

Friday 11th November 2022

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Letter from the Head



Dear Parent and Carers,

I hope you are all well. Apologies for my lack of comments last week - it was one of those weeks and I simply ran out of time.

As you are probably aware, we put reading at the heart of our curriculum here at Lanner. We are always looking at ways to enhance reading and improve outcomes for the children as well as trying our utmost to ensure they develop a genuine love of reading. This year we are having a big push of fluency in reading. Fluency is a vital component in reading, and we really need your help with it. Mrs Pulley will be sending out some really important information this week regarding fluency in reading. If you have any questions with this, please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher. One thing that I will say is that if your child comes home with the same reading book, this may be a deliberate part of how we develop fluency. If in doubt, feel free to contact us - drop your child's teacher a quick message on dojo etc for more info.

Homework: Homework is a vital part of your child's learning and we really do rely on our partnership with yourselves. On the school website you will be able to find our policy on homework. There are individual expectations for each year group, and we provide a map of ideas for children in Y1, 2 & 3. We do not do this in K52, purely because we put a higher focus on reading, TTRS, Mental Maths and of course SATs. However, if ever you would like any additional ideas, please drop your class teacher a message and they will happily point you in the right direction. Alternatively, your half termly 'Key Vocabulary and Knowledge Tables' usually give you a few good ideas to research with your child. If in doubt though, please shout.

Christmas: I will be writing to you over the next week or so with the finer details, but as already mentioned previously, please keep the evening of Thursday 8th December free (5p.m-6.pm).

That's all from me this week. I hope you have a great weekend.

Kind regards Kieran Walsh

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Lannergrams

Well done to everyone who received a Lannergram this week:

Y1: Ralph, Jason, Harry W

Y2: Elijah, Osiris, Noah

Y3: Oliver, Archie, Heidi

Y4: Scarlett, Harleigh, Morgan

Y5: Oscar, Joshua, Emily

Y6: Keira, Isaac, Amelie



Affendance Cup

Group	% Attend
Year 1	99.7
Year 2	95.0
Year 3	97.5
Year 4	93.3
Year 5	88.1
Year 6	93.4
Totals	96.0



<u>Dates for your diary</u>

Monday 28th November—Flu immunisation - All School

- Wednesday 30th November—
 Parent drop in/book look
- Thursday 8th December—
 Christmas jumper day & Whole
 School Christmas Performance .
- Friday 16th December—Last day of term—1.30pm finish.
- ♦ Tuesday 3rd January—return to school.

Word of the week

Our word of the week is - Robust

Definition 1 — strong, healthy, and full of energy.

Definition 2 — full of high spirits; noisy.

He broke into robust laughter.

Please try and use this word as much as you can with your child.



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Lost Property

Lost property will be left outside the year 3 overhang from next week. Please take a look if your child is missing anything.



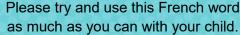


French word of the week

'un livre'

means 'a book' in French.





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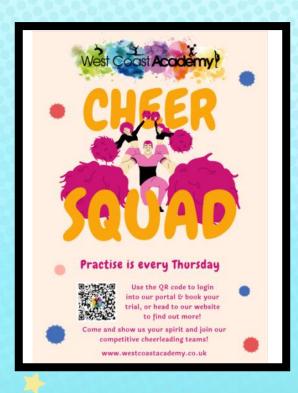
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Monday 14th November

To recognise anti-bullying week this week, on Monday, children are welcome to wear odd socks to school.





Our Choir / Musical Theatre group have shown how committed and hard working they are. Warming up their voices properly and practicing scales is really important and they gave me goosebumps when they surprised me with singing the chorus of our new song!! They are sounding very good together. I'm really enjoying leading this group.

Miss May.



Friday 18th November

Non-uniform day—spots or stripes theme if you can.

Donations are being taken to raise money for Children in Need.



Only 10-12% of the world population is left handed!

Have a great weekend!!



