

School Newsletter 23rd April 2021



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<u>Monday 3 May 2021</u> Bank Holiday - School Closed

<u>Thur 6 May 2021</u> Polling Day - School Closed (LA Enforced Closure)

<u>Fri 7 May 2021</u> Eid Secrets' Room (letter has gone home today)

<u>Mon 31 May</u> Bank Holiday - School Closed

<u>Tues 1 - Fri 4 June (inclusive)</u> Half-Term Break - School Closed



Attendance Matters

This Week's Attendance © 97% ⊙

Class with the Best Attendance © 3L - 100% ©

Most Punctual Class③1B

Remember how important it is to be in school all day, every day.

Extra Learning at Home

Earlier this week, we provided Y2 - Y6 pupils with their new summer term homework activities to support their 'Discovery' learning (posted on Class Dojo on Monday).

For those families who want to do extra learning at home, please remember to continue visiting the following websites that are provided as part of remote learning:

> https://www.thenational.academy/ https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize

<u>http://www.primaryresources.co.uk/</u> <u>https://www.sciencemuseum.org.uk/games-and-apps</u> <u>https://www.tate.org.uk/kids/games-quizzes</u> <u>http://www.tate.org.uk/kids/games-quizzes</u> <u>http://www.tate.org.uk/kids/games-quizzes</u> <u>http://www.tate.org.uk/kids/games-quizzes</u> <u>http://www.tate.org.uk/kids/games-quizzes</u> <u>http://www.tate.org.uk/kids/games-quizzes</u> <u>http://www.topmarks.co.uk/kids/games-quizzes</u> <u>http://www.activityexpress.co.uk/kids/games-quizzes</u> <u>http://www.activityexpress.co.uk/kids/games-quizzes</u> <u>http://www.activityexpress.co.uk/kids/games-quizzes</u>

The first two websites above provide pupils and parents with thousands of video lessons, resources and activities that give step-by-step support across the whole curriculum. Ask your children what they've been learning in class or check the classroom door to see what this week's focus is, so you know what to search for.

When you visit these websites, follow the simple guide below: <u>https://www.thenational.academy/</u>

pupils \longrightarrow lessons \longrightarrow find lessons \longrightarrow EYFS, KS1 or KS2*			
→ subject			
OR			
pupils \longrightarrow lessons \longrightarrow subject \longrightarrow EYFS, KS1 or KS2*			
OR			
pupils \longrightarrow lessons \longrightarrow search			
https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize			
Primary → England KS1 or KS2*→ subject			
OR			
This Term's topic → I am in year → I want to learnsubject			

Each week, we focus on work undertaken by a different class. This week, it has been the turn of 2B, who say ... we have been learning how to sketch and draw outlines in the style of L S Lowry. We have learnt all about different types of sketching pencils, and looked closely at what the people in Lowry's pictures looked like, before we recreated our own matchstick people, dogs and even bikes! After that, we looked at photos of the children in our class playing outside and drew outlines of them. Over the coming week, we will be using all that we have learnt about sketching to create our very own Lowry-inspired Ladybridge Primary School piece of art.





An Extra Day's Holiday in 2021-22 - REMINDER

Just a quick reminder that an additional bank holiday has been identified, as part of the Queen's Platinum Jubilee (70 year reign) celebrations. As it falls within the summer half-term break, schools have been given an additional day's holiday during the year. This additional day will be added on to the October half-term, which means that school will be closed from Friday 22nd until Friday 29th October 2021 inclusively.

Rocksteady Music Lessons

Attached to this newsletter is information around Rock Steady music tuition (drums, electric guitar, keyboard or vocals). If you wish to find out more, please contact Rocksteady directly:

W: rocksteadymusicschool.com

T: 0330 113 0330

Thursday 6th May - Enforced School Closure

Unfortunately, on Thursday 6th May, school will be closed.

We have received the following information from Bolton Council:

'Given the issues around Covid, we are instructing all schools to shut for election day. We are aware that most schools do in fact shut but where schools stay open by offering a nursery unit or a classroom, these schools must shut on this occasion. This is because of the need for additional space in order to make polling stations Covid-secure.'

I apologise for any inconvenience that this may cause, but we have to abide by the instruction given.

Thank you for you understanding.

Mr.Watson





Eid Secrets' Room

The PTFA is delighted to let you know that the Eid Secrets' Room is back, and will be open

during the school day on Friday 7 May (see letter and order form that has been sent home today). For just £3.00 per present, children can select gifts for family members, friends, neighbours or teachers etc.

The PTFA would like to take this opportunity to wish everyone a Happy Ramadan.