations and times tables rockstars
21.12.2018	9-9.45	Mr Skinner/ Miss Verity	Reading-asking appropriate questions

CLASS ATTENDANCE OF THE WEEK

Which class had the best attendance

for the week ending 16/11/2018 is 3NP

Class of the week is : 23/11/2018 is 3AD

1 st	3NP	99.3%
2 nd	Ladybird	98.6%
2 nd	4MS	98.6%
3 rd	4AH	98.5%
4 th	Badger	97.7%
5 th	3AD	96.7%
6 th	Fox	96%
7 th	Mole	95.7%
8 th	Grasshopper	94.7%
9 th	Otter	94.3%
10 th	Rabbit	94%
11 th	3KW	93.3%
12 th	Butterfly	92.9%
13 th	4KW	90.7%
14 th	Squirrel	89%

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8 th	Squirrel	95.2%
9 th	3NP	94.3%
10 th	3KW	93.3%
11 th	Otter	92%
12 th	Grasshopper	91%
13 th	Rabbit	90%
14 th	Ladybird	89.9%
14 th	3KW	93%

Early Years Foundation Stage

This week, as part of our shapes and pattern theme, the nursery children created some vibrant, colourful stained glass shapes. They look amazing as the light shines through them! It has also added extra colour and brightness to the nursery environment and gives the feeling that Christmas is approaching and the excitement that it brings.

Year 3

This week in Year 3 we have been learning about light and undertaking experiments with mirrors and materials. In our science lesson, we tested different materials to see how well they reflect light and how suitable they are as a safety material! We also looked at how light is reflected in mirrors.



Hedghog Class :

In hedghog class we have been looking at the books of Julia Donaldson. The students have been working hard with their comprehension and enjoy retelling aspects of the story to their friends. In Maths we have focused on number skills, we have explored times tables, looked at estimating and some students have used the column method to add and subtract larger numbers. Students have also enjoyed exploring the topics from their year group when they attend their class.

Year 1

This week in Year 1, we have been learning about money. We looked at the different values of coins and added money through role playing in a shop. We also made our own moving superhero models using different mechanisms.



Year 4

During the past two weeks, the children have had the opportunity to investigate insects and water based life with our Biodiversity project. They have continued to embroider their own family shield. In English they have successfully published their non-chronological reports and started exploring a fantasy story. Mathematically, children have explored line graphs and are now further developing multiplication skills starting with doubling and halving numbers with more than two digits. Some children have had the opportunity to be part of a workshop, looking towards being part of a production with 3 other schools at the end of January.

Year 2

This week year 2 have been writing information texts about Lego. In maths we are continuing to look at measurement and solving problems. We had lots of fun printing toys in the style of Andy Warhol in topic this week.



SAFEGUARDING NEWS

Children's screen time

The BBC has reported on a survey by Norton of parents' views on their children's use of mobile technology. Based on responses from 7,000 parents across Europe with children aged 5 to 16, results of the survey include: on average, British children spend three hours a day online; 32% of parents surveyed worried how tablet and phone use may affect their child's mental health; 65% of parents surveyed let their children use gadgets alone in their bedroom.

Own It - app to improve online well being : The BBC has announced it will be launching an app to help improve young people's online wellbeing. The Own It app will be available in early 2019 and will use machine-learning to support young people beginning to use the internet and social media. Assistance for young people includes: considering how the use of certain words could be perceived by others; deciding whether to share personal information on social media; understanding how phone use late at night can affect wellbeing.