



Lee Brigg Infant & Nursery School

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Friday 23rd October, 2020.

Dear Parents and Carers,

Inset Day / Half Term

Just a reminder that school will close for half term today, **Friday 23rd October, 2020** and will reopen **Monday 2nd November 2020**.

We hope you all have a lovely half term and of course a happy Halloween. Please keep reading with your child and enjoying stories at home during the half term.



Spooks, Experiments, and Celebrations

We have had some spooky goings on in our nursery today – our children enjoyed their Halloween party immensely. We have also had lots of exciting experiments for our Leopard, Jaguar and Panther classes to try and our Tiger classes have been celebrating their golden pebble jar targets being reached with a non-uniform day (Tigers LT/KG) and a DVD (Tigers HT).

Parent Telephone Consultation Meetings

Staff have now completed their parent consultation appointments. We would like to thank those parents and carers who made an appointment and we hope that, although the process was very different from previous years, you found them informative.

Just a reminder that should you feel that you require any additional time to speak to class teachers, please arrange a further appointment outside of the parent consultation evening.



Parental Communications

I would like to respectfully remind parents and carers to please refrain from contacting one another in regards to accidents or incidents that may occur and have been managed successfully within school.

Please be reassured that should an accident occur, parents and carers will be informed accordingly in line with school policy. Should an incident occur which we feel requires parental / carer support or input we will again follow school policy.

Should any parent / carer have concern regarding their child(ren) we would ask that these are raised to the school.

Skills Challenge & After School Clubs

Each child should have received a letter relating to the Lee Brigg skills challenge.

We look forward to receiving photos evidencing you all rising to the challenges set!

We will be considering commencing after school clubs next half term. Further details will be sent out when we return to school. The after school clubs form part of our wider

opportunities offer. As they are always extremely popular, these will run on a first come first served basis.



The menu week commencing 2nd November 2020 is as follows:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Meatball sub with Potatoes	Cheese & tomato margarita pizza & wedges	Roast gammon, Yorkshire pudding, roast potatoes & gravy	Hunter's chicken & savoury rice	Fish finger bap & chips
<i>Pre Order Required: Halal option: Meatball sub with Potatoes</i>	See Above	<i>Pre Order Required: Halal option: Chicken fillet, Yorkshire pudding, roast potatoes & gravy</i>	<i>Pre Order Required: Halal option: Hunter's chicken & savoury rice</i>	See Above



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Ham or cheese sandwich	Ham or tuna sandwich	Ham or egg sandwich	Ham or cheese sandwich	Ham or tuna 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

Children's Choice - Stars of the Week

We are trailing a 'children's choice' star of the week. At the end of each half term, each class will nominate a **Star of the Week** in recognition of their hard work, achievement and progress. Our children's choice stars of the week this half term are:



Tiger class HT:	Roman	For being a super scientist and using his sense of smell
Tiger class HT:	Harry	For persevering with his challenges
Tiger class LT:	Jamal	For a big improvement when writing his name
Tiger class LT:	Lily	For always practising and applying herself when writing
Leopard class:	Eadie	For thinking carefully about her answers on science day – super scientist!
Leopard class:	Cameron	For asking good scientific questions
Jaguar class:	Serena	For being really helpful and a kind friend
Jaguar class:	Martha	For being a nice kind friend
Panther class:	Annabelle	For a fantastic attitude towards learning in Maths and English
Panther class:	Jack	For fantastic work in RE and having a good understanding of other religions

And Finally

Myself and Miss Gordon would like to thank all staff for their hard work and commitment shown towards the children this half term. The staff at Lee Brigg have more than risen to the challenge of a very different and testing start to the new school year.

Thank you also to parents and carers in the same view for your continued support.

The children must also be commended for their resilience, they have adapted extremely well to the change of routine in school owing to current restrictions in place.

Attendance – School target – 96.50%

Congratulations to everyone in **Tigers HT, Tigers LT, Leopard and Jaguar classes** for achieving the highest class attendance this week.

This week's class attendance figures are:

- 100.00% in Tiger class HT
- 100.00% in Tiger class LT
- 100.00% in Leopard class
- 100.00% in Jaguar class
- 96.49% in Panther class

Our school attendance figure this week is 99.18%

Yours sincerely,

Laurabeth Kilkenny - **Head of School**



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