

# Leigh C.E. Primary School & Leigh C.E. Nursery



Dear families,

I hope that you have all had a good week. The children have enjoyed yet another busy and enjoyable one in school filled with various activities. Last week I reported that I had been observing reading sessions in several classes and had been really impressed with the children's skills. This week the children have enjoyed sharing their writing activities with me. I was able to see lots of progress from the start of the year and it was especially rewarding to see how much pride the children take in their work.

We continue to have a high number Covid cases in school and I wish staff members, children, and families a speedy recovery. I appreciate that our school attendance will be impacted due to the pandemic and appreciate that children must isolate if they receive a positive test. Please can I remind families of the importance of attending school each day unless there is a valid reason for absence. I also need to stress how important it is that children arrive on time. When children repeatedly miss the start of lessons it becomes difficult for them to keep up with the pace of the learning. Thank you for your support and understanding with this matter.

Families of children in Year 1/2 will be aware that Miss Skitt has been absent from school since November. I can update you that Miss Skitt has now left Leigh CE and we wish her well. Current staffing will remain for the rest of the year with Mrs Wood teaching the children in Y1/2. Mrs Connaughton will continue to teach the Reception children.

Next Friday (4<sup>th</sup> February) is NSPCC Number Day. We are inviting the children to wear their own clothes – anything with numbers on it or maths related and ask for a £2 donation to raise money for the NSPCC. The day will be filled with fun activities which will all number related.

As always, thank you for your ongoing support and partnership.

Have a wonderful weekend with your lovely children.

Best wishes,

Mrs Oxborough

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