

13th February 2023

Come As You Are, Leave As A Champion

Mrs Cartwright's Message

Thank you to everyone that has attended our parent meetings this week. We hope that you found it useful to have a chat with your child's teacher and to look through their work. We are so proud of our champion children and how hard they have worked this year so far. At Langdale we know how important it is to get out into the fresh air, so after half term each class will be taking part in gardening sessions led by Mrs Edwards. We are looking forward to making good use of our beautiful grounds. Our new Early Years area is nearly complete and the children can't wait to get out and explore their new environment.



JOKE OF THE WEEK!

How do you stay warm in any room?



Go to the corner—it's always 90 degrees.



Important Dates

- 27th - inset day - no children in school
- 28th - All children return

Have a lovely half term!



Upcoming Events

Do You want to be a masked reader for the children?

27th Feb - 3rd Mar 23

If so please email the office on office@langdale.staffs.sch.uk with your preferred day and class.

Slots are filling up quickly.

2nd March - children can come to school in their PJ's and bring a teddy and a blanket



Attendance

97%

Above our school target of 96% - Well done - let's keep going. We can smash this target.


Things To Remember

- Term Time requests for holidays will be declined in line with the managing attendance guidance, unless exceptional circumstances can be agreed.

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- We are working hard on using our manners and showing respectful behaviour around the school.



- Nuts
- Fizzy drinks or energy drinks
- Toys

Parking Problems

We have had several complaints from local residents regarding parking over people's driveways. Please do not do this - it reflects badly upon the school and does nothing to support our relationship with our local residents. Thank you to all of our parents who do park respectfully.



If your child is concerned, worried, anxious or is having problems, in the first instance, it is important to contact your child's class teacher.


The class teacher has the opportunity to reassure, adjust or consider anything that may support your child to feel better. The office staff are competent in directing your queries/concerns accurately.



Attendance

We are noticing an increased number of children arriving to school late. Here are the children's start and finish times.

- Nursery - 8:45am - 3:00pm
- Reception - 8:45am - 3:10pm
- KS1 - 8:55am - 3:15pm
- KS2 - 8:50am - 3:20pm



If you are concerned about your child's attendance, please contact Jayne on 01782 948000 or jayne.allen@langdale.staffs.sch.uk

Champion Moments

The Wall of Recognition

Iris Mackey-Smith - 3TN



On a Saturday, Iris plays football for a U8's girls team- Newcastle Strikers. Iris won both Managers & Parents Trophies with unanimous votes for her outstanding saves throughout the game. This has never been achieved before in the 18 months that the team have been together. Well done Iris!

Betty Lamb - 3TN



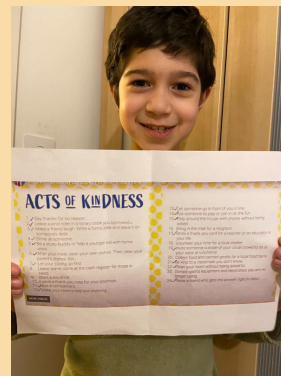
Betty has achieved her Stage One in swimming with Waterstars. Well Done Betty!

Oscar Lightfoot - 5C & Grace Lightfoot - R2



Oscar and Grace have completed their 'Show Week' at gymnastics in front of all the instructors and parents and received their badges and certificates. Well Done Oscar & Grace!

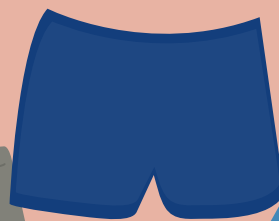
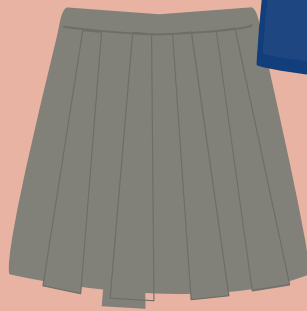
Abdullah Youssef - 3B



Abdullah has completed the majority of his random acts of kindness. A fantastic effort, Well Done Abdullah!



WE NEED YOU



Do you have any PE hoodies for our upcoming uniform shop?

We are taking donations of clean, quality uniforms. We

need:

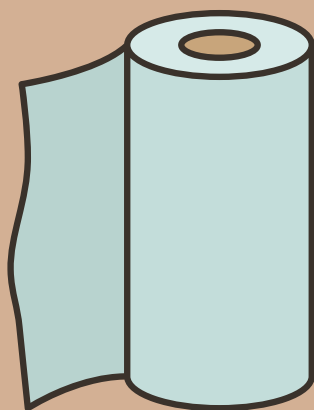
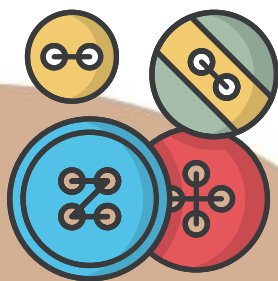
Skirts

Trousers

PE shorts

PE t shirts

Tights



Do you have any of the following items to support our curriculum resourcing?

Plastic milk bottle tops

Buttons

Shells

Corks

Kitchen roll tubes

Clean take away tubs

Egg boxes

