

### Ladybridge Learning Conversations

Do you ever ask your child, 'What have you been learning at school today?', and they respond, 'Nothing'? Well, ask them these questions instead, and see what they say! We'll be sending home two weekly questions per year group to support your learning conversations at home. Look out for these on Class Dojo and here on the newsletter!

Reception	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How can we help stop pollution?</li> <li>Can you find all the double facts up to 12?</li> </ul>
Year 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Can you tell me the difference between a herbivore and a carnivore?</li> <li>Name five things that we might find on our trip to the beach.</li> </ul>
Year 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If I lived in London in 1666, what would my house look like? Could you draw it?</li> <li>What is the difference between capacity and volume?</li> </ul>
Year 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Can you name a contact and non-contact force?</li> <li>What is the type of text we have started writing in English? And what is its purpose?</li> </ul>
Year 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What is precipitation?</li> <li>Who is Andy Warhol? What is he famous for?</li> </ul>
Year 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What are the four types of triangles? Can you describe each of their properties, which you would look out for when identifying triangles.</li> <li>What shortcuts have you learnt in computing lessons this term? Can you explain some of these shortcuts and why they are useful?</li> </ul>
Year 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Name Carl Linnaeus' seven groups of classification.</li> <li>Approximately how many miles is equivalent to 8km?</li> </ul>

### Class Focus

Each week, we focus on work undertaken by a different class. This week, it was the turn of 4B who say ... What a busy week we have had in year 4 this week! We have enjoyed daily trips to Ladybridge High School over the past 2 weeks for swimming lessons. Every single child has shown huge improvements since the start of our sessions. All the teachers are extremely proud of their determination and resilience. We even enjoyed a swim in our pyjamas to test our life saving skills to end our sessions. In the classroom, we have been learning about the water cycle, and have enjoyed watching our own 'water cycles in a bag' working day by day. Finally, we created power pledges as part of national school sports week. We then showed our dedication to our pledges by completing a lap of hope on the track. What a fun filled week!



### Q&A

Recently, a number of parents have enquired about taking children on holiday during the last few weeks of term.

Q. Why should I **not** take my child out of school during term-time?

A. There are many reasons:

- Pupils are entitled to 190 days of education every year - for every day that your child is not in school, they **miss important learning**. This means that gaps can appear in their knowledge and understanding, which puts them at a disadvantage in class.

- All term-time holidays will be recorded as 'unauthorised absence' which will result in both parents being **fined**.

- The school curriculum is packed full and is planned across the whole year, including the final week. School holidays are the only time when pupils won't miss any learning (and there are **13 weeks** across the year that are for school holidays).

- If we allowed staff to take holidays during term-time, then there would be no-one to teach your child!

# Summer Fair



Once again, a huge thank you for all your help and support that made our summer fair such a huge success.

The summer fair raised over £4000... this is incredible.

Thank you to all the following businesses for their generous donations:

- Medina Catering Bolton      Go Local
- ADZ Food Distribution      KW Superstore
- Barkat Food Stores          Rocco desserts
- Svara Hair Salon              Manchester Superstore
- Matchmoor Riding School   Mother Hubbard
- Burgers To Love              Pirate Packaging Ltd
- KNS Foods Ltd Foil          24 Karat chippy
- Nasty Juice                      Amazonia
- Trufflez                          Glencoe dry cleaning voucher
- Caterers Choice Cash and Carry   Graze Co
- Fig and Olive restaurant      Hair by Sanah
- The Cheesecake Parlour      Smithills Farm
- The Break Room                Burgers to Love
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So, what's happening over the next four weeks?



### Week beginning 04.07.22

Mon 4<sup>th</sup> - KS2 sports day (1.15pm) KS2 parents welcome  
Mon 4<sup>th</sup> - Our new reception pupils are visiting school; our current reception pupils will visit their new Y1 classroom.

### Week beginning 11.07.22

Mon 11<sup>th</sup> - Rec+KS1 sports day (1.15pm) Rec+KS1 parents welcome  
Fri 15<sup>th</sup> - End of year reports will come home.  
Fri 15<sup>th</sup> - Next year's classes and staff information coming home.  
Fri 15<sup>th</sup> - Y6 leavers' assembly @ 9.15am (All Y6 parents welcome).

### Week beginning 18.07.22

Summer housepoint winner celebration.  
Wed 20<sup>th</sup> - Y6 leavers' party.  
Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> - Trophy/award presentation assembly (including awards for 'swimmer of the year', 'sports personality', 'musician award', 'Child's Child', summer term's 'Sprit of Ladybridge', Talent Show).  
Fri 22<sup>nd</sup> - Y6 children leave Ladybridge - and it's the last day of term!

**EVERY**day counts  
attendance matters

### Attendance Matters

*Be in school all day, every day.*  
**Our attendance target is 96.5%**



<u>This Week's Attendance</u>	<u>Class with the Best Attendance</u>	<u>Most Punctual Class</u>
95.7%	😊 RL and RB 😊	😊 RL and 6B 😊
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