



TEAMWORK



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RESPECT



PRIDE



KINDNESS

Dear Parents, Carers & Families,

What a half term! It's hard to believe how quickly the weeks have flown by. Each day has been filled with energy, curiosity and joy as our children continue to grow, learn and thrive. We have been so proud to see the learning and achievements across the school – from our youngest learners exploring through play to our older pupils tackling new challenges with enthusiasm and confidence.

This week has been filled with moments that truly capture the spirit of our school. Our Playdough Party for Reception children and parents was a wonderful opportunity to come together, have fun and share in a joyful, hands-on learning experience. It was lovely to see everyone getting creative and connecting in such a positive way.

We also welcomed our governors – such a supportive, enquiring and appropriately challenging group. Together, we reflected on what's going well, asked thoughtful questions and looked ahead with shared ambition for our school.

Another highlight was our focus on Oracy, as we hosted colleagues from across our Trust and local schools to share ideas, visit classrooms and showcase the fantastic strategies our team have been developing. The feedback was brilliant – and so well deserved!

We also picked up again with our intergenerational project with Age UK Bexley, bringing together older members of the community and our children for a Talking Café. Our Reception children joined in to create pumpkins – a wonderful way to connect generations through creativity and conversation.

We rounded things off beautifully with our Year 1 and Year 2 Learning Showcases. It was wonderful to see so many proud parents enjoying what their children have achieved and celebrating their progress.

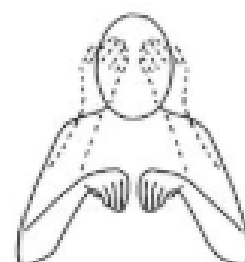
Feeling incredibly proud of our team, our children and our wider community – everything that makes our school such a special place. 💙🌟

Wishing you all a wonderful half term break.

Miss Ingrams and the Lime Wood Primary team.



SIGN OF THE WEEK



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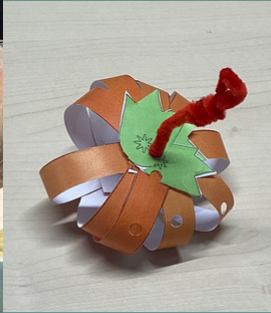
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TALKING CAFE INTER-GENERATIONAL PROJECT WITH AGE UK BEXLEY



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WE LOVE LEARNING PLAYDOUGH PARTY - EYFS

Thank you to all our parents/guardians that joined us for our playdough party. It was wonderful to see so many of you enjoying creative hands-on fun with the children



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FAMILY LEARNING SHOWCASES

Y1



Y2



BLACK HISTORY MONTH

We've had a fantastic time celebrating Black History Month, with each year group diving into inspiring topics and meaningful learning experiences!



EYFS learned about Garrett Morgan, the inventor of the traffic light, linking his work to their road safety activities.

Year 1 explored how music can inspire change through the life and work of composer Dr Shirley Thompson.



Year 2 celebrated the work of Black artist Frank Bowling, exploring how he uses colour and abstract techniques to tell stories and reflect his heritage. Inspired by his style, the children created their own vibrant artworks!

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ANNOUNCING OUR CHILDREN'S CHAMPIONS TEAM

This week children in Year 1 and Year 2 have put their names forward to become members of our Children's Champion Team. They worked hard on their speeches and after a class vote were selected to represent their classes.

The team will meet once a term with Children's Champion Lead - Mr Benham.



Reception will have a chance to join the team in Summer term.

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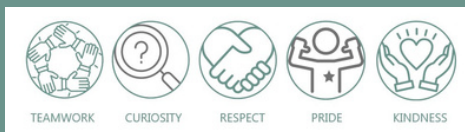
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VALUES IN ACTION

What a wonderful half term!
Celebrating all of our values!



LUNCHTIME AWARD

Emma, Talia, Olivia, Eva,
Joseph, Samirah



STAR OF THE WEEK

Zaigham, Rayna, Navaeh,
Kayden S, Maraan, Gemm,
Sienna, Harper-Mae, Anthony,
Daania, Talia, Cillian

GOLDEN TREE

Hayden, Viha, Johnny,
Gurbanni, Feliz, Manvik, Zhuri,
Jacob M, Tiyan, Joshua B,
Olivia, Viya



ATTENDANCE

W/c 13.10.25

We strive for 96%+ attendance for all our children

Hundred Acre Wood
90%
Neverwood Forest
92%

Angling Spring Wood
94%
Flaming Forest
97%

Faraway Tree
92%
Baobab Tree
98%

Whole school, Year to date: 96%



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



KEY DATES



3rd November - Welcome Back to HT2!

4th November - Big Bang Day!
Reception - Dress up in favourite clothes!
Y1 - Come wearing green!
Y2 - Dress up as royalty!

5th November - 9.30am, School Visits for
prospective new parents/carers (Reception
2026)

7th November - Rock Kidz are visiting LWP!

SAFEGUARDING

🌙 Darker Evenings – Keeping Children Safe

As the evenings get darker earlier, please help us keep all children safe on their way to
and from school.

Simple steps make a big difference:

- Add reflective strips or bright colours to coats and bags.
- Use torches or clip-on lights for better visibility.
- Walk together where possible and always cross at safe points.



For more practical tips, read Keeping Children Safe in the Dark from First Aid for Life.

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COMMUNITY



Sasha from Age UK Bexley came to collect all of your fantastic donations!



Is it time for an Autumn clearout? Bring your recycling to school and help us raise funds for our school!



We have seen an increase in children wearing hooded jumpers - only jumpers and cardigans please!



WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO DEVELOPING A COMMUNITY PROJECT WITH GREEN HEART FOUNDATION, WORKING ON DEVELOPING OUR ALLOTMENT AREA.



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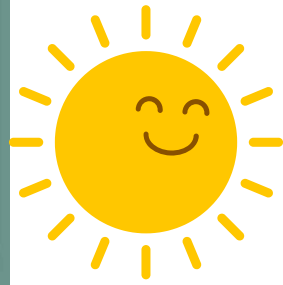


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PTFA



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.



Join us!

Lime Wood
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Charly Wales
Chair LWP PTFA



Tara Harper
Member LWP PTFA



Sarah Hamilton
Secretary LWP PTFA



Natalie Buhl
Member LWP PTFA



Amanda Attard
Member LWP PTFA

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