

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



Dear families,

I hope that you have all had a good week. As we enjoy our last day before the holidays, it's good to reflect on the many enjoyable activities and achievements of our children. Activities have ranged from making Roman clay pots, weather studies, finding out about Ancient Egypt, making pizza, lobby and fruit kebabs. Children have been learning about their own locality as well as places far away. Children have enjoyed various zoom meetings with a number of famous authors. We've had some great success with our swimming and children across school have been enjoying dance and Music. Y1/2 continue to learn the ocarina, Y3/4 play the recorder and Y5/6 are developing their Ukulele skills brilliantly as they work with the Wigan Music Service each week. We've had a great half term of learning.

Last week was 'Safer Internet' week. Congratulations to Jade, Rama and Amelia who designed our winning internet safety posters. Thank you to all our children who entered the competition, all designs were fantastic, and I know that Miss Griffiths had a very difficult task deciding on the winners. It has been brought to my attention this week that a few of our children are accessing Apps that are not age appropriate. We have informed all families involved but can we please ask you to monitor your child's use of tablets, computers, and phones. The link below illustrates the age restrictions so that you can see what is appropriate for your child. Thank you for your support with this matter.

<https://parentzone.org.uk/article/how-old-does-your-child-have-be>

Covid cases in school appear to be settling down which is a great relief to us all. We will continue to monitor this carefully. We await further Government and Local Authority guidance, but for now will keep our current procedures exactly as they have been this half term. This includes families and visitors wearing face coverings on the school premises and all staff wearing face coverings in communal areas and on the school corridors. Covid has brought a great deal of challenge this half term, and I thank all our staff for their ongoing resilience and amazing effort.

A reminder of our weekend and holiday Covid reporting procedures. Please report a positive case by;

- Sending a private message to the 'on call' member of SLT on class Dojo
- Emailing the covid watch inbox on lcecovid@thewings.org.uk

Please DO NOT contact your child's class teacher on Dojo their accounts are set to silence over half term so that they can enjoy well-deserved time with their families and loved ones.

Covid-watch staff on call this weekend and over half term: **Mrs Oxborough**

Covid-watch staff on call next weekend: **Mrs Hughes**

School closes today at the usual time for half term. We look forward to welcoming back all children on Monday 28th February.

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Have a wonderful half term break with your amazing children. As always, thank you for your continued support.

Take care and keep safe,

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