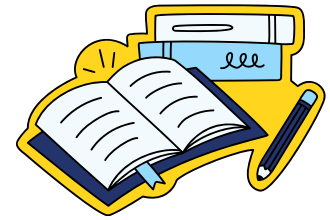




# Leftwich

## Community Primary School

Ready Respectful Safe



### NEWS

We have had a great end to the half term. On Wednesday evening our netball team represented school brilliantly in an inter-school competition, demonstrating the sports values perfectly. 🏆👏

On the same night two of our Year 6 pupils took part in a poetry evening in collaboration with the other local schools. Having taken part in a workshop morning around the theme 'Empowerment', Codie and Jackson wrote, practiced and performed their poems beautifully. We are so proud of them both for representing our school in such a positive way, and for their courage to stand up and share their poems with a large audience. 🌟👏

Today in assembly our Year 6 children performed a piece of music they had composed for the glockenspiels. They played and sang a lovely song about friendship. What a fabulous treat for our final assembly of the half term! 🎵👏

### DIARY DATES



- Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> November - Rhyme Time toddler and baby session - 9.15am - 10.30am.
- Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> November - Fireworks Night
- Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December - Christmas Discos
- Monday 15<sup>th</sup> December - Key Stage 2 Carol Service at Emmanuel Church 1.30pm - 2.30pm



### SPECIAL MENTIONS

Well done to:

- Layni from Year 1 who always throws herself into her work, tries her hardest and challenges herself everyday 🌟
- Abhinav from Year 2 for working hard in phonics, writing sentences independently and for always being helpful 🌟
- Bobby from Year 3 who always helps to keep our OPAL toys tidy without being asked, showing care and respect for our resources and environment 🌟
- Clara from Year 4 who has been brilliant at helping to keep the temporary classroom tidy 🌟
- James from Year 5 for having a great first half term and settling into his class so well. He always follows our values and consistently tries his best. 🌟
- Maisie from Year 6 who persevered at the netball tournament, listened to the referee and scored 2 goals despite being nervous at the start 🌟

### ATTENDANCE



Congratulations to our Year 4 children who have won our class attendance challenge this week with 98%

**This week our whole school attendance is 96.4%**



### COUGHS AND COLDS



We have well and truly entered the season for coughs and colds. If children have a high temperature or feel unwell we would, of course, expect you to keep them at home until they are well enough to return to school.

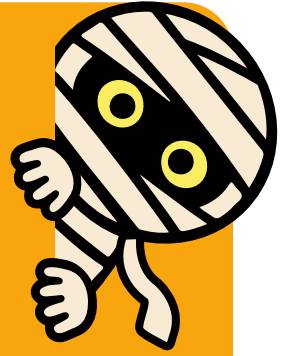
While it is tempting to keep children off for sniffles and colds, if they are otherwise well then we encourage you to send them in to 'see how they go' rather than keep them at home 'just in case.' Children often perk up once they get to school and see their friends.

If you are unsure what to do, then please just ask us for advice. We will always contact you if children are unwell during the school day.





# Happy Halloween



As we enter the half term holiday we know that lots of children will be taking part in Halloween activities, including Trick or Treat.

This morning we reminded the children of the importance of staying safe if they are out when it is dark:

- Stay with an adult or stick together with friends
- Be safe, be seen - wear something bright or reflective
- Only go to houses that are decorated and taking part in Trick or Treat
- Try to only go to homes of people you know
- Be respectful at all times... say thank you



# BOO!



We hope you all have a happy and safe half term. We look forward to seeing everyone when we return on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November.

