



LANGTOFT PRIMARY SCHOOL

FRIDAY BULLETIN

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Children's Rights- Article 12
Every child has the right to say what they think in all matters affecting them, and to have their views taken seriously.

ARTICLE OF THE MOMENT

The purpose of Article 12 is to allow all children to have their views heard and ensure that they are not afraid to express them. In our school, we have many ways to promote this article and we are passionate about it. An example of this is 'Friday Freespeech'. This offers us a chance to talk about our opinions. School Council lead us in this session. Teachers in this school also ensure every voice is heard, whichever way they want it to be heard. RRS Committee

MUSIC CONCERT

Children who have been taking part in additional music lessons (guitar, piano, choir etc) are putting on their first concert on Tuesday 5 July at 9:15am for the school. Parents of these children are also invited to attend. We're looking forward to their performance.

SPORTS WEEK

The weather is currently looking dry for our sports day on Monday. We will open the main school gates at about 9:20am to allow parents to come around to the field where FS/KS1 will be holding their races.

Key Stage 2 will be holding their sports day on the Pavilion at 1pm. All children can come to school in their PE kits on Monday, wearing a red, blue, yellow or green T-shirt to match their house team colour. Please do not purchase a special T-shirt for this; the normal PE T-shirt can be worn if needed and we can use a coloured sticker.

In the event it does rain and become unsafe for the children to race, a notification will be sent via ParentMail before 9am on Monday.

As part of Sport Week, the Deepings Sports Track event for KS2 is being held on Wednesday afternoon. If your child has been selected to represent the school on Wednesday, please can they can to school in the correct PE uniform that day (all of Year 6 will be also required to wear PE uniform this day). We welcome spectators at the track event, taking place on the Pavilion at 1pm, however, please bear in mind that coaches and parents of pupils from other participating schools will be arriving so the car park and surrounding area may be rather busy at the beginning and end of the afternoon.

A separate ParentMail detailing further information will be sent to parents of the children taking part in the Deepings Sports Track event.

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CITIZENSHIP



After growing her hair for the past year, Pippa, in Year 2, recently had 12 inches cut off to donate to the Little Princess Trust to make a wig.

Annabelle in Year 2 recently did a cake sweepstake around the village for Comic Relief and raised a whopping £70.



Please do share with us your child's achievements so we can celebrate them too.

CRICKET SUCCESS

Our children from Years 5 and 6, who competed in the School Games cricket competition at Market Deeping cricket club, had an amazing (and very hot!) day on Wednesday. The two boys teams from Year 6 and Year 5 had a highly successful day, achieving success in all of their league games, resulting in overall wins for both teams. It was wonderful to see the children displaying the School Games Values – particularly 'teamwork' and 'determination'. Our girls joined with other girls from William Hildyard to form 'The Barbarians'! They made us very proud; played incredibly well together; and were awarded numerous School Games Values stickers, which enabled their team to win the Values trophy for their league.



Thank you to Mrs Nickson, Miss Moohan and Mrs Barton for accompanying on the day.

If you would like to take part in cricket training outside of school, you can sign up to take part in Dynamo's on a Friday evening from 6:45 – 8pm at Market Deeping Cricket Club, for children aged 8-11. Or, you can take part in All Stars from 5:30 – 6:30pm, which is for children aged 5-8. Read more at <https://www.ecb.co.uk/play/all-stars>

WRITERS OF THE WEEK

This week's Writers of the Week are **Ellis B** in Foundation, **Freddie F** in Year 1, **Agnes T** in Year 2, **Jack C** in Year 3, **Ethan B** in Year 4, **Levi S** in Year 5 and **Robert T** in Year 6.

CLASS UPDATES

For week commencing 20th June 2022

Please find information about what each class are learning next week.

