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School Times:

8.55am—3.15pm

Nursery:

Morning: 8.45-
11.45am

Afternoon: 12.15—
3.15pm

Term Dates:

Wednesday 3rd
January—Thursday
28th March

Half Term:

Mon 19th—Fri 23rd
February

Remaining PD Days:

Fri 16th Feb

Mon 22nd July

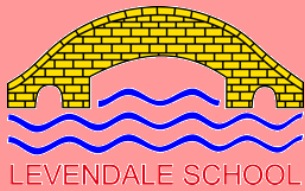
Tues 23rd July

Dear parents and carers,

Children have enjoyed a full week back in school!

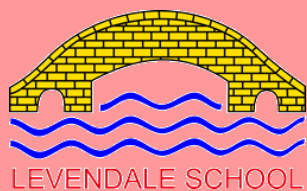
Some of our year 5 and 6's were lucky enough to go and watch Middlesbrough beat Chelsea 1-0 on Tuesday evening—what a game!





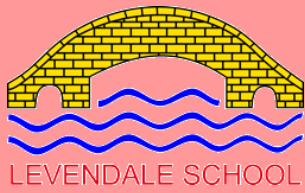
Thank you so much to Sam and Jan from James Cook University Hospital for visiting Year 6. They had a wonderful time learning about all the different roles within the NHS and looking at some of the equipment used by doctors and nurses.





Year 5 have been working hard using sketchbooks to make visual notes experimenting with mixed media for a landscape!





Year 3 enjoyed their Forest School session this week!





Nursery have been learning about light and dark and using their senses.





Achievements

We love to celebrate children's achievements, including those outside of school. Please let us know if your child does something that makes you proud!

Ava N in Y5

Achieved her grade 3 piano and level 7 swimming—fabulous!

Nancy B in Y1

Completed Stage one Swimming—Super!

Year one have been working very hard in Maths!



January Birthdays

Happy Birthday month to: Sarah A, Pippa C, Thomas C, Christie D, Luca D, Snow F, Bonnie G, Ryan H, Matty H-R, Theo J, Reece M, Amara M, Max R, Evie S and Florence W.

Awards given in Celebration Assembly this week....



Levendale Goals—Positive Mind-Set

Y1	Nancy B
Y2	Gabrielle B-L
Y3	Ella F
Y4	Lucas G-M
Y5	Ella K
Y6	Matty H-R



Maths Stars

Y1	Rory J
Y2	Olivia B
Y3	Ali C
Y4	Eva D
Y5	Emme B
Y6	Ellis L



English Award

Y1	Giana C
Y2	Arlo P
Y3	Max R
Y4	Esme B
Y5	Evie S
Y6	Jacob S



Attendance

'Class of the week' celebrates the class with the best attendance each week. The winning class, across the term, will get a treat they can negotiate with their teacher! **Well done to Year 3 this week!**



Attendance	Winners
Reception	1
Year 1	1
Year 2	0
Year 3	2
Year 4	0
Year 5	0
Year 6	0

Times Table Rockstars

A huge well done to our winners this week...



Most improved	Hannah S in Y4
Highest Earner	Ava N in Y5
Star of the Week	Benjamin H in Y6

Team Captains

Our team captains counted our team points this week, well done to Emerald who won this week!

We will keep a score and the winning team each term will get a reward!

Teams	Captains	Winners
Emerald	Aanya S	1
Topaz	Joshua H	1
Sapphire	Elsa H	0
Ruby	Oliver H	0



Diary of Events

We are busy planning events for the children, our families and the local community. We will continue to update this list as the term progresses.

More information will be provided, closer to the time of events.

Date	Event
15/01/24	Y3 Forest Schools: Monday afternoons until half term
16/01/24	Reception multi-skills festival
16/01/24	Pupil Ambassador visit to Bewley Primary
17/01/24	Y5/6 boys' team Football Cup and Plate at Conyers
18/01/24	PTA meeting 5.45-6.45pm
19/01/24	PTA—Bags to school fundraiser (clothing, paired shoes, linen, towels, bags)
24/01/24	Y5/6 girls' team Football Cup and Plate at Conyers
w/b 12/02/24	Parents Evenings
16/02/24	PD Day—closed to children
w/b 19/02/24	Half Term

Key Events

We are trying to give parents plenty of notice about important events and have provisionally booked in our calendar the following dates.

Please be aware that whilst we will do everything we can to keep to these dates, they are subject to change, e.g. due to unknown circumstances.

Y6 Leavers' performance: to their parents: Thursday 18th July, 2pm

Y1 to Y6 Sports Day: The afternoon of Monday 8th July

Nursery and Reception Sports day: The afternoon of Monday 1st July

Y6 SATS week

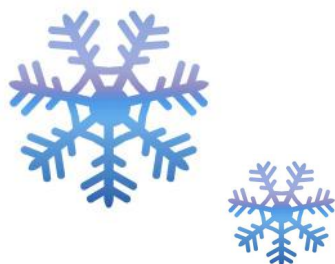
Monday 13th May to Thursday 16th May

Y1 Phonics Screening Check

Monday 10th June to Friday 14th June



Winter Gritting Plan



In the event of icy or snowy conditions, the following routes will be gritted, in order of priority.

In extreme conditions, such as a lot of snow, it may be that only priority one and two would be open for access to school.

Please stick to the gritted paths only, in icy conditions.

