## Lancasterian Primary School

A safe and welcoming learning community where:

- we all aim high;
- everyone is included;
- creativity is valued.

### WEEKLY NEWSLETTER













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**Top Attendance for the week: Early Years: Williams 97.2%** 

KS2: Earhart 98.6%

**KS1**: Sterling 98.0%

**Keep working towards 100%** 

**November School Value of the Month: Respect** 







Due to UK parliament agreeing to hold a December general election the school Dining hall will therefore be used as a polling station on

### 12<sup>th</sup> of December 2019

The school will be open for half a day.



This means we will be <u>unable</u> to provide lunch at school for the children on this day.

Please can all parent/carers ensure you are here to pick your child at <u>12:30pm</u>

Armistice Day also known as Remembrance Day will take place on 11 November 2019

It marks the day World War one ended, at 11am on the 11th day of the 11th month, in 1918.

A two-minute silence is held at 11am to remember the people who have died in wars.



















### Parent Class Representative needed

The Parent Representative will have a role in maintaining good communication between parents, while also being a valuable resource to the teacher and the class. The class reps can also facilitate the social interaction among families in the school community.

### What is a parent representative?

The parent representative liaises with other parents of the class by keeping them informed of activities, events and key information.

The parent representative is a "support resource" for times when the teacher may request additional support.

### What specifically does a parent representative do for the parents?

The parent representative supports the PSA to encourage other parents to volunteer when needed – either for activities and events when needed by the class teacher.

The parent representative acts as the communication mediator between parents and the class teacher.

### What specifically does a parent representative do for the teachers?

The parent representative, at the request of the teacher arranges parent assistance from other parents for a specific class activity or event.

### What specifically does a parent representative not do?

Class representatives are not to be used to help other parents express concerns about their own children.

This should be done directly between the parents themselves and the teacher.

### What forms of communication may be required from the Parent representative?

The parent representative will encourage other parents to support with school and class events.

This includes helping with organising class parties and events, helping with practical class activities or helping with class assemblies

If this is something you would like to do please register your interest with the main school office by **Friday 15th November.** 

If there is more than one parent registers their interests per class a class vote will take place.



### Tuesday 13th November will be our 3rd annual ODD SOCKS DAY.

Odd Socks Day is designed to be fun and is part of Anti-Bullying week which will take place from 11th—15th November 2019

It's an opportunity for children and adults to express themselves and celebrate what makes us unique. Children, staff and parents can wear odd socks on this day and make a voluntary contribution of £1.

All money raised will go towards the work that the Anti Bullying Alliance do to put an end to bullying. Let's all get involved for a great cause.

















### Starting Primary School in 2020 - Reception Admissions

If your child was born between **01/09/2015 and 31/08/2016** you will need to apply for a reception school place for September 2020

### You must submit your application by 15 January 2020

Any applications received after 15/01/2020 will be processed after those who applied on-time, causing families to potentially miss out on a place for their preferred school.

If you are not able to apply online, please contact <u>school admissions</u> to request a paper form however there must be a legitimate reason for you not applying online. This form must reach school admission team by **15/01/2020**.

#### **USEFUL INFORMATION:**

www.haringey.gov.uk/schooladmissions - Booklet and open events information.

www.eadmissions.org.uk - E-admission site/online application.

www.haringey.gov.uk/schooladmissions - Distance Calculator – This will only work for Haringey residents requiring their home to school distance measurements to Haringey Schools.

schooladmissionscs@haringey.gov.uk - This is the email address parents can use if they are out of borough residents requesting their home to school distance measurements for Haringey schools.

schooladmissions@haringey.gov.uk - school admission team.



### Don't Forget.... International Festival Friday 15th November 3.30pm

Come and join us for food, dancing, music, stories and fireworks.

We would love to see families dressed in their national costume.

International Festival tickets will be available via scopay

(http://www.scopay.com/)

Tickets are £1 per person capped at £5 per family and the cost of food will be on a donation basis.



