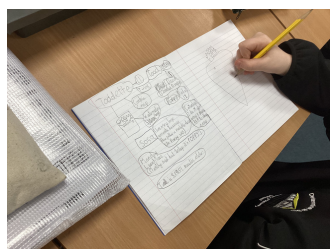


LEDBURY PRIMARY SCHOOL

This week at LPS

5&6 Poetry Visitor

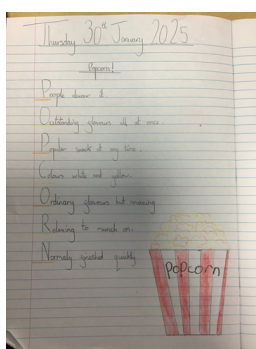
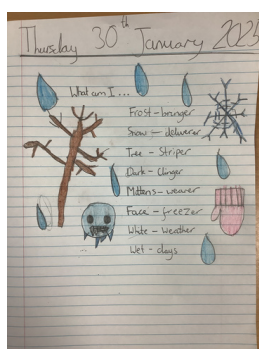
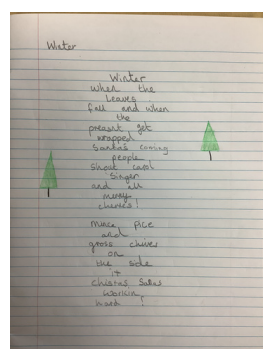
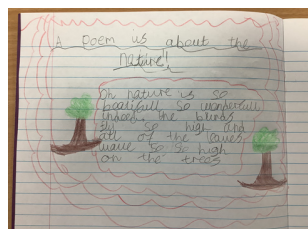
We were thrilled to welcome Steve Camden, the amazing poet and author, to our Year 6 creative writing workshop! His passion for storytelling was truly inspiring, and he encouraged us to let our imaginations run wild. With his guidance, we crafted some wonderful and wacky stories, filled with exciting characters and unexpected twists. Steve's enthusiasm for writing made us see how powerful words can be, and we all left feeling like real authors. Thank you, Steve, for an unforgettable session—we loved every moment and can't wait to keep writing more fantastic stories of our own!



Find out more about Steve by clicking on the Polarbear!

Creative Writing Club

Creative writing club have also been inspired to write poems this week- here's a selection!



1-THIS WEEK AT LPS

2-BIKEABILITY

3-CHINESE NEW YEAR

4-CELEBRATIONS

5-DIARY

6-NOTICEBOARD

VALUE OF THE MONTH

BE RESPONSIBLE



BIKEABILITY



Bikeability is the government's national cycle training programme. It helps children learn practical skills and understand how to cycle on today's roads. Bikeability gives everyone the confidence to cycle and enjoy this skill for life. Many thanks to our wonderful instructors who have been in school this week, Y6 have really enjoyed developing their cycling skills.

Autumn - It was fun and I liked it because we did fun things like learning about how to ride on the road safely without putting ourselves in danger.

Ruby - The course taught us new things and made me get better at the skills I already had. The people running the course were really nice, they supported us overcoming challenges.

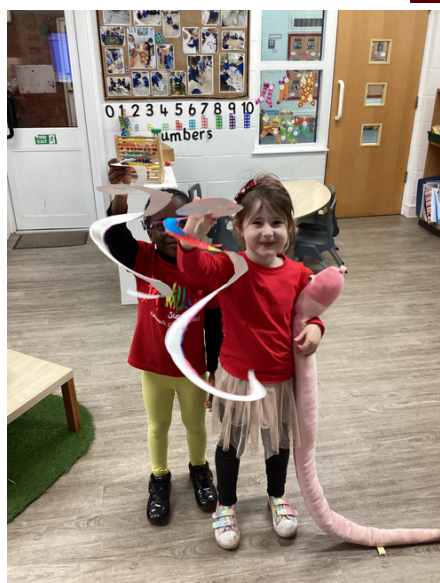
Max - It was quite fun and it made my legs hurt a lot after!

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EYFS CHINESE NEW YEAR

Today the children in EYFS all took part in a morning full of Chinese New Year activities. This year it is the year of the snake, so they made snakes and lanterns in the reception classes and Heather in the Nursery made traditional foods for the children to try! The children learnt that the colour red is a lucky colour and so made red envelopes with a gold coin inside to give to someone they love. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed themselves!





CELEBRATIONS

House Points

KITES Team points for week ending 31st January 2025: 723	EAGLES Team points for week ending 31st January 2025: 502
BUZZARDS Team points for week ending 31st January 2025: 518	KESTRELS Team points for week ending 31st January 2025: 569

Attendance

This week's top year group is...

