



# LANGFORD VILLAGE ACADEMY

Learning • Values • Achievement



Friday 29th September 2023

At Langford Village Academy, we are GREAT because we focus on these values:

**Great, Respect, Empathy, Acceptance, Teamwork**

**Please can we remind you that the school car park is for staff only and should not be used for pickup from clubs. Thank you.**

## Diary Dates

03-10-23	KS2 opening evening 5.30-6.30
04-10-23	Harvest Festival
05-10-23	Individual photos
13-10-23	PTA Spooky Disco
16-10-23	Parents Evening 3.30-6pm
18-10-23	Reception open morning Sep 2024 starters
19-10-23	Parents Evening 4-7pm
20-10-23	Half term
30-10-23	Return to school

Jellyfish and Starfish Classes have both enjoyed their first P.E sessions outside. We were learning about finding and moving in a space. We had sticky space bubbles to try and stay in. The children will be bringing home our Harvest poem, that we will

be saying at the Harvest Festival next week. Please could you practise it at home with your child. Here is a photo of one of our maths games this week: we have been learning about sets of objects. We have learnt the mathematical

language: set, same, different and match when describing our sets of objects.



KS1—The children are all settled into the Autumn Term and are working hard in their new classes. This week in Key Stage 1 we have started reading the Traditional Tale 'The Three Little Pigs'. The children have been learning to tell the story off by heart and using actions as well to help them. They might even give you a performance at home if you ask!

During our Art lessons, we are busy with our felt making project. It is something very new for us and the children are really enjoying learning a new technique.

In RE this week, we are learning about the story of the Prodigal Son. We acted out the story in groups outside and all got involved. Well done KS1!



In LKS2 the children have been building on their knowledge looking at Number and Place Value in Maths and will soon be moving on to their Addition and Subtraction unit.

In English the children have enjoyed exploring fairy stories and traditional tales by reading The Lost Happy Endings by Carol-Ann Duffy, and then brainstorming and writing their own alternative endings for a traditional tale of their choice.

In Science the children have been investigating Electricity, deciding which household objects can be powered by electricity, and whether they run off mains or battery

power. The children have also been learning about how to use electricity safely, and have produced some fantastic safety posters to remind children how to use electricity responsibly and safely.

In History, LKS2 are busy exploring the Stone, Bronze and Iron Age eras, and this week have been using their detective skills to try to understand the significance and possible uses for some of the different artefacts that were found buried with a skeleton dubbed 'The Amesbury Archer' over 4,000 years ago just a mile from Stonehenge.

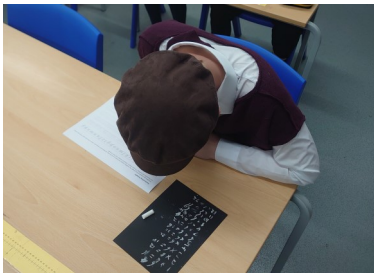


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In Y6 we have had a fantastic journey through time, exploring what it would be like to be a Victorian child. We have used chalk and black paper to record our time tables, make some Victorian ice cream, designed and made our own Victorian games and took part in sewing!



We had a visit from MP Richard Fuller last Friday. He had a look around our school and spoke to the children and staff.





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

## 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 KS1, Thursday KS2.

### PE days:

Starfish—Wednesday

Jellyfish—Thursday

Seahorse—Monday & Wednesday

Turtle—Monday & Friday

Penguin—Thursday & Friday

Sealion—Thursday & Friday

Dolphin - Tuesday & Thursday

Orca—Tuesday & Wednesday

Manta Ray—Tuesday & Friday

Otter—Monday & Wednesday

**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

Iris B, Ted H, Alex P, Cerys D, Layla P,

Evelynn M, Honour G, David H, R iley H

### Class Attendance for the Week

Turtle 100%



Dinner Menu week 2

W/C 02-10-23

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