



Dear Parents, Carers & Families,

WOW – what a busy and brilliant final week of term we have had in school!



There has been so much to celebrate as the children reached the end of their learning this half term. Our Reception children were absolutely delighted to meet real-life owls and were fascinated as they watched them swoop gracefully around the school hall – a truly magical experience that brought their learning to life.

Year 1 had a wonderfully mischievous adventure boarding the “Naughty Bus” and travelling to the bus garage. The highlight for many was staying on board as the bus went through the bus wash – lots of excitement and smiles all round!

Year 2 proudly published their fantastic writing to conclude their topic on Dragons and Castles. The creativity, imagination and progress shown in their work has been a joy to see – we are incredibly proud of them. Reception and Year 1 also enjoyed taking part in a vibrant Chinese dance workshop as part of our recognition of Lunar New Year, which takes place over the half-term break. It was a wonderful opportunity to explore culture through music and movement.

As a whole school, we marked Safer Internet Day and we are immensely proud of the video created by our children – have you had a chance to watch it yet? We also celebrated the National Year of Reading with our Bedtime Story morning, which saw a record number of parents and carers join us. Thank you for supporting this special event – it was heart-warming to see our school community come together to share a love of reading.

To add to an already full week, we were delighted to welcome Ricky from SYNC, an advocate for universal design for learning and digital pedagogy. He was extremely impressed with what he saw during his visit and it was wonderful to showcase the fantastic learning taking place across our school.

Doesn't it make you wonder how we manage to fit so much into just one week? Phew! What a fantastic way to end the term.

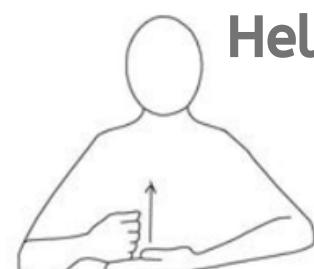
Wishing you all a restful and enjoyable half-term break.

Miss Ingrams and the Lime Wood Primary team



SIGN OF THE WEEK

Help



TEAMWORK

RESPECT

KINDNESS

PRIDE

CURIOSITY

OWLS VISIT TO RECEPTION



They were fascinated to see them fly around our hall!



NAUGHTY BUS COMES TO LIME WOOD PRIMARY - Y1

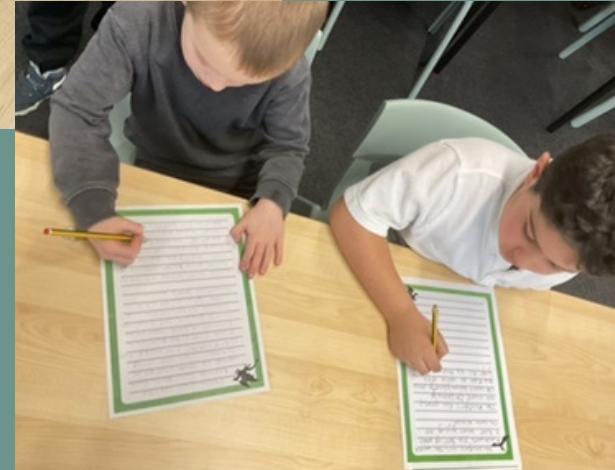


We were absolutely delighted to welcome the Naughty Bus to Lime Wood Primary this week – and what a resounding success it was! The children had the best time bringing the story to life, following the mischievous little bus on all of its adventures. From zooming through the classroom to recreating some of the book's most memorable moments, there was excitement (and giggles!) everywhere you looked this term.

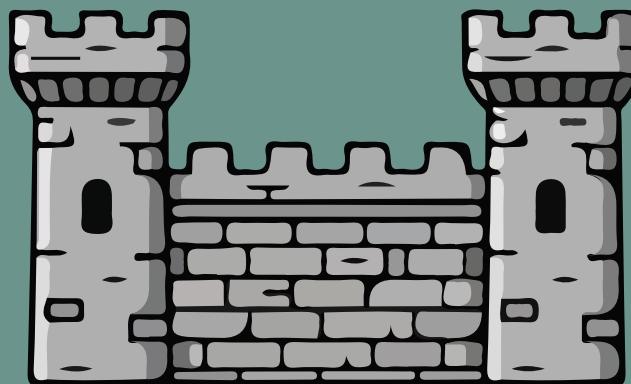
One of the biggest highlights? Experiencing a trip through the “bus wash” themselves! The squeals of laughter said it all as the children stepped into the fun, just like Naughty Bus in the story. It was a fantastic way to immerse everyone in the book and spark their imaginations.

A huge thank you to everyone involved in making the visit so special. The joy, creativity and enthusiasm from the children truly showed how powerful storytelling can be. We think Naughty Bus would be very proud of all the adventures this week!

Y2 PUBLISHED WRITING OUTCOMES



We are very
proud of Y2's
dragon stories
this term!





WHAT A BUSY WEEK!

INTERNET SAFETY DAY



🌐 We are proud to share Lime Wood's video celebrating Safer Internet Day.

Giving our children a strong voice in conversations about staying safe online was a real priority. It was wonderful to see them confidently share key messages, while also putting their oracy skills into practice through discussion, reflection, and collaboration.