Y2
98%

Week Ending 31st January 2025

Hero of the week

Class	Hero	Determined to...
Little Sparrows	Kayleen	be confident in a new place.
Little Wrens	Luca	try everything and settle in Nursery.
RPB	Rayah	show all she knows about part part whole.
REC	Willow	write a fabulous postcard about London.
1JB	Rebecca	twrite with fantastic independence.
1CW	Aisha	do excellent hand writing in lessons and doing extra hand writing practice at home.
2EH	Molly	be a super learning partner to her friends.
2CS	Stelian	know "quarter to" on a clock.
3SW	Arlo	give excellent contribution in class.
3EW	JJ C	show great understanding of multiplication and division methods.
4JB	Nigel	have high levels of hand writing and pride in presentation constantly.
4EM	Evie	show great determination ti succeed in Maths lessons this week.
5CF	Abbie	always be a conscientious learner and contributing creative ideas.
5RK	Alice	produce excellent creative writing.
6PD	Autumn	be courageous within writing and being creative!
6TF	Ellie W	always be kind and be mindful of others.

Values slips

			
Harvey T 6TF Lily 6TF Pippie 6TF Ellie W 6TF Liara 1JB Delilah 2EH Harry 2EH JJ 3EW Finlay 4EM Naomi 4JB Arthur 4JB William D 3EW Mohammad 3EW Cohen 3EW	David 2EH Divine 2EH	Clarence 1CW Mason 4EM Tymon 4EM Grace 4EM Monica 4EM	Jaydon 1CW Noah 4EM Tai 4EM Freddie 4EM Alivia 4EM Olivia 4EM Nova 3EW
			
	Adi 3SW Lenny 3SW		
			
	Teddie 2EH Finlay 4EM Monty 3EW	Charlie 2EH	Blake 6PD- winner Aisha 1CW Cerys 6PD Max 6PD Oscar 6PD Ruby 6PD



Ledbury Primary School 2024-25

September

4th- Term starts Y1-6
5th Term starts for Nursery
6th Term starts for Reception
9th- Meet the teacher Y1 & 2
10th- Meet the teacher Y3 & 4
10th PTA AGM 6pm
11th- Meet the teacher Y5 & 6
23rd Movie night
27th- Macmillan coffee morning

October

1st- Parent workshop- reading YR/1/2 2pm
3rd- The Secret Garden(in school)
7th Bingo 5-6.30
10th PTA meeting 5.30pm
11th- Harvest Fayre Celebration Morning
14th Luke Temple in school
15th & 16th Y3 to Heritage Centre
22nd- History workshops Y5&6
23rd- Whole School Photos
23rd- Y4 to Awnells Farm
24th Hallowe'en Discos

November

4th- Fireworks display
7th- Author visit
11th- WWII day
12th Book Fair 3.15-4pm
12th PTA meeting 5.30pm
14th- Y2 to Blists Hill
18th- Y3 swim for 2 weeks
21st- Pop up shop
22nd- Y1 to Aerospace Bristol
25th- Bingo
26th & 27th- Parents' evenings

December

2nd- KS2 reading parents' workshop
2nd, 3rd & 4th- Father Christmas
5th- Rudolph Run & Christmas Jumper
6th- Christmas Fayre
9th pm- Y1&2 Nativity
10th am- Y1&2 Nativity
10th- KS2 Pantomime
12th EYFS & KS1 Pantomime (in school)
12th- Christmas Lunch
12th- PTA meeting 5.30pm
13th- N & YR Christmas Celebration 1.30pm
18th- Y5 Carol Service

January

10th- Christmas donation box
13th- YR Shakespeare visitors
14th- Y3 Shakespeare Visitors
14th- Parent workshop reading & phonics KS1 9am
14th- PTA meeting 5.30pm
15th- Y5&6 Shakespeare visitors
17th- Talent show
20th- Grandparents' morning
20th- Movie night
24th- Bikeability starts Y6

February

3rd Coffee & cake morning
11th- Y5 visit to Mosque
13th- Valentines discos
14th- Music Celebration Day
24th- Y3 swim for 2 weeks
25th- Parent workshop Y6 SATs 4.30pm
27th- PTA meeting 5.30pm

March

6th- World Book Day
14th- Race night
17th-19th- Y5 Residential
25th- Parent workshop times tables Y3&4 9am
27th- Mothers' day pop-up shop

Term Dates

4th Sept - 20th Dec
(Half term 28th Oct- 1st Nov)

7th Jan - 11th Apr
(Half term 17th - 21st Feb)

28th Apr - 18th Jul
(Half term 26th - 30th May)

April

1st & 2nd April- Parents' evenings
7th- Y4 to Hindu Temple
7th- Bingo
8th- PTA meeting 5.30pm
9th Easter production Y3&4 9.30am
10th- Easter production Y3&4 1.30pm
11th- Easter bonnet competition
30th- Parents' workshop Healthy Living

