



# LANGFORD VILLAGE ACADEMY

Learning • Values • Achievement



Friday 13th October 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

13-10-23	PTA Spooky Disco
16-10-23	Parents Evening Years R—6 3.30-6pm
18-10-23	Reception open morning Sep 2024 starters
18-10-23	Parents evening Reception 3.40-6
19-10-23	Parents Evening 4-7pm
19-10-23	Happy bag collection
20-10-23	Half term
30-10-23	Return to school
04-11-23	LVA Fireworks
15-11-23	Flu immunisations

This week in Starfish Class and Jellyfish Class we have been learning about Feelings as part of our topic 'Ourselves'. Each day we have looked at a different feeling such as 'happy', 'sad', 'worried' and 'excited'. We have enjoyed sharing stories such as How Are You Feeling Today?, Find Your Happy and The Colour Monster.

In Maths we have been exploring mass, capacity and patterns. We have really enjoyed filling containers with rice and pasta as well as creating our own coloured patterns. In phonics we have

been learning more sounds, this week focusing on m, d and g. We can now make words such as mat, pat, dig and din!



Seahorse class have enjoyed being in the autumn sunshine during Forest School. This week, they have been practising their den-building skills. Children counted the sticks carefully, ensured they were the right length and demonstrated great teamwork. Some children then chose to create a larger structure by the activity tree.

In Y6 our English novel is the thrilling Stormbreaker from the Alex Rider series. This week, we have begun creating our own spy stories, remembering to include all the language features, such as similes and metaphors to really engage the reader.

Just a gentle reminder, please bring in your equipment every day. For Years 5 & 6, a list of stationery needed can be found on Google Classroom. In addition, please bring in reading books, reading records and any PE/swimming wear needed.

House points are awarded for correct equipment each week!

\*Each Y5 & 6 child has been given a BEST email address, which they can use to login Google Classroom. This is where they can continue their educational journey throughout the year. All the week's work, along with the spellings and homework will be posted on Google Classroom at the end of every week. \*





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**

Romeo MK, Serayah D, Arthur L, Noah H, Joshua L,  
Theo C, Ethan W, Isla A

**Class Attendance for the Week**

Orca

Dinner Menu week 1

W/C 16-10-23