



Dear Parents, Carers & Families,

Celebrating KINDNESS Week



TEAMWORK



CURIOSITY



RESPECT



PRIDE



KINDNESS

What a wonderful week it has been at our school as we celebrated one of our school values: KINDNESS. We are incredibly proud of the many moments—big and small—where children have shown genuine care for one another. One such moment was in the lunch hall, where a Y2 child accidentally bumped into a Reception pupil. They immediately stopped, checked that they were okay, and offered a reassuring hug. A true act of kindness in action! We have also been delighted to see children using such thoughtful manners with our kitchen team each day—small gestures that make a big difference. These are just two of the examples amongst so many!

We've also been excited to introduce our new lunchtime play shed, now filled with a fantastic range of lunchtime play resources. This new space is already helping lunchtimes go with a bang—supporting socialisation, shared play, and most importantly, fun! Alongside this, we are thrilled to celebrate the arrival of our new picnic bench, which will soon be joined by another table and a special buddy bench to continue promoting friendship, kindness and connection across the playground.

Kindness Week actions have been captured through photos and videos which have been collated together in a special iMovie put together by Mr Benham – please take a look to see how this has captured the spirit of everything we've been working on, highlighting the many ways our school community continues to grow together. We also marked Positive Noticing Day, inspired by the work of Paul Dix and When the Adults Change, which aligns closely with our Behaviour and Relationships Policy. Children wrote heartfelt messages of appreciation to one another on special tags, and we were deeply touched by the warm messages shared by parents and carers at the gate too. Thank you.

We finished Kindness Week by recognising Children in Need, and we'd like to extend a huge thank you for all your generous donations to such a worthy cause. We raised a fantastic £157.

What a week!

Miss Ingrams and the Lime Wood Primary team.



SIGN OF THE WEEK



Respect



Well done Miss Newell who has completed her Makaton Level 1 qualification!

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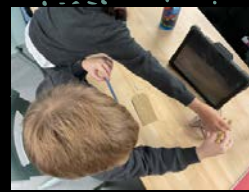
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KINDNESS WEEK & POSITIVE NOTICING DAY

