

Weds 21 - Thur 22 Oct
Parents' Evening
(telephone appointments)

Weds 21 Oct
Parents' Forum 6pm (online)

Thurs 22 Oct
Non-Uniform Day -
Y4 & Y6
(£1 donation - PTFA)

Fri 23 Oct
Non-Uniform Day -
Rec, Y1, Y2, Y3 & Y5
(£1 donation - PTFA)

Mon 26 Oct - Fri 6 Nov (inc)
Half Term (School Closed)
School Re-opens Mon 9 Nov.

Does Ladybridge still feel like Ladybridge during Covid-19?!

With the older pupils eating lunch in classrooms, the corridors empty, pupils playing on separate playgrounds and no whole-school get-togethers in the hall, I started to feel that perhaps school didn't quite feel the same anymore! But, as I walked around school this afternoon, I realised that our school is as *alive*, *busy* and as *happy* as ever...

In Reception, I was able to visit the hairdressers, although I did have to wait my turn!

In Y1, pupils were skilfully designing and creating computer generated pizzas on their iPads!

Y2 pupils were patiently painting and colour mixing, all in the style of Kandinsky!

Y3 pupils were enthusiastically running the daily mile in between learning how to debug some computer code!

Très bien Y4...communicating all about animals in French! Not to mention how much they knew about Ancient Egypt (they have even mummified tomatoes!).

Although Y5 are self-isolating at the moment, their classrooms show their recent learning about 'Black History' month, which continues at home, through remote lessons.

Finally, Y6 pupils were fully engrossed in discussions and research all out about genes and evolution!

In every class, pupils smile while they learn.

Teaching and learning at Ladybridge is as engaging, interesting and exciting as ever - thank you to everyone who helps make our school such a great place to be - we are Achieving Excellence Together.

EVERY day counts
attendance matters

Attendance Matters

This Week's Attendance

😊 95.9% 😊

Class with the Best Attendance

😊 Rec L & 3L - 97.9% 😊

Most Punctual Class

😊 1L, 2L, 2B, 3L & 4L 😊

Remember Attendance Matters; Be in School All Day, Every Day

URBAN
OUTREACH (BOLTON)

Thank you for all the kind harvest donations, that were brought into school this morning. Urban Outreach will be collecting all items on Monday morning and have asked us, in advance, to say a huge thank you for your generosity. They really appreciate all the donations, which help them to carry out their invaluable work in supporting the less fortunate people of our town.

Nut Free School



Please, please remember - we are STRICTLY a nut-free school. This is vitally important as we have some children in school with severe, potentially life-threatening, nut allergies. Items such as Nutella, Snickers and cereal bars with nuts must NOT be sent into school.



Ruby and Poppy from Year 6 each won a prize in a competition they entered at the Ladybridge High Virtual open evening. Both children were awarded with a certificate and a prize.

Well done, girls!

Dinner Money

If you wish to pay dinner money in advance up to Christmas, the cost is £54. If you think your child's account may have an existing balance on it, please contact the school office if you wish to have the amount confirmed. If you would like to pay online, the details are:

Lloyds Bank Sort Code: 30-91-01 Account Number 17412260

Please ensure you reference all dinner payments in the following format: Child's name-class-date of birth-DINNER
(Example: MusaPatel-3L-14.04.2012-DINNER)



Each week, we focus on work undertaken by a different class. This week, it was the turn of 2L who say ... this week, we have been learning all about the artist, Wassily Kandinsky. We have learnt how to mix primary colours together to make secondary colours and how to select the best tools for effect, which we found particularly tricky! Kandinsky liked listening to music as he painted, and we do too! When completed, our masterpieces, which have been influenced by Kandinsky's concentric circles, will be hung in our very own art gallery!



PLEASE PARK CONSIDERATELY!



School has received another complaint from a resident, regarding inconsiderate parking in the vicinity of school. We appreciate that it is difficult to park at peak times, but for the safety of everyone please do so sensibly. Please do not block other cars in, either on the car park or across residents' drives. Remember - emergencies can arise at any time and, therefore, residents need to be able to get out and emergency services need to be able to get in.

Halloween Non-Uniform Days

Because of Covid, we will be unable to hold our annual Halloween party this year. Instead, the PTFA will continue its fundraising efforts by holding the following non-uniform days:

- Thursday 22 Oct - Y4 and Y6
- Friday 23 Oct - Rec, Y1, Y2, Y3 and Y5

Children can dress up as they wish - maybe in a Halloween outfit, in their own party clothes or as a superhero to represent how brave everyone has been during these difficult times of lockdown! All we ask is that children bring into school a £1.00 donation in return for dressing in non-uniform. Happy dressing up!



Parents' Evenings

Don't forget ... parents' evenings will take place by telephone over Wednesday 21 and/or Thursday 22 October. To book your appointment, please visit <https://ladybridgeprimary.parentseveningsystem.co.uk>

The purpose of the parents' evening telephone call is:

- For your child's class teacher to share how well your child has settled, to share things that are going really well and also things that your child needs to improve.
- For you to ask any questions about your child's learning and also raise any concerns you have.

Useful Information

Tel: 01204 333646

Email: office@ladybridge.bolton.sch.uk

Website: www.ladybridgeprimaryschool.co.uk

HALF TERM REMINDER

Please note that school will be **CLOSED** for two weeks (Monday 26 October to Friday 6 November (inclusive)) for the half term break. School will re-open on Monday 9 November.