



Lea Endowed CE Primary School
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Our theme this half term is **PEACE**



Please try to take the opportunity to come in and see our beautiful new Hall display which every class in school has helped to create. It is based on a verse in the Bible which encourages us to use our minds to think about the things in our world that are true, noble, honest, just, pure, lovely, commendable, excellent and worthy of praise. Our children's minds are so very precious.

At Lea Endowed we want every child to have a happy and healthy mind. By encouraging them to fill their minds with all that is positive, good and wholesome, we will hopefully help them to cope with life's difficulties and challenges, both now, and in their adult lives.

Mrs Seagrave's Good Manners Award

Congratulations to Alyssa Lyon-Hardiker who won my good manners award last week. Alyssa always shows excellent manners and is kind and polite. She is a very quiet member of our school family who shines unobtrusively around school - we are very proud of you, Alyssa - well done.

Online Safety Workshop for Parents - Please see separate letter for more information on this great opportunity to keep up to date with how to stay one step ahead of your child and their safe use of technology. Please note this is taking place at **St Andrew's school on Tuesday 16th May at 2pm**. I am conscious that this is not a convenient time for many working parents, but I wanted to offer the chance, for those who are available, since it has been brought to my attention.

Sports for Schools

Next Friday we will be having a launch of our Sport for Schools visit, which includes a sponsored circuit training session for all children and a visit from Craig McCann, a member of the GB Paralympic fencing team (please see separate letter for more information and sponsor form, which will be sent home next week).

School Bus

If your child normally catches the bus, please inform school if alternative arrangements have been made for your child to get home. This is for obvious Health and Safety reasons.

Head lice Alert

I caught head lice as a child and my own children caught them too (several times!) So I realise that it can be extremely frustrating and time-consuming as a parent to keep having to treat your child. Head lice however, in some classes, and for some children, is becoming a serious concern. **When children are left untreated, over a period of time, it becomes a form of neglect.** If **ALL PARENTS** treat the problem thoroughly and repeat the process after 7 days, we should see a big impact on removing the issue from school. I understand that children play and interact with children from other schools but this is not a reason to leave children with an infestation. Please contact your doctor or pharmacy if you would like further help or advice. Alternatively I can arrange for one of our school nurses to offer advice, either in school, or on the phone.

Figaro the Cat Detective

During our Extreme Reading Week, the children's author, Barry Durham came into school to read his latest book. Excitingly, he asked some of our children to provide all the illustrations. "Figaro the Cat Detective and the Great Cheese Robbery" is out on Kindle and available from Amazon for £1.99. Here's a link https://www.amazon.co.uk/Figaro-Detective-Great-Cheese-Robbery-ebook/dp/B072HDPW7J/ref=sr_1_9?s=books&ie=UTF8&qid=1493020889&sr=1-9&keywords=barry+durham

Thank you for your continued support,

CM Seagrave

