



## Levendale Primary School

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### School Times:

8.45am—3.15pm

### Nursery:

Morning: 9.00-  
12.00am

Afternoon: 12.00—  
3.00pm

### Spring Term Dates:

Mon 6th Jan—  
Friday 11th April.

### Feb Half Term:

Mon 24th Feb—Fri  
28th Feb

### Remaining PD Days:

Thurs 20th Feb

Fri 21st Feb

Mon 21st July

NEWSLETTER: 21

14th February 2025

## Dear parents and carers,

Happy St. Valentine's day!

Excitement has been in the air and the children have enjoyed their special themed lunch! Special thanks to our kitchen and lunch time staff members for their efforts.

## Class Assemblies

We'd like to invite parents and family members to Class Assemblies for:

**Year 3** on Thursday 20th March at 2.45pm

**Year 1** on Tuesday 8th April at 2.45pm

The children will lead the assemblies and show what they have been learning about!

## School Times

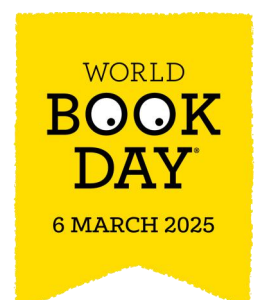
Our school day starts at 8.45am. The start of the day is a really important time, where children learn about what will happen during the day and begin their school work. Please make sure that children are ready to line up with their class mates in the playground and not late for school.

Nursery begins at 9.00am and finishes at 3.00pm

Reception starts at 8.45am and finishes at 3.15pm

## World Book Day– Thursday 6th March

We would like to invite the children to dress up for World Book Day. This can be anything book related like a character or title of a book! Please make sure clothing is suitable for outdoor play, including shoes!



Year 2 have been studying maps in Geography and working hard in Science, learning about everyday materials, this half term!



# The PTA invites you to their **RELAXATION EVENING**



Wednesday  
19th March  
6-7:30pm  
Levendale  
Primary School

## **Sound bath and yoga workshop**

Please bring a cushion,  
blanket and yoga mat.  
Not suitable for those  
with pacemakers.  
Event is supported by  
WildFlower Yoga

Tickets are £15 each  
for admission and  
refreshments

**Please join us!**

Message Cheryl on  
07505111959 to book



## **R**IGHTS **R**ESPECTING **R**EAD

### **ARTICLE OF THE WEEK**

As part of our work on being a Silver Rights Respecting School, we would like to share with you our 'Article of the Week'. Each week in school, we discuss an article from the Convention on the Rights of the Child with the children and what this means to them. This week, we have looked at Article 28.



#### Article 28

Children have the right to an education.

This is a right which a lot of the classes have chosen to be a part of their class charters.

Thank you to one of our parents, Dr Mahmood for sharing her e-recipes with us, as a Nutrition Health Coach.



## Recipe of the Week: Creamy Tuna on rice cake



### Creamy Tuna on rice cake

1 serving  
10 minutes

#### Ingredients

2 tbsps Tuna (drained and flaked)  
2 tbsps Plain Greek Yogurt  
1/8 tsp Sea Salt  
2 Plain Rice Cake

#### Directions

- 1 Combine the tuna, yogurt and sea salt. Mix well with a fork.
- 2 Spread tuna evenly onto the crackers and enjoy!

#### Notes

**No Greek Yogurt:** Use cottage cheese or any type of alternative plain yogurt instead.  
**Serving Size:** One serving is equal to approximately four topped crackers.  
**Storage:** Best enjoyed immediately but can be refrigerated up to 2 days in an airtight container. Store the crispbread and tuna mixture separately.

**Wraparound have been celebrating Valentine's this week!  
They've made cards, Love bugs and yummy fruit smoothies for  
breakfast!**





## 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 6 this week!

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

## Team Captains

Our team captains counted our team points this week and the winning team were Topaz!

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

Teams	Captains	Winners
Emerald	George Sh	2
Topaz	Lila C	3
Sapphire	Evie S	0
Ruby	Lewis W	1



Lower KS2 Star	Freya H
Upper KS2 Star	Jayati G

## Awards given in Celebration Assembly this week....



### Levendale Goals— Independence

<b>Y1</b>	<b>Maurice R</b>
<b>Y2</b>	<b>Lincoln W</b>
<b>Y3</b>	<b>AJ Sample</b>
<b>Y4</b>	<b>Fynn L</b>
<b>Y5</b>	<b>Amara M</b>
<b>Y6</b>	<b>Alice A</b>



### Maths Stars

<b>Y1</b>	<b>Olivia K</b>
<b>Y2</b>	<b>Harriet C</b>
<b>Y3</b>	<b>Jacob T</b>
<b>Y4</b>	<b>Felicity A</b>
<b>Y5</b>	<b>Sadie P</b>
<b>Y6</b>	<b>Thomas C</b>



### English Award

<b>Y1</b>	<b>Felix R</b>
<b>Y2</b>	<b>Priya T</b>
<b>Y3</b>	<b>Seb D</b>
<b>Y4</b>	<b>Ella H-J</b>
<b>Y5</b>	<b>Jayati G</b>
<b>Y6</b>	<b>Evie H</b>





## Achievements

We love to celebrate children’s achievements, including those outside of school. Please let us know at [Levendale@levendale.org.uk](mailto:Levendale@levendale.org.uk) if your child does something that makes you proud!

Orla S in Y2	Achieved Level 2 in Swimming—Brilliant!
Amber D in Y2	Was Star of the Week at Diva Dance—Excellent!

## Diary of Events

Date	Event
17/02/25	NHS Careers talk—Y5 and Y6
18/02/25	Y5/6 Girls Team - Football Finals
19/02/25	EYFS Multi-skills Festival
Thurs 13th Feb and w/b Mon 17th Feb	Parents Evenings—Please book on Arbor
Thurs 20th and Fri 21st Feb	PD Days—school closed to children on both days
Mon 24th—Fri 28th Feb	Half Term
Mon 3rd March	Return to school
06/03/25	World Book Day—Costumes at the ready!



## February Birthdays

Happy Birthday month to: George A, Ava A, Emma A, Felicity A, Jack B, Sienna D, Jayati G, Ella H-J, Edie H, Evie H, Oscar H, Holly I, Olivia L, Nriti N-R, Jaime N, Maria O-L, Priya T and Lewis W.