#### **Food in School Reminder**

As you know, the safety of your children is our number one priority and, as such, we have strict rules in place in relation to external food sources coming into the school. This is to ensure the safety of the increasing number of children at the school who have severe allergies. We have consulted with our school health worker, other local heads and a parent of children with severe allergies in order to devise the following measures:

- Children are only allowed to bring in <u>non-edible</u> party gifts/bags on their birthdays (e.g. Poundshop gifts, stationery, pens, pencils, etc.). All food gifts/cakes will be turned away/returned to the parent.
- The school will provide a list of specific items which can be brought in for end of term parties/celebrations. This will be shared with parents and will be used by staff to check items brought it; any items not on the list will be rejected.

Healthy lunch box requirements continue, but no nuts are allowed. Please speak to your children about not swapping food with friends at school.

### We will also:

- Ensure staff don't use food as treats in class at any time.
- Ensure that staff who lead cookery lessons take specific care to ensure that they are free of possible allergens.
- Schedule a monthly mention in assemblies re. no swapping of food in the dining hall.

Raise awareness of allergy management in classes with children and teachers, including the need for staff to speak to our Welfare Officer (Veronica) immediately if a child is exposed to an allergen.

Thank you in advance for your support with this; I am sure that you will agree that children's safety is paramount.



















## Keeping Healthy at Lancasterian

Come along and get involved with:



Free 30 minute workshop for parents

Listen to excellent advice on how to make healthy choices!



- Tuesday 29th October
- Tuesday 5th November
- Tuesday 12th November

Time: 9:10am - 9:45am

Location: KS2 Hall



This workshop will also be supported by the Felix project



Providing FREE healthy surplus food that is available to children and their families to take home and enjoy.



Remember we have a weekly stall available every:

Tuesday 3pm—4pm, in the KS1 Playground

Parents are encouraged to bring reusable carrier bags when attending the stall, as these will not be supplied.



















# This ANTI-BULLYING WEEK

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# CHANGE STARTS WITH



#ANTIBULLYINGWEEK

FROM MONDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> - FRIDAY 15<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2019

If you're worried about bullying and/or would like to be involved in Anti-Bullying Week this year, please contact

Mrs Johnson or Gemma



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### **Ofsted Parent View**

Parent View has been updated by Ofsted, meaning that we need new feedback from our parents/carers in order for our results to be viewable. Please could you spare 5 minutes to complete the short online survey and share your thoughts; simply Google 'Ofsted Parent View' and follow the instructions online.

Even if you have completed it before, please could you complete this again for the new academic year.

Parent View gives you the chance to tell Ofsted and us what you think about Lancasterian Primary across a range of areas, including teaching and learning, behaviour and safety. The survey can be completed at any time; you don't have to wait until the school is being inspected. All submissions are anonymous and the school can see summary data to help us know what we are doing well and what we should work on.

It also helps us to share the good news about Lancasterian Primary School with other interested parents!



We provide an excellent provision before school between 8:00am – 9:00am and after school between 3:30pm – 6:00pm.

The children are provided with a tasty snack and refreshments. After refreshments the children are given the opportunity to do a variety of fun and entertaining activities.

Please contact the office at admin@lancs-pri.haringey.sch.uk for further information.

# Help paying for your childcare

Parent /Cares who are currently receiving 30 hours free childcare are encouraged to renew their codes by 15 December

To find out more information on help paying for your childcare visit:

https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/

















# In Memory of a Little Princess named Izzy Izzy's Christmas Toy Drive for GOSH



As a family affected by childhood cancer, we know how hard it is spending Christmas in a hospital. Our last Christmas with our daughter Izzy was spent in isolation and separated as a family. Christmas is supposed to be magical and fun. For so many children that wont be the case this Christmas. They will be sadly stuck in a room or ward at Great Ormond Street Hospital (GOSH).

Since our daughter's passing in 2015, we have raised over £30,000 for charities and hospitals. Last year we donated thousands of toys and put smiles on lots of children's faces.

We are asking everyone to send in a toy for a child spending Christmas at GOSH this year.

Please buy what you can afford for children between 0 - 18.

Please see the list below for things that cannot be used

NO - USED TOYS, KNITTED CLOTHES, OVER-SIZED SOFT TOYS,

LARGE MECHANICAL OR MOTORISED TOYS, USED CLOTHING OR

SHOES, SECOND-HAND BOOKS, USED MAGAZINES

Copy this link for ideas or to buy toys that will go directly to us. https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/3B4695KJ1VWIW? ref\_=wl\_share

Please do not wrap the gifts. This will enable the staff to match your gift to an appropriate patient.

