



Linaker Primary School

Linaker's Latest

Friday 28th February 2025

Keeping you up to date with all the latest school news!

Headteacher Message

I have truly enjoyed my first week at Linaker Primary School! It is a privilege to be able to work with such amazing children and staff. Immediately, I could feel how strong the 'team Linaker' bond is between children and staff and fully believe it will become even stronger over the coming weeks and months. I am looking forward to getting to know more children and families and further develop the crucial partnership between home and school. Definitely exciting times ahead!

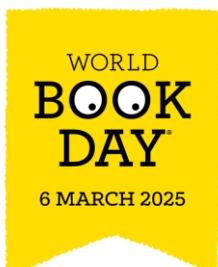


World Book Day

On Thursday 6th March, pupils will be celebrating World Book Day! This year Linaker's theme will be: Books are an adventure!

We are inviting pupils to come into school dressed up for their very own adventure. We encourage you to use things you already have at home – sunglasses for an adventure to the desert, goggles for an adventure snorkelling!

During the day, each class will then take part in a range of activities to celebrate their love of reading!



Attendance

**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

Linaker this
week:

94.62%

Linaker Last
Week (before
half-term):

92.89%

National

Average

23/24:

94.50%

Young Voices 2025



We are so proud of the children and staff who attended Young Voices on Tuesday! They represented the school exceptionally well and had an amazing time, being part of the largest children's choir concert in the world at the fantastic Co-op Arena in Manchester.

Waterstones

Each term we take some aspirational home readers to join us on a trip to Waterstones, to choose their very own book as a reward! It is so important to foster a love of reading as it is fundamental to developing knowledge and understanding right across the curriculum. It was lovely to be able to reward these avid readers - well done team! Next time it could be you!



Attendance

Well done Team Linaker we have improved attendance figures over the last week. Great effort! It is now crucially important we continue this improvement. Please can we ask for your continued support in securing your child's attendance at school. As can be seen from the information below, punctuality and consistent attendance are integral to effective learning.

% Attendance	Days Missed
100%	0
99%	1.9
98%	3.8
97%	5.7
96%	7.6
95%	9.5
94%	11.4
93%	13.3
92%	15.2
91%	17.1
90%	19
85%	28.5
80%	38

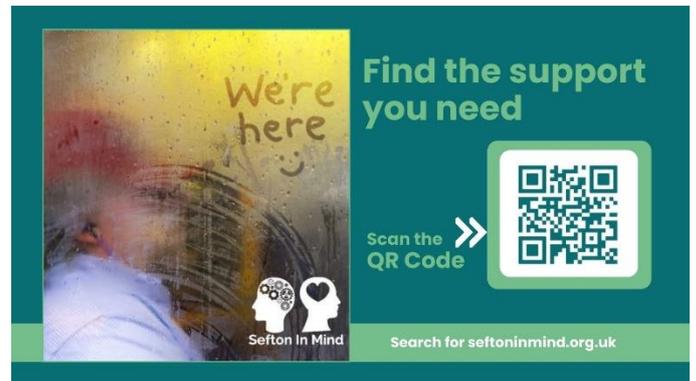
If your child misses....	That Equals...	Which is...	Over 13 years of schooling that is.....
10 minutes a Day	50 minutes a Week	1.5 Weeks per Year	Nearly <u>1/2 Year</u> of lost learning
20 minutes a Day	1 hour 40 minutes a Week	2.5 Weeks per year	Nearly <u>1 Year</u> of lost learning
30 minutes a day	1/2 a Day a Week	4 Weeks per year	Nearly <u>1.5 Years</u> of lost learning
1 hour a Day	1 day a Week	8 Weeks per year	Nearly <u>2.5 Years</u> of lost learning

We're Here: Mental Wellbeing Campaign for people in Sefton

This month you might see 'We're Here' adverts with link to www.seftoninmind.org.uk, a directory of local and national organisations through which they can access wellbeing support services.

Sometimes we all need a little extra help for our mental wellbeing, or just someone to talk to. Sefton Council is reminding people in Sefton who may be looking for support, **We're here** still.

You can access the Sefton in Mind Directory – hosted by Sefton CVS – via a single click, or simply by scanning the QR code.



Food Pantry - new opening times

Our Food Pantry will be open each Thursday morning between 9-9.30am. Anyone is welcome – entry is via the gate on Linaker Street. If you have any questions, or cannot make that day/time, let us know. You can speak to Vanessa in the SNUG or call the office.



Why not check out our new Facebook page and follow and like our page linked [here](#)

Dates for the Diary

Please note that we have made every effort to ensure that these dates are correct. However, some dates may have to be changed at short notice due to availability of visitors or clashes with other events. Please therefore check the dates on a regular basis.

March 2025

Thursday 6th

Wednesday 12th

World Book Day

Parent/carer coffee morning (9-10am)

April 2025

Monday 21st

Wednesday 30th

School Reopens for Summer term

Parent/carer coffee morning (9-10am)



Reward Assembly Award Winners

AWARD WINNERS FRIDAY 14th February



LINAKER LEARNER OF THE WEEK

RF – Paul M
RG – Bertie Mc
1F – Lakshya B
1G – Kai L
2F – Aimee S
2G – Ariana B
3F – Sofia N
3G – Nadal R
4F – Nailah M
4G – Lincoln D
5F – Phoebe M
5G – Lawa S
6F – Whole class
6G – Whole class

LINAKER SUPER PUPIL OF THE WEEK

RF – Georgina L
RG – Lena W
1F – Ryan K
1G – Olivia M
2F – Rayan M
2G – Jennifer H
3F – Jaymee S-H
3G – Dottie O
4F – Wads E
4G – Riyadh H
5F – Victoria D
5G – Ivan P
6F – Leo M
6G – Leo H

AWARD WINNERS FRIDAY 28th February



LINAKER LEARNER OF THE WEEK

RF –
RG – Zohan B
1F – Sophia P-B
1G – Gustaw B
2F – Cohen R
2G – Jamie E
3F – George AJ
3G – Seren T
4F – Alan P
4G – Isaac G
5F – Zayan H
5G – Max R
6F – Bradley A
6G – Ruby G

LINAKER SUPER PUPIL OF THE WEEK

RF –
RG – Kane H
1F – Skyla O
1G – Kaya W
2F – Aria B
2G – Abeecha F
3F – Ciara C
3G – Mia P
4F – Dominic P
4G – Wali C
5F – Henry O
5G – Espen T
6F – Daniel G
6G – Cam Cam M

Have a great weekend and we shall see you on Monday!