FOUNDATION STAGE

The children are looking forward to their first Sports Day Monday morning! The learning next week is focused around ladybirds. The children will learn about the life-cycle of a ladybird, listen to 'What the Ladybird Heard' and 'What the Ladybird Heard Next', create their own maps and carry on with our paintings

in art. In maths, the children will be learning about odd and even numbers. They will begin to understand that some quantities will share equally into 2 groups and some won't. In phonics, you will have noticed that the children are bringing home more challenging books. Keep encouraging your child to reread their book to increase fluency and remember to practise the red words and speedy words with them. The children will also be writing their own minibeast riddles where they give three clues to help us guess which minibeast they have chosen.

YEAR 1

This week our curriculum focus will be Art. We are going to be investigating artists who have produced artwork around animals, and we will be having ago at drawing our own animal pictures. In maths we will continue to learn to tell the time and look at comparing time. In English we will be writing our own stories based on the story 'The Tiger Who Came To tea by Judith Kerr' and we will continue to learn new skills to help with word processing in computing.

YEAR 2

We have got a very busy week ahead in Year 2! The week starts with Sports Day and we look forward to cheering everyone on. On Tuesday, we have our exciting trip to the seaside to meet the creatures at the Sealife Centre and learn more about the features of the coast. Fingers crossed for some sunny weather! In English we will be learning how to write riddles linked to our work on animals. In maths we will be recapping on our previous learnt number work, focusing on addition and subtraction. In geography, we will be designing our own maps for a new seaside. Our art work will focus on using paints to create seaside landscapes. In computing, we will continue to learn how to use computers to create music.

YEAR 3

We shall be exploring light and shadows in science this week. With our Ancient Egypt topic we are going to investigate the pyramids and temples and how shadows are formed. In English, we continue to explore narrative adventure writing – can we escape from the pyramid in time? We continue with our class text 'Varjak Paw', our exciting adventure of a Mesopotamian cat learning special skills to stay alive on the unfamiliar streets. In maths, we continue with fractions. A great topic to explore at home practically. Why not use some counters, sweets and marbles to find a half, quarter, third and fifth of a number? We continue to explore what a baby needs to grow and be happy whilst discussing what it is like having a new baby in the family.

YEAR 4

This week in year 4, we will be converting analogue to digital times using both 12 and 24 hour clocks in mathematics. In English, we shall be finding out about the stories told by the Anglo Saxons and later using these to gather ideas for our own writing based on stories with historical settings. For the next two weeks, we will be studying the Anglo Saxons in great detail to find out the answer to our enquiry 'was life better in Anglo Saxon Britain or Roman Britain?' We will start by investigating who the Anglo Saxons were and where they came from. In music, we will continue to reflect and rewind on the pieces we have covered this year. We will get to apply our skills from the year and put these into our own compositions. In PSHE, we will be talking about the changes that happen to our bodies as we grow up.

YEAR 5

In maths, we are introduced to 'per cent' for the first time and will understand that 'per cent' relates to 'number of parts per hundred'. We shall represent percentages as fractions using the denominator 100, making the connection to decimals and hundredths.

In English, we shall consider which time adverbials are appropriate for a newspaper report before planning the recount of events needed to write our final report.

In DT, we shall be building a wooden truss bridge, selecting appropriate tools and equipment for particular tasks using skills in measuring and marking out accurately on wood, while following health and safety rules. In art, we continue to research Maya masks, using our sketchbooks to draw and annotate some of our favourites.

In RE, we evaluate the ways we have learnt that a Christian shows their commitment to God. What is the best way for a Christian to show commitment to God?

Finally, PE is on Monday (Sports Day) and Thursday (golf).

YEAR 6

This week in Year 6, we will continue to read and write biographies. We will carry on planning 'White Rose Tours' where we will draw on the following skills: statistics; bar and line graphs; interpreting tables; measures; written methods for the four operations and calculating the mean. In science we explore evidence for human evolution. There is sport going on this week in many forms: Sports Day, Deeping Sports and orienteering, so remember to wear your P.E. kit on those days (Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday). We will be spending a lot of time rehearsing, so keep learning those lines and remember to work on your expression when saying them out loud. 😊