



Dear Parents, Carers & Families,

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



TEAMWORK



CURIOSITY



RESPECT



PRIDE



KINDNESS

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**

OWLS VISIT TO RECEPTION



Reception loved welcoming their owl visitors!



They were fascinated to see them fly around our hall!



NAUGHTY BUS COMES TO LIME WOOD PRIMARY - Y1

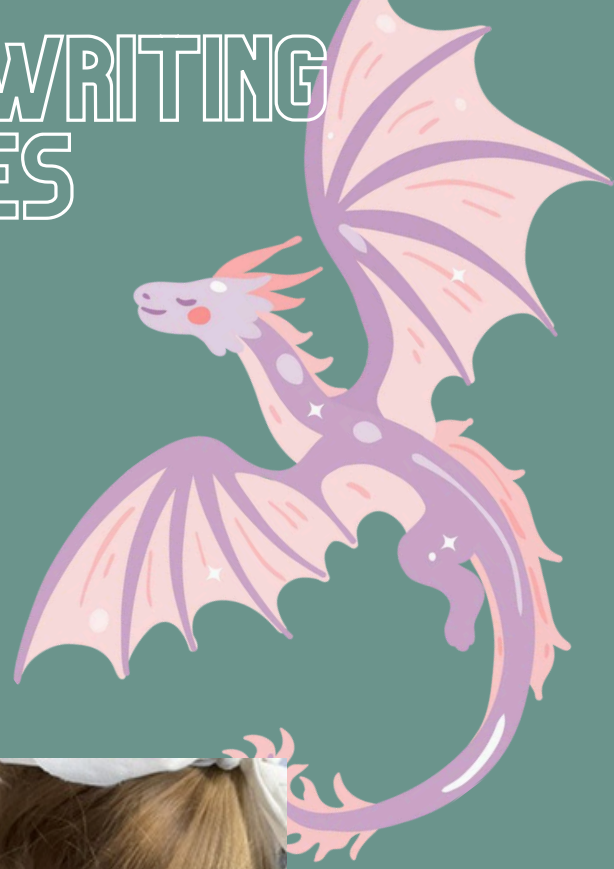


We were absolutely delighted to welcome the Naughty Bus to Lime Wood Primary this week – and what a resounding success it was! The children had the best time bringing the story to life, following the mischievous little bus on all of its adventures. From zooming through the classroom to recreating some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

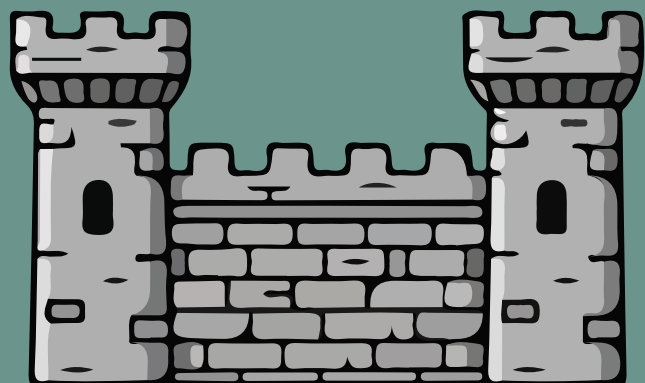
One of the biggest highlights? Experiencing a trip through the “bus wash” themselves! The squeals of laughter said it all as the children stepped into the fun, just like Naughty Bus in the story. It was a fantastic way to immerse everyone in the book and spark their imaginations.

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



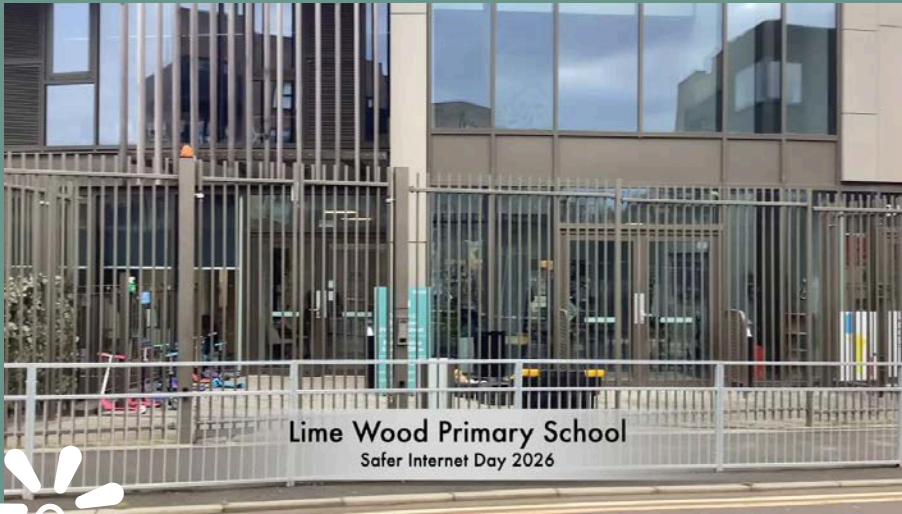
We are very proud of Y2's dragon stories this term!





WHAT A BUSY WEEK!

INTERNET SAFETY DAY



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

🌐 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.](#)

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



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



BIRTHDAYS

Manvvik, Erik & Ethan J,
Duaa, Arthur

Ms Frost



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

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



ATTENDANCE

W/c 09.02.2026

We strive for 96%+ attendance for all our children

Hundred Acre Wood
96%
Neverwood Forest
95%

Faraway Tree
98%
Baobab Tree
95%

Angling Spring Wood
96%
Flaming Forest
97%

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



EXCITED

SCAN ME



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.



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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



What is Emotionally Based School Avoidance



Risk factors for Emotionally Based School Avoidance



Tips for Emotionally Based School Avoidance



Thriving with ADHD in school



ADHD and sleep



Reframing ADHD



Girls and ADHD



ADHD – order out of chaos



Growing older and changing ADHD symptoms



The importance of sleep



Tips to support sleep optimisation



To watch the videos, scan these QR codes



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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:



Interoception

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

Interoception is our internal sensory system or '8th 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.

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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
Chair LWP PTFA



Amanda Attard
Member LWP PTFA



Liam Buhl
Treasurer LWP PTFA



Sarah Hamilton
Member LWP PTFA



Natalie Buhl
Secretary LWP PTFA



Sonal Arora
Member LWP PTFA

COMING SOON

Upcoming events!



Easter Event

Watch this space!

Summer Festival
27th June 2026



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