May

2nd- Science Fair
5th- Bank holiday
6th- Y3 to Cotswold Wildlife Park
8th- PTA meeting 5.30pm
12th-15th- SATs week
13th- Parent workshop Internet safety 3.30pm
17th- Family fun day (inflatables etc)
23rd- Coffee & cake morning

June

2nd- Y4 Multiplication check for 2 weeks
2nd- Y4 swim for 2 weeks
5th&6th- Y6 to London
9th- Phonics screening week
10th- PTA meeting 5.30pm
12th- Fathers' day pop up shop
19th- Y1 Falconry Visitors
25th- Y5 to National Space Centre
26th- Sports day
27th- Y3 Science Visitors
28th- Dog show

July

3rd- Move up morning
3rd- PTA meeting 5.30pm
7th- Y3 Road safety
8th & 9th- Y6 show to parents 6pm
10th- Y6 to Barry Island
10th- Parent workshop supporting talking for school 3.30pm
11th- Carnival Day
15th- Y2 Animal Visitors
17th- Y6 Leavers' Disco
18th- Y6 Leavers' assembly

**SAVE!
THE DATE!**

3rd Coffee & cake morning
11th- Y5 visit to Mosque
13th- Valentine's discos
14th- Music Celebration Day
Half term 17th - 21st Feb
24th- Y3 swim for 2 weeks
25th- Parent workshop Y6 SATs 4.30pm
27th- PTA meeting 5.30pm



Valentine's Disco

KS1 (Nursery, Reception, Y1 & 2) 4-5pm
KS2 (Y3-6) 5.30-6.30pm

Thursday 13th Feb

£3.50 for entry and hot dog

Please send money in an envelope to school with details on envelope

OR

pay by card in the office- only on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays between 2.45-3.30pm



Number Day

ROCKSTAR NUMBER DAY
AT LPS
FRIDAY 7TH FEBRUARY

DRESS UP AS A ROCKSTAR OR SOMETHING NUMBER RELATED (BE CREATIVE!)
DRESS UP, ENJOY MATHS AND RAISE MONEY FOR A GOOD CAUSE!

PLEASE MAKE DONATIONS VIA THE QR CODE FOR THE JUST GIVING PAGE OR BRING CASH TO SCHOOL.
RECOMMENDED DONATION OF £1 PER CHILD

#numberday

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NSPCC Number Day 2025's Just Giving Page

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FUN FANCY Lettering WORKSHOP

WITH ARTIST ALICE SAVERY

WED 19TH FEBRUARY 2025

10AM-12 AGES 8-11

1-3PM AGES 12+

BOOK HERE!

USING BRUSH PENS, GEL PENS, PENCILS AND FELT TIPS WE WILL BE MAKING FUN FANCY FONTS USING THEM TO CREATE BEAUTIFUL WORD ART PIECES TO TAKE HOME!

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It's challenging work but extremely rewarding!

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COURTYARD YOUTH THEATRE LEDBURY

THE MARKET YOUTH THEATRE

Mondays (term time only)

Kids
Reception - Year 2, 4.30pm - 5.15pm, £44 a term

Juniors
Year 3 - 6, 5.30pm - 6.30pm, £47 a term

Intermediates
Year 7 - 9, 6.45pm - 7.45pm, £47 a term

Seniors
Year 10+, 8pm - 9.30pm, £52 a term

The Courtyard Youth Theatre gives young people a chance to play and explore creativity through various art forms. Members participate in fun learning activities and perform in shows throughout the year. This helps them develop key skills like communication, teamwork, and problem-solving. We provide a supportive space where young people can build confidence while making new friends. It's an engaging way for kids to grow both as artists and individuals.

BOX OFFICE 01432 340555

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LEDBURY'S GOT TALENT

FRIDAY 28 FEBRUARY 2025

AUDITIONS NOW OPEN!

AUDITION GUIDELINES

WHO CAN ENTER?

Anyone aged 8 - 80 years old who can sing, rap, play instruments, make people laugh, or whatever your talent may be!

Auditions will be on Wednesday, 29 January 2025
Under 18's 4:15pm - 5:45pm
Adults 6:00pm - 7:30pm
at John Masfield High School & Sixth Form Centre
ALL PARTICIPANTS UNDER THE AGE OF 18 MUST COMPLETE A PARENTAL CONSENT FORM TO TAKE PART

It is essential that you book a timeslot to secure your audition! Audition bookings must be made by Monday, 27 January at 12 noon.
To book please call: 01531 632306 or email: reception@ledburytowncouncil.gov.uk

CREATIVE STITCH WORKSHOP WITH ANANDA HILL

Tuesday 18th February 2025

Only 10 places per workshop

10am-12pm 8-11 years
10pm-3pm 12 years +

Join local embroidery artist **Ananda Hill** for a fun and creative session

Create joyful word art pieces to take home!

Using easy stitch, pattern and layering techniques from around the world and a variety of colourful fabric!

BOOK HERE!

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