The video truly captures their learning, enthusiasm, and understanding – and celebrates the importance of empowering young people to keep themselves safe in the digital world.

👉 [Take a look and see it in action here.](#)

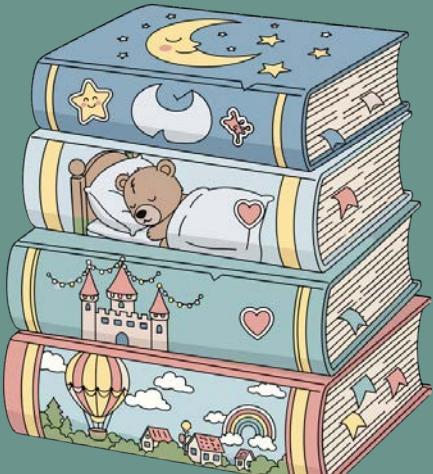


Thank you to the children, Mr Benham and the staff team for putting the video together.

BEDTIME STORY DAY



Thank you to everyone that joined us for the morning to celebrate the National Year of Reading! It was a record turn-out!



CHINESE DANCING WITH RECEPTION & Y1



VALUES IN ACTION



A lot of PRIDE in everyone for a successful half term!



LUNCHTIME AWARD

Kaia, Viya, Hezekiah, Bethel, Michael, Adeire, Yaseen



BIRTHDAYS

Manvvik, Erik & Ethan J, Duaa, Arthur

Ms Frost



SAFEGUARDING

Do you ever worry about how to speak to your child about keeping themselves safe online?

Take a look at this government guidance.



Talking to your child about online content

CLICK HERE!

STAR OF THE WEEK

Milani, Sarah, Emma, Sheila, Sonny, Harper, Xavier, Zayn, Aayan, Ella-Rose, Darcie, Roman, Kendrick

GOLDEN TREE

Joshua N, Cillian, Damisola, Zhuri, Diyasha, Zahar, Aurora



KEY DATES

23rd February- First Day Back



24th February- Big Bang Day

- Reception- Are Eggs Alive? Children will be exploring eggs and life cycles
- Y1- Why do some animals have furry paw and some have sharp paw? Children are welcome to dress us as an animal
- Y2- Where does our food come from? Children will be exploring different fruits and vegetables
- Tiny Seed - All about Pets

26th February- Y2 Tate Modern Trip

ATTENDANCE

W/c 09.02.2026

We strive for 96%+ attendance for all our children

Hundred Acre Wood
96%
Neverwood Forest
95%

Angling Spring Wood
96%
Flaming Forest
97%

Faraway Tree
98%
Baobab Tree
95%

Tiny Seed
95%

Whole school, Year to date: 95%



Please speak to us if we can help with any attendance matters. We are here to help.

COMMUNITY

OUR NEW LIME WOOD VIDEO IS OUT!!!! SCAN QR CODE TO WATCH



SCAN ME



EXCITED

Community Reminder: Respectful Drop-Offs and Pick-Ups

As part of our commitment to fostering a clean and considerate community, we kindly remind you to be mindful of our residents during drop-offs and pick-ups. Respecting their space and maintaining a litter-free environment is essential. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated and ensures our neighborhood remains welcoming to all.



Thank you for your understanding and support.



COMMUNITY



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LOOK!

New Hampshire NHS have released these series of short videos that are useful for parents/carers - take a look

- ADHD
- Sleep
- EBSA



Support • Inform • Signpost • Empower



Interoception

Linked to their sensory processing differences, many neurodivergent children and young people experience challenges with interoception.

Interoception is our internal sensory system or '5th sense'. It helps us to feel the signals and sensations that happen inside our bodies. This includes recognising and interpreting internal body signals such as hunger, thirst, pain or the need to use the toilet.

Interoception also helps us connect physical sensations to emotions, like a racing heart linked to anxiety or tense muscles linked to fear, and so is also important for emotional regulation.

Join our workshops to learn more about this important topic and discover practical ways to support your child or young person.

This workshop will be led by Tamsin Cox, Principal Educational Psychologist from Bexley.

www.bexleyvoice.org.uk

Parent Carer Workshop

Tuesday 24th February 26

10am-12noon

Danson Youth Centre
 The Hall
 Brampton Road
 Bexleyheath
 DA7 4EZ

Our free parent carer workshop series provides Bexley Voice members with the opportunity to get information relating to your child or young person's additional need and/or disability. We cover various topics according to parental demand.

Advance booking required at:

<https://bexleyvoice.org.uk/calendar/item/57901035>

or scan the QR code:





Volunteers
needed



Our PTFA needs YOU!

We are very lucky here at Lime Wood Primary to have an active PTFA, who organise many events to raise money for our school. If you would like to get involved or find out more, please do get in touch!

ptfalwp@gmail.com

Meet our PTFA Members!

They are happy to answer any questions, you may have about the role of a PTFA member.



Charly Wales



Amanda Attard



Liam Buhl



Sarah Hamilton



Natalie Buhl



Sonal Arora

COMING SOON

Upcoming
events!



Easter Event

Watch this space!

Summer Festival

27th June 2026



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