Head Teachers: Mrs Claire Harrison Mrs Lynn Guy



Leftwich Community Primary School Old Hall Road Leftwich Cheshire CW9 8DH

Tel: 01606 800305 Email: admin@leftwichprimary. cheshire.sch.uk

Friday 21st April 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you've had a good break over Easter and have enjoyed the sunshine! As we move into our final term of Year 4, we wanted to remind you of a few things and share our plans with you.

Staff organisation in Year 4 will remain the same this term: Mrs Scott will teach the class on Mondays and Tuesdays, Miss Heath on Thursdays and Fridays and Wednesdays will be alternated. Mrs Akers and Miss Bevan will continue to teach on Wednesday afternoons. Miss Danielles will be our teaching assistant on Mondays and Tuesdays, and Mrs Lyndsay from Wednesday to Friday. All the children worked hard and progressed well last term and we are sure that continuity of staff will enable them to continue to do so during summer term too.

Our 15-minute break time remains at 10.30am and lunch is at 12.15pm. If your child wishes to purchase a snack at morning break, this can be paid for via your Parent Pay account. School dinners are still ordered at morning registration and children may choose to bring a healthy snack and/or packed lunch if they prefer. Both playgrounds are available to all children during morning break and at lunchtime staff facilitate OPAL play, which has been a great success!

Year 4 will continue to do P.E. on a Monday and Wednesday afternoon and children should wear school P.E. kit ALL DAY. Miss Danielles is running Forest School on a Wednesday afternoon and is taking 4 children from our class each week. She is doing this in register order and, a few days before their turn, your child will bring a letter home detailing what is needed for the session. Some children have already taken part in this.

Homework expectations remain the same as last term:

- Read for the Stars has encouraged regular reading at home for most children, with prizes being awarded weekly for the majority of the class. As discussed at parents' evening, it is very important that children read at least 3 times a week and discuss what they have read with you.
- Our Top Ten Challenge has not been quite as popular. Children only have 1 term left to complete this, so now is the time for a final push!
- TTRS is really important, what with the upcoming test, so please remind your child of this.
- Mathletics homework is still set on a Friday, to be completed for the following Friday.
  Certificates are awarded for children who complete all the tasks set.

The Times Table Test will take place in June and our Wednesday evening club is well attended. This is really lovely to see, as the children's confidence is growing and recall is getting quicker!

We cannot believe that we are heading towards the end of the year with your children! We are tremendously proud of the progress they have made and growing up they have done since they started with us in the September of Year 3. We hope that summer term is equally as successful for them, but please do speak to us with any queries or concerns that may arise.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Scott and Miss Heath

## Dates for your diary:

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May: Bank Holiday

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May: King Charles III Coronation Bank Holiday

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June: First day of Times Table Test assessment window

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June: Sports Day

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June: INSET Day - school closed to children

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> - Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July: Science Week

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July: School Closes for summer