



Lee Brigg Infant & Nursery School

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Friday 17th January, 2020.

Dear Parents and Carers,

Leopards, Jaguar and Panther Class – School Visit

On Monday 27th January, Leopard, Jaguar and Panther classes will be visiting Skipton Castle in North Yorkshire. Letters have been sent out to parents last week. If you have not yet returned your reply slip with any voluntary contribution to school then please do as soon as possible. We require returned permission slips in order for children to be able to participate in the visit.

Children will need the following:

- A packed lunch
- A snack or two
- A drink – water or juice (with a screw top lid)
- School uniform must be worn, but children will need their coats (ideally layers of clothing so that children are dressed appropriately in all weather conditions!)
- A rucksack or bag (no plastic ones please!)

The coach will leave Lee Brigg at 9:15am (so children need to arrive at school as normal)

We aim to set off from the castle at 2:00pm, so should arrive back at school in good time for 3:15pm.

A Warm Welcome

We are extremely fortunate to welcome back to school Mrs Dhatta, who has re-joined us in a voluntary High Level Teaching Assistant (HLTA) role with Tiger Classes. Some of you may remember Mrs Dhatta, who worked with us in the last academic year.

Librarian Training

We welcomed Wendy into school this week from the schools library service, who came into school to provide training to our school librarians. Our librarians are looking forward to carrying out their roles!

Clergy Assembly

Reverend Barry and Father David visited school on Thursday and kindly led our clergy assembly for Leopard Jaguar and Panther Classes. You may have noticed some unusual chalk markings on the school buildings – please ask your child(ren) their meaning.

Children's University / Graduation

Lee Brigg Infant & Nursery School are proud members of the Children's University initiative. Please let the school office know should you wish your child to join. **Please note there is a charge of £3.50 for the passport to learning record for which we are asking parents to kindly cover the cost.**

The initiative has recently moved to an online portal which should hopefully reduce the administrative burden for both parents and providers.

We have pencilled in the diary **Monday 8th June 2020** for our Children's University graduation for those pupils whom have recorded the required learning hours – please look out for further updates!



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Dates For Parents and Carers – 2020

Please note that further information about events will be sent out nearer to the time. This is not an exclusive list of dates and could be subject to change.

14.02.20	School Closes for February half term
24.02.20	School Reopens
03.04.20	School Closes for Easter
20.04.20	School reopens
Year 2 Statutory Assessments take place in May (It is important that all Year 2 children are in school)	
07.05.20	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR POLLING – INSET Day
08.05.20	SCHOOL CLOSED May Day Bank Holiday
22.05.20	School Closes for Spring Bank
01.06.20	School Reopens
08.06.20	Year 1 Phonic check week (It is important that all Year 1 children are in school this week)
17.07.20	School Closes for summer

Next week's menu is as follows:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Beef burger in a bun & wedges	Margherita pizza & wedges	Roast gammon with Yorkshire pudding, roast potatoes & gravy	Chicken pasta bake	Fish fingers & chips
Cheese & bean wrap	Mexican beany burrito	Winter vegetable pasty & roast potatoes	Shepherdess Pie	Vegetable Balti & rice
Ham sandwich	Cheese sandwich	Tuna sandwich	Ham sandwich	Cheese sandwich
A selection of filled jacket potatoes	A selection of filled jacket potatoes	A selection of filled jacket potatoes	A selection of filled jacket potatoes	A selection of filled jacket potatoes

Stars of the Week

Every week two children from each class are nominated as **Stars of the Week** in recognition of their hard work, achievement and progress. Our stars of the week this week are:



Tiger class HT:	Rocco	For excellent effort in writing
Tiger class HT:	Eva	For super progress in phonics and reading
Tiger class LT:	Cameron	For improved blending when reading
Tiger class LT:	Amelia	For always setting a good example for others
Leopard class:	Kirsty	For writing fantastic descriptive sentences about a dragon
Leopard class:	Natan	For brilliant participation and effort in gymnastics
Jaguar class:	Henry	For super concentration in phonics. Remembering to segment and blend clearly to help with spelling.
Jaguar class:	Sophie	For trying really hard with her reading this week and beginning to read more fluently
Panther class:	Brooke	For writing a fantastic set of instructions
Panther class:	Dylan	For having a fantastic week and trying his best at all times



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Attendance – School target – 96.50%

Congratulations to everyone in **Tiger LT and Panther Class** for achieving the highest class attendance this week.

This week's class attendance figures are:

- 98.26% in Tiger class HT
- 100.00% in Tiger class LT
- 97.50% in Leopard class
- 97.50% in Jaguar class
- 100.00% in Panther class

Our school attendance figure this week is 98.65%

Yours sincerely

Sarah Gordon – Headteacher



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