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Langley Mill Academy NEWSLETTER

Friday 6th November 2026

Thank you to our School Council team for selling poppies and poppy-themed items in support of Remembrance. The sale will continue next week, with a range of poppy-themed items available to purchase. Next Wednesday, teachers and children will also come together to observe the two-minute silence at 11:00am, taking time to remember and honour all those who have served and sacrificed.





Miss Armstrong's Wildlife Club have been using old pumpkins to support local wildlife by creating natural food sources around our pond and bird feeder. Look carefully & you may spot the birds pecking at their Halloween treats!









Children in Need – Non-Uniform Day! 🐻

Next Friday, we will be supporting Children in Need by inviting children to come to school in non-uniform. Children can wear something yellow or spotty to join in the fun. Face paint is also permitted!



We kindly suggest a donation of **£1.00** to support this wonderful cause. Thank you for your support!

Mr Bland

Dates for your diary…

Thu 12th Nov: Year 4 visit London

Fri 13th Nov: Children In Need – wear non-uniform with option of yellow or spots (face paint permitted)

Mon 16thNov: Odd Socks Monday – wear odd socks to school to launch **anti-bullying week**

Wed 18th Nov: Hadid Class Assembly – Parents and Carers welcome to attend – 8:30am school Hall.

19th Nov: Year 5 visit Tamworth Castle

19th Nov: ***Pastoral Coffee Morning***: Online safety & managing child devices– all parents & carers welcome to attend: 9:30am

25th-27th Nov: Year 6 residential to Lea Green

Wed 2nd Dec: Kahlo Class Assembly – Parents and Carers welcome to attend – 8:30am school Hall.

Wed 10th Dec: Berners-Lee Class Assembly – Parents and Carers welcome to attend – 8:30am school Hall.

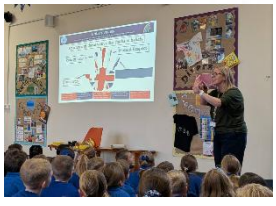
18th Dec: Last day of term – Happy Christmas

4th Jan: Inset Day.

Tues 5th Jan: First day of Spring Term

29th Jan: Year 3 visit Creswell Crags





Mrs Bussell led an engaging assembly exploring British Values and Democracy this Tuesday, looking at the historical relationship between the King and Parliament. Daisy in Year 6 took centre stage as our King for the day!

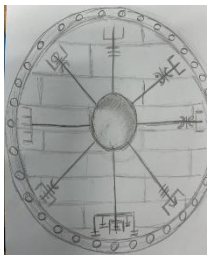
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Celebrations from home

What an amazing showcase of Year 5's Viking home learning! The creativity and innovation on display have been truly incredible.





Felicity's detailed Viking map and compass charting their invasions was a brilliant piece of work, showing such thought and attention to detail.



Ryder's incredible 3D-printed Viking helmet and ship, completed at home, were simply outstanding! The impressive design and intricate detail were fantastic to see. A huge well done to both of you!



A huge congratulations to Brooks on receiving his certificate and medal at the football tournament! Such a fantastic achievement and a well-deserved reward for all his hard work, effort and enthusiasm. A great success and a proud moment!

Attendance

Good school attendance is above 95% (or less than 10 missed school days) per year. Good attendance helps pupils to make the most of their learning, build positive relationships and develop confidence and independence.

Overall school attendance this week was

94.9%

Our top 3 classes this week for attendance were:

- Goodall 97.7%
- Attenborough 96.1%
- Berners-Lee 97.3%

We are here to support every family with school attendance, through our pastoral team led by Mrs Naylor, alongside our Family Support Worker, Miss Robb.

Attendance Matters

Community Support from Derbyshire

Are you looking after a child or young person in Derbyshire through kinship care, a Special Guardianship Order (SGO), or another family and friends care arrangement?

The Derbyshire Educational Psychology Service is keen to develop a support network for kinship carers, Special Guardians, and others caring for children who are not currently living with their birth parents. We want to ensure this reflects the needs and priorities of local families.

We're hosting a coffee morning on Wednesday 9th December (venue TBC). This is an opportunity to meet others, enjoy a chat over a drink and cake, and tell us what support and activities would make the biggest difference to you and your family.

If you would be interested in attending, we'd love to hear from you. Please scan the QR code below to register your interest.

Values Awards Assembly

LMA Values Award winners received their certificates this week in our whole school values assembly.

Year 3:
Attenborough: **Carter – Success**
Goodall: **Mila – Aspiration**

Year 4:
Berners-Lee: **Freddie - Responsibility**
Hadid: **Coby – Responsibility**
Kahlo: **Blake – Aspiration**

Year 5:
Ayling-Ellis: **Naomi – Aspiration**
Hawking: **Evie – Empathy**
Tull: **Skyla – Aspiration**

Year 6
Arkwright: **Teddy – Empathy & Ronnie – Innovation**
Gregg: **Daisy – Empathy**
Hallam: **Georgia – Perseverance & Sienna – Success**