Reception



Year 1



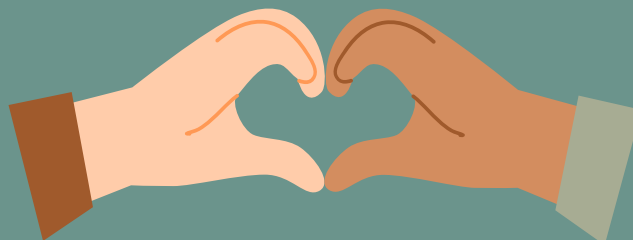
Year 2



WATCH OUR KINDNESS WEEK MOVIE

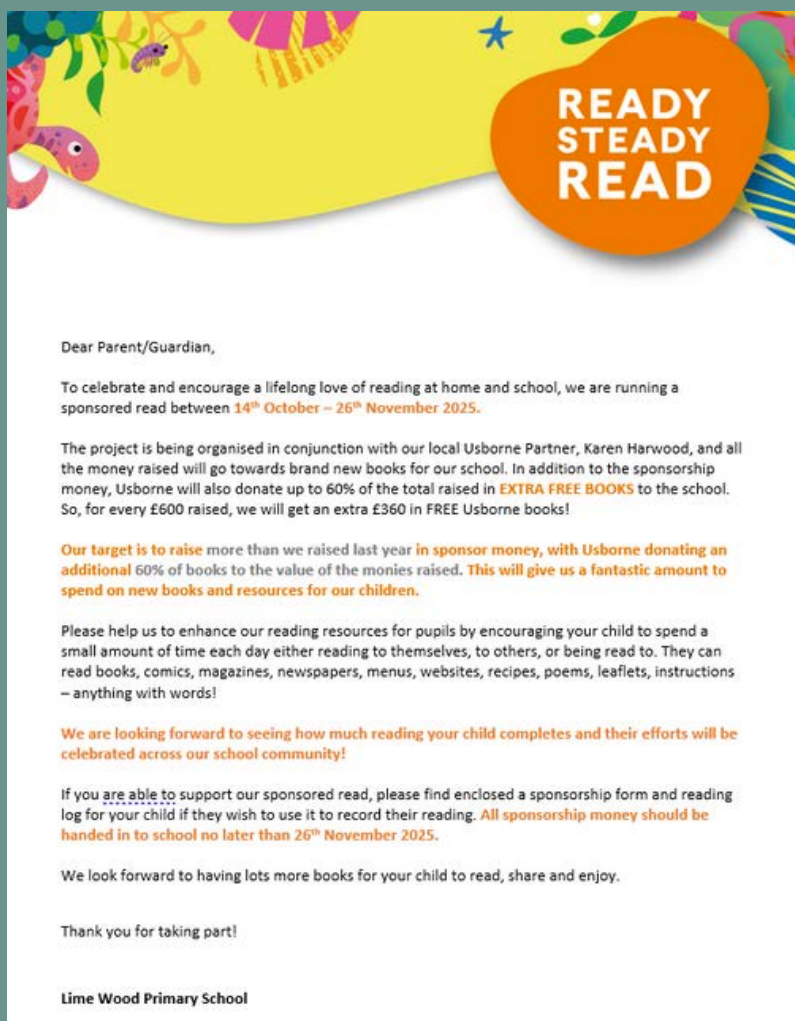


Wood Primary School
Kindness Week 2025
25 Acts of Kindness





Ready Steady Read



Children will bring home Ready Steady Read Sponsorship letter this afternoon. Please check book bags.

CHILDREN'S

CHAMPION



Be Bright Be Seen Competition

The Lime Wood Children's Champions invite you to take part in their 'Be Bright Be Seen' safety in the dark competition.

You must design a bright outfit to wear in the dark so that you can be seen by people and traffic.

We ask for a donation of £1 to enter to go towards prizes.

Please hand in your entry to your class Children's Champions representative and donation to your class teacher by Friday 28th November. Judging will take place the following week in our Children's Champions meeting and then winners announced in Celebration Assembly and on our school social media.

Thank you for taking part and good luck!

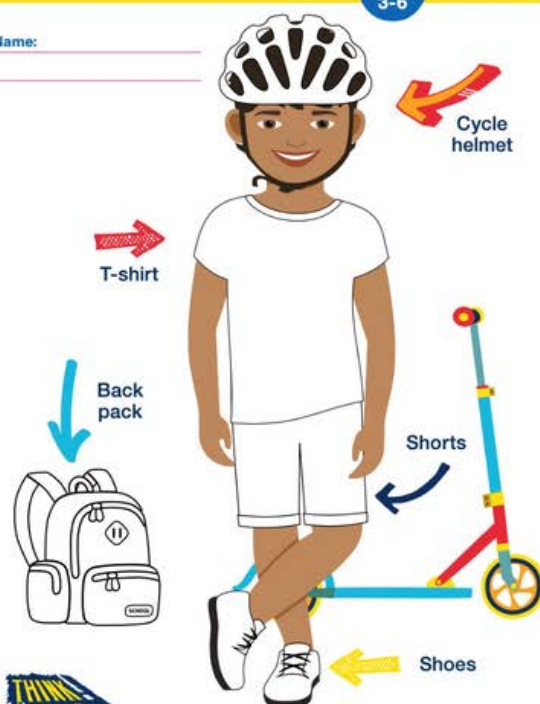
Lime Wood Children's Champions

Colour me bright

Ages 3-6



Name: _____



VALUES IN ACTION



What a fabulous week we have all had celebrating and recognising our school value of **KINDNESS**.



LUNCHTIME AWARD

Luna, Viha, Caitlin-Rose, Zayn, Frankie, Kingsley



STAR OF THE WEEK

Aayan, Pheobe, Rain, Ovie, Xavier B, Laura, Kiyan, Frankie, Ethan Jeffery, Anthony, Sienna, Olivia

GOLDEN TREE

David, Ella-Rose, Darcie, Roman, Mila, Arthur Matteo, Olivia, Lucy, Dania, Marvelous, Mayode, Pearl



ATTENDANCE

W/c 10.11.25

We strive for **96%+** attendance for all our children

Hundred Acre Wood
95%

Neverwood Forest
96%

Angling Spring Wood
94%

Flaming Forest
95%

Faraway Tree
96%
Baobab Tree
94%

Whole school, Year to date: **93%**



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



KEY DATES



14th-21st November- Ready, Steady Read Launch

19th November- PTFA AGM 4:30pm, Main Hall - All Welcome

19th November- Open day for prospective 26-27 reception parents and family- 4pm

28th November- Usborne Book Fair- Main Hall after school

SAFEGUARDING

Take a look at our Children's Champions competition on pg. 4! As the nights are now drawing in, watch this video to support your competition entry!
'Be Bright, Be Seen'



