



Lee Brigg Infant & Nursery School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

What can I say? What a busy half term it has been. I am really pleased with how well the children have all settled into their new classes and are already showing super progress in their learning. We hope that you enjoyed hearing all about their achievements at our parent's evenings this week.

Please remember that we are starting our 'Learning Journey' sessions after half term. A letter will follow to explain how you can sign up to one of our weekly meetings with the class teachers, where your child can show you their work and achievements from now until the end of the year.

School Photographs

Just a reminder that the photographer is in school on Tuesday 31st October. She will be taking individual or family photographs of the children. If you have any **younger** children who you would like on the photograph, the photographer will be in school from **8.00 a.m. until 9.00 a.m.** to take these photographs. This will be on a queuing system basis.

Reading Raffle

We have drawn our first reading raffle of the year. The children whose raffle tickets were pulled out of the jar received a prize for their efforts with their reading at home. We will be continuing this popular competition next half term, so it is not too late for the children to win a prize – they just need to continue to practise their reading with an adult at home at least three times a week.

Mrs Barrett

We are sorry to announce that Mrs Barrett will be leaving Lee Brigg Infant and Nursery school today, to start a new role in higher education. We sincerely wish her all the best of luck and best wishes for the future. We would like to thank her for all of her hard work on behalf of colleagues and children who she has worked with during her time at the school.

School Holidays

School breaks up today for half term and we reopen on Monday 30th October. The dates of the school holidays, as well as the planned INSET days, can now be found on the school website. Just to clarify, as many parents have already asked, we break up for the summer next year on Friday 20th July.

Poppy Appeal

We have a selection of Poppy items on sale in the school office including wristbands, snap bands, reflectors and friendship bracelets.

New School Menu

New menu – our winter menu will see a number of exciting new meals. Sandwiches will return for the summer! We will continue to send out the school menu each week as part of the newsletter. At the start of term we should also be able to send home the new menus which will show you what will be available per day for each of the 3 week rotation.



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Next week's menu is as follows:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Pork Sausages	Beef and Onion Pie	Roast Chicken	Beef Lasagne	Fish Fingers
Cheese Savoury	Neapolitan Pasta	Vegetable Curry	Margarita Pizza	Vegetarian Pasta Bolognese
Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayo	Jacket Potato with Cheese	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans	Jacket Potato with Tuna and Sweetcorn	Jacket Potato with Cheese and Coleslaw

Stars of the Week

Every week two children from each class are nominated as **Stars of the Week** in recognition of their hard work, achievement and progress. Our stars of the week this week are:



Tiger class:	Muhammed	For fantastic dance and movement in PE.
Tiger class:	Philippa	For making a fantastic clay pot.
Lion class:	Mason	For trying his best to write numbers.
Lion class:	Riley	For learning to read all his phase 2 and 3 words.
Leopard class:	Emma	For trying to read a little bit louder.
Leopard class:	Samuel	For beginning to start his writing at the side of the page.
Jaguar class:	Freya	For being brave and settling in well at her new school.
Jaguar class:	Tommy	For trying his hardest at everything he does.
Panther class:	Ewan	For a fantastic piece of character description work.
Panther class:	Logan	For a fantastic clay pot in art.

Attendance – School target 96.5%

Congratulations to everyone in **Lions** class for achieving the highest-class attendance this week.

This week's class attendance figures are:

- 95.2% in Tiger class
- **100% in Lion class**
- 95.3% in Leopard class
- 97.3% in Jaguar class
- 99.3% in Panther class

Our school attendance figure is 97.9%

Yours sincerely

Sarah Gordon – Headteacher



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