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Lionwood Infant and Nursery School Newsletter



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To all our families,

What a busy half term it has been!

The staff and children have all been working so hard to try and make up for lost time. This week has been no exception.

Nursery have been looking at tadpoles this week and have had their first attempt at sewing!

In Reception this week the children have gone to Lion Wood to have an explore and look for the bluebells. Year 1 have been busy writing flood myths and using lots of adjectives in their writing to make it exciting. The year 2 children have done artwork with wax crayons and paint inspired by the artist Andy Warhol.

Thank you for all your support this term.

Have a lovely half term everyone and stay safe,

Ms Thorpe and the Lionwood Team



Nursery - Sienna and Advika

Pear Class - Leland

Damson Class - Colby

Apple Class - Andy

Holly Class - Alfie

Maple Class - Kyran

Elm Class - Olivia

Willow Class - Thameran

Rowan Class - Ronnie

CONGRATULATIONS!

A very big WELL DONE to these children for their hard work and commitment to their learning. We want to take this opportunity to say how proud we are of them.

PCR TESTING FOR CONTACTS OF POSITIVE COVID CASES

People who have been in close contact with someone who has tested positive with COVID-19 can now [get a PCR test during their 10-day isolation period](#), whether or not they have symptoms.

Around 1 in 5 people who have been in close contact with a person with COVID-19 will go on to have COVID-19 themselves, and around 1 in 3 of those will have no symptoms but can still spread the virus.

[Getting a test](#) when you're a contact helps to find out if you're one of those people and, if so, to ensure your contacts are self-isolating. This is how we break the chains of transmission. **Even if you test negative, you will still need to complete your 10-day self-isolation period, because the virus can incubate for that time.**

It is recommended that educational settings ask staff, children and households who are close contacts of a positive case to [get a free PCR test to check if they have coronavirus](#).

All testing is voluntary, however this testing approach in settings with confirmed COVID-19 cases (combined with the established asymptomatic testing programme) will disrupt chains of transmission, and stop the spread of the virus.

We would like to remind parents and carers that if your child has a temperature, persistent or new cough, loss of taste or smell, they must NOT attend school until they have had a negative PCR test result and ALL household members must isolate for 10 days or until a negative test result is confirmed.



FACE COVERINGS

We remind you that face coverings MUST be worn at all times on the school premises. If you are exempt from wearing a face covering, please make us aware of this by emailing the school

officelians@istnorfolk.co.uk



School will be closed for the half term break

Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June

We look forward to welcoming all the children back on **Monday 7th June**

FOOD VOUCHERS FOR CHILDREN IN RECEIPT OF FREE SCHOOL MEALS

Food voucher codes have been sent by text message this week to families of children entitled to free school meals (for those in receipt of benefits and low income)



WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL GROUP

FRIDAY MORNINGS

9am to 12pm

At St Matthew's Church

If you would like any further information about this group please contact Mrs Prior at the school on

01603 433957.

PARENT DROP-IN SESSIONS AT LIONWOOD JUNIOR SCHOOL

Tuesday 15th June 9.15am to 10.15am

Tuesday 22nd June 9.15am to 10.15am

Tuesday 6th July 9.15am to 10.15am

Please feel free to come along. Mrs Prior (Parent Support Advisor, LIANS & LJS) and the YMCA will be at the sessions.