Please send your gifts to the below address
by 1st December 2019
217-223 Plumstead High Street, London, SE18 1HE.
Thank you.



For more info, please visit www.facebook.com/izzyswish



















### Lancasterian Primary School

### 15 or 30 Hours Free Childcare Here!

We currently have spaces in our Nursery.

We offer an excellent provision where children make better than expected progress.

Here at Lancs children make a fantastic start to their education in a happy, exciting and safe learning environment.

For more information come to the office or visit <a href="https://www.lancasterianprimary.co.uk/Nursery">www.lancasterianprimary.co.uk/Nursery</a> or call 020 8808 8088















# Lancasterian Primary School Community Facilities Available for Hire at Use Our Facilities for Any Event:

- **Birthday Parties**
- \* Sports Clubs
- \* ICT/Cooking/Language/Music Classes
- \* Meetings
- Multi Use Games Area with Floodlighting
- Hydrotherapy Swimming Pool

Competitive Prices available; For more Information Visit:

www.lancasterianprimary.co.uk/Lettings or call 020 8808 8088



















### **STARS OF THE WEEK**

The children below have demonstrated exemplary attitudes and behaviours in school for the following reasons:

Fawcett	Marko	For being like Ronnie everyday and being a fantastic role model for the class.
Fawcett	Kenya-Rose	For being like Gerty this week and always trying her best with her learning and never
		giving up.
Sterling	Renas	For being like Gerty and Hetty in her phonics learning this week and writing
		sentences independently.
Sterling	Ellis	For being just like Hetty during his learning. Completeing extended challenges and helping to
		explain to other children.
Attenborough	Ricardo	For learning confidently and working independently in maths like Leila
Attenborough	Megan	For staying on task and concentrating in order to finish her work just like Leila.
Gandhi	Arlo	For being like Gerty growth mindset in maths and learning from his mistakes.
Gandhi	Melina	For being like Leila in maths this week, and becoming a pro at multiplication and division.
Obama	Raymond	For showing a good attitude to learning when working on maths problems, and enjoying
		challenges like Hetty.
Obama	Berzan	For excellent maths work when solving addition and subtraction problems.
Nightingale	Aziz	For being like Leila lifelong learning and always asking questions and wanting to improve is
		writing.
Nightingale	lanthe	For being like Gerty growth mindset and not giving up when faced with a challenge.
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Coleman	Ozan	For having such a wonderful positive attitude in rehearsals, being ready to step-in and
Coleman		learning lines so enthusiastically
Coleman	Lunas	For continuing to keep trying with column methods in maths and for showing a
		Gerty growth set attitude.
Wiltshire	Jair	For making progress in handwriting and not being afraid to make mistakes just like Gerty.
Wiltshire	Riley	For working really hard in maths this week and not giving up just like Gerty
	Cirayah	For her beautiful writing in all subjects areas, and being just like Hetty with reading which is
Yousafzai	•	reflected in her ambitious work.
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Yousafzai	William	For always being a ready and enthusiastic learner just like Leila.
Earhart	Alicja	For being so focused this week in all lessons and using her Gerty growth mindset.
Earhart	Christian	For working so hard to improve hi shandwriting just like Leila and Hetty.
Akala	Sunar	For being just like Hetty and Ignacio, always aiming high in his handwriting and wonderful work produced.
		work produced.
Akala	Rumen	For being like Hetty and Gerty and improving his focus and contribution in class to help with his learning
Thunberg	Waleya	For always putting in amazing effort in her English work and being just like Hetty.
Thunberg	Vlad	For consistent focus in lessons and great effort to improve his reading and writing just like  Gerty.

We encourage our pupils to use a variety of resources to support them with learning.

Please clink on the link below and have your child log-in to access the learning links.

(Please note that some learning link may require the use of adobe flash-player)

https://www.lgfl.net/learning-resources/grid

### EYFS and KS1 (Nursery to Year 2)

These websites allow children to practice counting, number facts to and within 20 also addition and subtraction with smaller number. Some children in Years 3 to 6 will benefit from revising these skills before moving onto the websites listed for Years 3 to 6.

