

LIME ACADEMY WATERGALL NEWS

Message from the Headteacher

Dear parents and carers,

As we enter the final week before the half-term holiday, I would like to thank you all for your continued support in our journey to improve outcomes for your children. I was again impressed with the number of parents that attended our year 6 parent information afternoon. Thanks to Mrs Wilson and Miss Billington for arranging this.

Attendance has improved slightly over the last 2 weeks; however it is still below where we would like it to be. Please do contact the school if there is an issue in bringing your child to school so that we can support you. Likewise with punctuality – we begin our morning maths lessons straight after registration, so it is important that all pupils are in on time.

Pupil targets for the next half-term will be sent home at the end of next week. Please review these with your child so that you can better support them at home. Curriculum overviews are available for each year group on our website limeacademywatergall.london.

I hope you have a good weekend.

Mr Reynolds
Interim Headteacher

EVENTS AND VISITS

Half term – Monday 12 th February – Friday 16 th February
Year 4 – Banham Zoo 22 nd February
Year 5 - Escape Monday 5 th March
Year 6 - Residential payments due Friday 4 th May

ATTENDANCE CONGRATULATIONS

Week commencing 29/01/2018

Whole school attendance:

92.16%

Best Class attendance:

4VA

96.72% attendance!

Celebrating Punctuality

3FR for 100%!

Lowest number of late marks

2EWS and 4VA

Attendance Prize Draw

Each term the school are giving children the chance to be put into a prize draw. Children who have 100% attendance for the term are put into a prize draw to win a hamper. Last term's hamper was packed with stationery goodies!

Collection from School

If there is a change in who will be collecting your child from school and it is someone who is not on your child's collection list, please inform the class teacher at the start of the day. If this is not possible and you need to call the office, please do this before 2pm.

Thank you.

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Message from the Deputy Headteacher

Dear Parents and Carers,

A big well done to the children for undertaking their assessments last week with enthusiasm and determination. These show that there has been a large improvement in children's knowledge and understanding.

Thank you to the Year 5 parents who attended the meeting last Tuesday regarding SATs preparations and how to support the children's learning.

I am also very happy that many of our Year 6 parents attended our SATs information evening this week. I hope that parents found this useful and are now aware of the standard that children are expected to reach by May.

We have had a new delivery of Dojo prizes for children who have earned lots of Dojo points this week. I look forward to seeing the children who have shown excellent behaviour and work ethic.

I hope that you have a lovely weekend!

Best wishes,
Ellie Metcalf

Middy Supervisors

We currently have vacancies for Middy Supervisors. If you are interested in the position please call into the school office for an application form.

Uniform

Please ensure that all school uniform is named. Missing jumper and cardigans are hard to reunite with pupils if they do not have a child's name in them.

News from Year 4

This term, 4LR and 4VA have been enjoying their Science topic of Living Things and habitats. We have been learning how to classify animals and plants as well as investigate how they have adapted to their surroundings. They have spent time birdwatching in the forest area, however the children have particularly enjoyed collecting and classifying leaves to create some superb information posters.



Parent Governors

We currently have a vacancy for a parent governors. This is a fantastic opportunity for you to become involved in working with the school and Lime Trust to help us on our journey of school improvement. We are looking for people who have a range of skills, please call into the school office to register your interest.