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COMMUNITY

Every last Thursday of the month

FAMILY HUB DELIVERED BY FAMILY WELLBEING INVITES YOU TO

Coffee Morning

THURSDAY 27th NOVEMBER
10am - 12noon
Family Hub, 105 West Street.
Erith. DA8 1AW

NOVEMBER TOPIC: BEHAVIOUR

Enjoy a warm drink, connect with others, and take part in relaxed discussions on topics that matter most – from parenting and wellbeing to local family support

IT'S A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO LEARN, SHARE, AND BUILD CONNECTIONS IN A SUPPORTIVE SPACE. OUR FAMILY WELLBEING KEYWORKERS WILL BE AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT THE MORNING TO ANSWER YOUR QUESTIONS, OFFER ADVICE, AND PROVIDE ONE-TO-ONE CONSULTATIONS ABOUT ANY SPECIFIC CONCERNS YOU MAY HAVE.

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BEAS Monthly Parent Support

in conjunction with Kassipi Cove Indoor Soft Play Centre SEN Sessions

Do you have a preschool-aged child with either a suspected or confirmed diagnosis of Autism? Are you feeling overwhelmed, isolated, or in need of advice? If the answer to the above is 'Yes', then why not bring your child along to Kassipi Cove's monthly SEN sessions?

The sessions are attended by a member of the Bexley Early Autism Service (BEAS) team, who is available for an informal chat and to share advice and strategies to help you gain a greater understanding of your child's needs.

To book your child's place, please click on the link below:-
<https://kassipi-cove.co.uk/sen-sessions>

You will find the dates of monthly SEN sessions contained within the link.

If you would like to learn more about BEAS, please click on the link below, which will take you to the BEAS page of the Bexley Local Offer:-
<https://www.bexleylocaloffer.uk/Services/2299>

See you there!

WE ARE RECRUITING VICE CHAIR OF OUR LOCAL ACADEMY COMMITTEE

Lime Wood Primary School currently has a vacancy on their Local Academy Committee for a Vice Chair.

We are looking for a committee member who would further enjoy being part of our school in joining our local governance team, sharing your experiences for the benefit of all of our community. Being a LAC Vice Chair is a key role in supporting the leadership and management of our school and working collaboratively with our Chair.

In return you would receive:

- * An opportunity to influence the school experience and lives of children in the school community.
- * A space to share your skills and experience to improve our educational offer.
- * A chance to gain deeper insight into the leadership of a school.

If you believe you would enjoy being a governor or want to find out more, please get in touch with us! We would love to hear from you.

 lwpschool@watschools.org.uk

Please note that in accordance with our safeguarding policy, all successful applications will be subject to DBS and reference checks.

 Lime Wood Primary School  Woodland Academy Trust
Proud to be part of

London South East Children's University November 2025 Challenges

Children in Need is a day of activities designed to raise money for the charity so that they can help children in lots of different ways, across the country! This year, Children in Need takes place on 14th October 2025 and all the activities are linked to this!



You can choose to complete as many of these challenges as you wish – simply email your evidence (a photo is absolutely fine!) to Louise at Bexley.CU@Bexley.gov.uk and she will send you your stamp code!

Pudsey Postcard Pudsey is encouraging everyone to colour in a postcard and write a message for him! You can follow this link for a postcard template: https://www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/schools/primary-school/curriculum-linked-maths-resources/	25 Question Quiz! For this challenge, I would like you to complete Children in Need's '25 Question Quiz'! Simply download send Louise your answers! If you would like, you can download the quiz here: https://www.bbcchildreninneed.co.uk/fundraising/challenge-yourself-to-25-inspiration/#block_e4632f3d4e1ff3b22fb42168b7319de1
Challenge yourself to 25! To mark 2025, Children in Need want you to get sponsored to do 25 of anything: 25 kilometres on a bike, 25 cupcakes baked, a 25-minute football tournament... whatever you like! Whether you're taking on a physical challenge, baking cakes, or choosing your own thing – you can be there for children across the UK, by helping to fund vital projects supported by BBC Children in Need. People like you make all the difference. Go on, Challenge Yourself.	Children in Need For this challenge, I would like you to imagine that you are explaining what Children in Need is to someone who has never heard of them. You can either create a fact sheet, a video or a presentation sharing information which should include... • What the charity does • Where they work (including at least one project close to Bexley) • How this changes people's lives! The Children in Need website can help this :)



Well done to all of the parents who completed the Keeping Up with my Child KS1 English course.

We can't wait to see you all next week for Keeping up with my Child KS1 Maths course..



				
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Lime Wood Primary PTFA's



BREAKFAST

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SANTA



Saturday 29th November

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