

LANGFORD VILLAGE ACADEMY

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Summer Term 28th April 2023 Our Value of the month is Happiness

Please can we remind you to be mindful and respectful of our neighbours when parking during school drop off and collection.

Diary Dates	
01-05-23	Bank Holiday
05-05-23	Coronation day - non uniform red/white and blue
08-05-23	Bank Holiday
20-05-23	LVA Fayre
24-05-23	Making Me Workshops Non - uniform £1 donation
29-05-23	Half tem
05-06-23	Return to school
08-06-23	Class Photos
14-06-23	Open Morning for Reception places
29-06-23	Sports Day
30-06-23	LVA Step Up Day
05-07-23	Year 4 leave for Grafham
07-07-23	Return from Grafham



The children have enjoyed finding out what beans and sunflowers need to grow. We have planted both types of seeds and look forward to measuring our sunflowers. In P.E we have started to use our balance bikes and learning new ball skills.





KS1 had lots of fun bringing their toys into school for our WOW day last week. They sketched and painted their toys, played board games to generate homework ideas, and shared their toy with the rest of the class. This week, as part of our D&T learning, we have linked the learning to our topic of Toys, and the children have made some paper toys.

With the upcoming phonics screening check for year 1s, here is a link to some useful videos to support your children at home. <u>https://</u> <u>www.youtube.com/@TwinklPhonics/videos</u>



In LKS2 we are currently studying money in our maths lessons, revising our addition and subtraction skills from earlier this year to calculate amounts and to find the difference between amounts, following this we will begin to look at the subject of time.

In our English lessons, we are looking at non-fiction explanation texts, learning all about earth shattering geological and meteorological events such as earthquakes, volcanoes and tsunamis.

In science, the children are looking at states of matter and learning how to describe the properties of solids, liquids and gases, and using this knowledge to help them classify everyday objects into their correct states of matter.

Finally, we have moved onto our new Topic unit which is all about the Tudors. The children and staff had a fantastic WOW Day on Wednesday. We discovered what type of foods Henry VIII would have eaten, as well as making our own ship biscuits which would have been a staple for the sailors of the age. We also found out how to draw our very own Tudor Roses, and learnt why the emblem came to be.



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Please can we remind parents that the school car park is for staff only. Thank you.

After school clubs and times:

Football - Tuesdays 3.30-4.30

Dance - Tuesdays 3.20-4.20pm

Drama - Wednesday 3.20-4.15pm

If your child does not have PE on their club day please send them in in their school uniform with suitable clothing for their activity in a bag.

French Club is on Tuesday lunch times

Tuck shop, 20p per item - Tuesdays Reception & KS1, Thursday KS2.

PE days:

Foundation Stage: ThursdaySealion: Tuesday and WednesdayDolphin: Tuesday and ThursdaySeahorse: Wednesday and Friday

Orca: Tuesday and Friday Penguin: Wednesday and Friday

Otter: Monday and Tuesday

Turtle: Wednesday and Thursday

Manta Ray: Monday and Friday

Please make sure the children wear their PE Kit to school and bring in spare footwear (these do not have to be trainers) in case the field is muddy.

Special Award for the Week Archie J, Ottilie B, Ivy H, Noah H, Layton M, Naomi E, Sienna E, Elizabeth P, Hollie W, Alara Y, Class Attendance for the Week Jellyfish 99% Dinner Menu week 2 W/C 1-05-23 https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/langfordvillageacademy/?invite=0J55RQ% 26referral-campaign=c2s%26utm_campaign=admin-trigger%26utm_content=srt