



WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Thursday 22nd January 2026



Headteachers Message



Dear Parents/Carers,

This week Miss Cottam led our whole school in an Epilepsy Awareness assembly, supported by two of our fabulous children who shared their own experiences of epilepsy - we were super proud of them!

This morning our Y1 Explorers parents were put under pressure at their class assembly when the children shared their learning about capital cities and asked their mums and dads to name some! They also retold the story of Zog, proudly displayed their colourful "6 / 7" artwork and sang their capital cities song. Well done to the children and teaching team, and thank you to the parents for attending and supporting the children.

Best regards
Lynne Slater - Head Teacher

Attendance & Punctuality



A massive thank you to all those parents who support us by ensuring that their children are in school every day on time.

There has been a noticeable improvement this week - please keep it up !

Collection of Children



We have begun the term with too many children NOT being collected on time. Please ensure that **children are collected from the class exits on the playground promptly at 3.20pm each day.**

Children should not be collected from the office unless there is an exceptional circumstance that the school office have been notified about in advance.

Parents Evening

Our Spring Term parents evening will be on Wednesday 4th March - please look out for how to book your slot on Dojos in the coming weeks.

Educational Visits



We try to give parents as much notice as possible for all educational visits in order that parents can choose to spread the cost and pay in instalments. Can we please ask that payment is made in full, online, for all visits by the deadlines given.

Failure to pay may result in some trips not being able to go ahead.

If you are struggling to pay please do contact Mrs Green or speak with a member of the office team.

PINS Coffee Morning 24/2



We will be holding another PINS (Partnership in Neurodiversity) coffee morning on Tuesday 24th February at 9.30am. Biscuits and cakes will be provided and Miranda from the Parent and Carer Forum will be in attendance.

Everyone is welcome!

Award Winners



Congratulations to our award winners from last week:
We really are so proud of each and every one of you.

| Class | VIP | Leading Learner |
|------------------|-----------|-----------------|
| EYFS Adventurers | Emmanuels | Gregor |
| EYFS Discoverers | Hollie | Theo T |
| Y1 Innovators | Ivy-Belle | Jasmine |
| Y1 Explorers | Rohan | Tireni |
| Year 2 | Mila Rae | Evelyn |

Year 3

Ananya

Evie

Year 4

Riley

Miles

Y5 Explorers

Ivy

Elsie B

Y5 Adventurers

Tahira

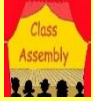
Kamil

Year 6

Maya

Poppy

Class Assembly Dates



Please go to our website and subscribe to our school calendar which will drop dates into your own calendar.

<https://www.leacp.lancs.sch.uk/calendar/?calid=1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11&pid=6&viewid=5>

Class assembly dates. Assemblies start at 9.10am and are normally held on Thursday mornings.

| Class | Date |
|------------|---------------------------|
| Y1 Inn | 5 th Feb 26 |
| Y2 | 30 th April 26 |
| Y3 | 14 th May 26 |
| EYFS Dis | 12 th Jun 26 |
| EYFS Ad | 19 th Jun 26 |
| Y4 | 3 rd July 26 |
| Y6 Leavers | tbc |

Dates for your diary - Spring Term 2026

19-30/01/26 - Y5 Swimming each day
 20-26/01/26 - EYFS Balancability
 27-29/01/26- Y2 Cycle Skills
 30/01/26 - Y6 L3 Cycle Skills
 02-06/02/26 - Y5 L1&2 Cycle Skills
 13/02/26 - Y6 Cake Sale
 13/02/26 - Young Voices Concert
 13/02/26 - Close 3.20pm for half term
 05/03/26 - World Book Day
 05/03/26 - New Library Opened
 11-14/05/26 - Y6 SATs week



Lea Community Primary School Calendar 2025/26



| September 2025 | | | | | | | October 2025 | | | | | | | November 2025 | | | | | | | December 2025 | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 37 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 41 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 45 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 49 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
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| 39 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 43 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 47 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 52 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |
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Bank holidays 2025/26 UK

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| | School Holidays LCC | | INSET Days | | 1.30pm Early Closure |