### **Numbers and Counting**

Underwater Counting: <a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/underwater-counting">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/underwater-counting</a>

Teddy Numbers: https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/teddy-numbers

Gingerbread Man: <a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/gingerbread-man-game">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/gingerbread-man-game</a>

Camel Times Tables: <a href="https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/topics/z36tyrd">https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/topics/z36tyrd</a>

### Addition and Subtraction

Cross the Swamp: <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/starship/maths/games/cross\_the\_swamp/">http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/starship/maths/games/cross\_the\_swamp/</a>

big sound/full.shtml

Fruit Splat Addition: <a href="http://www.sheppardsoftware.com/mathgames/fruitshoot/">http://www.sheppardsoftware.com/mathgames/fruitshoot/</a>

fruitshoot addition.htm

Hit the Button: https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button

Number Fact Families: <a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/number-facts/number-fact-families">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/number-facts/number-fact-families</a>

### **KS2 (Year 3 to 6)**

These websites allow children to deepen their understanding of numbers, calculations and practice their times tables.

### All the websites are free to use.





### Place Value, Addition and Subtraction

 $Higher\ and\ lower:\ \underline{https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Flash.aspx?f=HigherAndLower}$ 

Under the sea: <a href="http://www.learnalberta.ca/content/me3usa/flash/index.html?">http://www.learnalberta.ca/content/me3usa/flash/index.html?</a>

goLesson=5

Guess my number: <a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Flash.aspx?f=GuessMyNumber">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Flash.aspx?f=GuessMyNumber</a>

Subtraction grids: <a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/subtraction-grids">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/subtraction-grids</a>

Broken Calculator: <a href="http://www.statisticsonline.org/subtangent/broken-calculator.swf">http://www.statisticsonline.org/subtangent/broken-calculator.swf</a>

Magic squares: <a href="http://www.ictgames.com/magicSquare/index.html">http://www.ictgames.com/magicSquare/index.html</a>

Multiplication and Division

Times table Rockstars: https://ttrockstars.com/login

Multiple frenzy: http://www.sheppardsoftware.com/mathgames/multiple/multiple frenzy.swf

Monty's maths wall: <a href="https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/292/Montys Maths Wall">https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/292/Montys Maths Wall</a>

Snake: <a href="https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/290/Snake">https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/290/Snake</a> KS2 Maths Game

Division: <a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Flash.aspx?b=maths/division">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Flash.aspx?b=maths/division</a>

**Literacy Links** 

Various Games: <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks1/literacy/-">http://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/ks1/literacy/-</a>

Spelling games: <a href="http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/spellits/index.shtml">http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/spellits/index.shtml</a>

Spelling games and phonics: <a href="http://www.primarygames.com/see-n-spell/see-n-spell.htm">http://www.primarygames.com/see-n-spell/see-n-spell.htm</a>

Vocabulary games: <a href="http://www.eduplace.com/kids/hmsv/smg/">http://www.eduplace.com/kids/hmsv/smg/</a>

Games including help with spelling: http://www.ictgames.com/literacy.html

Punctuation games: <a href="https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/topics/zvwwxnb">https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/topics/zvwwxnb</a>

Phonics & Reading: (Select Free Phonics Play) http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/

Phonics: http://www.letters-and-sounds.com/

Free eBook Library: https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/reading-owl/find-a book/library-page

Reading books online

Reading books and resources by age group: <a href="https://www.lovereading4kids.co.uk/">https://www.lovereading4kids.co.uk/</a>

Reading books KS1: https://clubs-kids.scholastic.co.uk/ -

More reading books and resources: <a href="https://www.booktrust.org.uk/404">https://www.booktrust.org.uk/404</a>

Learn English - Story maker: <a href="http://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/en/games/story-maker">http://learnenglishkids.britishcouncil.org/en/games/story-maker</a>

Creating an interactive story, very good for EAL pupils: <a href="https://www.topmarks.co.uk/interactive.aspx?">https://www.topmarks.co.uk/interactive.aspx?</a>

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