



**Week beginning: 6.2.26**

It has been a wonderful week at Leesons with football tournaments, trips to museums, Chinese New Year celebrations, Numbers Day and staff training. We have one more week until half term and it is another exciting one to come. Have a lovely weekend.

*The Leesons Team*

**Attendance and Punctuality**

Our attendance and punctuality for this week can be seen in the table below.

<b>Class</b>	<b>Attendance (%)</b>	<b>Punctuality (number of lates)</b>
Little Orchard	94.4%	4
Hedgehog	91.3%	8
Robin	95.56%	9
Owl	89.29%	3
Woodpecker	96%	10
Kingfisher	97.5%	1
Badger	97.73%	4
Fox	85.91%	4
Rabbit	95.65%	3
Mole	96.96%	3
Starling	95.71%	3
Otter	86.5%	6
Stag	81.5%	0
Kestrel	90%	1

Well done to Badger Class who won Leo the Attendance Bear and the Attendance cup this week!

Well done to the following class who won the Punctuality cup this week -Kestrel!

Both the attendance and punctuality winners will get an additional ten minutes play time.

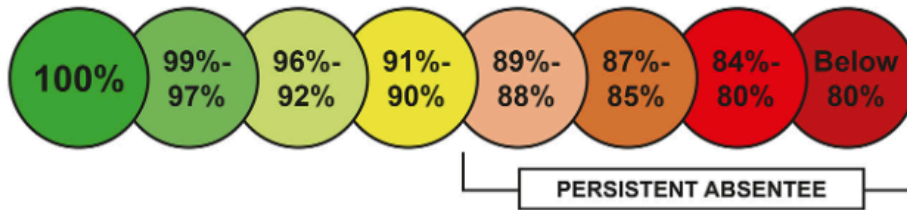
Well done to Kingfisher Class for winning the Walk to School Award.



Attendance

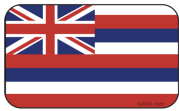
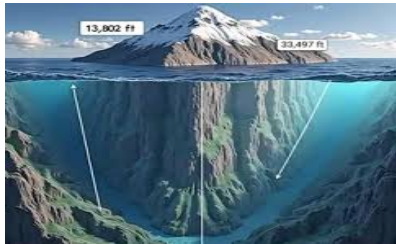
# ATTENDANCE MATTERS

On Time: First Time, Every Time



## Which CIRCLE are you in?

### Language of the week

Flag	Language	Country	Greeting	Picture
	Hawaiian	Hawaii	Aloha	

Mauna Kea in Hawaii is the world's tallest mountain when measured from its underwater base to its peak, totalling over 10,210 meters (33,500 feet), which is significantly taller than Mount Everest's 8,848.86-meter elevation above sea level. Over half of the dormant volcano lies beneath the Pacific Ocean, and its summit frequently receives snow despite its tropical location.

### Oracy Talk Topic

At home, we would like you to pick an evening that is convenient and come together as a family to discuss the 'Talk Topic'. In order to ensure that your child participates in high-quality talk, please remember to play devil's advocate during the discussion. Your




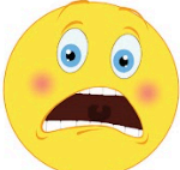














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child should not only be given the opportunity to agree and build on other viewpoints, but also challenge/disagree, explain and justify.

The 'Talk Topic' for this week is the following: **If the sky rained food, what food would it be?**

### Word Aware

Please discuss these words with your child at home and see if any of you can use them in conversation this week.

EYFS and Key Stage 1	Key Stage 2				
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### Book of the week

Have you been enjoying our mystery readers this week in class? Here is another one for you to guess. Let us know who you think it is in the comments on Dojo or instagram.

- 👑 The lion, the witch and the wardrobe.mp4



### Maths Challenge

EYFS & KS1

KS2

#### Counting Eggs Challenge

Three hens laid 19 eggs in total.

Each hen laid an odd number of eggs. How many eggs did each hen lay?

Find different ways the hens could have done this.



### Science

Find out some amazing facts about a famous Scientist

[Nikola Tesla - Kids](#) | [Britannica Kids](#) | [Homework Help](#)

### E-safety

#### Junior Duke

The following children have completed tasks in their Junior Duke booklets.

Name	Year	Task
Oliwia	Robin	Reading

### Highlights of the week

Nursery- Little Orchards





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We are thrilled to unveil our newly transformed **Outdoor Learning Area!** This space has been redesigned to act as a vibrant extension of our classroom, directly supporting our curriculum through hands-on exploration.



Year 4 had great fun (as part of their PSHE lesson) working in teams to create the funniest Mr Potato Head! They had to work together to decide who will ask for resources, who would be builders and who would write the description. The final vote saw Mr Ugly Potato being voted the funniest!

### What's on?

Week 6 2 Greenwich University Students Children's Mental Health Week	
Monday - 09.02.26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3pm assembly</li> <li>•</li> </ul>
Tuesday - 10.02.26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Individual School Photos</li> <li>• Yr 4 bmx @ Hobblingwell (2 groups - 9:45 - 10:45 + 11-12)</li> <li>• Safer Internet Day</li> <li>• 3pm - Assembly - What's in the news</li> </ul>
Wednesday - 11.02.26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yr 5&amp;6 Boccia - TBC</li> <li>• Scootsure Y2</li> </ul>
Thursday - 12.02.26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Singing assemblies</li> </ul>
Friday - 13.02.26	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 2.45pm - Celebration assembly</li> <li>• Class assembly - Year 1 Parents in at 2.30 for input first (RWI)</li> </ul>

**16th - Lithuanian Independence Day**

**17th - Vietnamese Lunar New Year**

**Half Term - Monday 16th February 2026 - Friday 20th February 2026**



Menu

## Leeson's Primary School WEEKLY MENU

WEEK 1  
WEEK 2  
WEEK 3

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	THEME DAYS
<b>MAIN</b>	BBQ Glazed Chicken Wrap (G/W)	Beef & Lentil Bolognese Pasta Bake (MK, G/B*, W*)	Chicken Pie with Gravy (MK, G/B, W)	Chicken Kebab with Pitta (G/W)	Battered Fish & Chips (F, G/B*, W)	Kid Inventors DAY
<b>VEGGIE</b>	BBQ Glazed Quorn Wrap & Wedges (E, G/W)	Mac & Cheese (MK, G/W)	Roasted Root Vegetable Pie with Gravy (CE, G/W)	Vegetable Kebab with Pitta (G/W)	Veggie Sausage Roll & Chips (MK*, SO, G/B*, O*, W)	CHINESE NEW YEAR
<b>SIDES</b>	Carrots & Green Beans	Mixed Green Salad	Rustic Roast Potatoes with Roasted Carrots & Parsnips	Homemade Potato Wedges & Green Salad	Beans or Peas	WORLD DAY
<b>PASTA &amp; JACKET</b>	Vegan Roasted Vegetable Pasta (G/W)	Jacket Potato & Salad	Tomato & Basil Pasta (CE, G/W)	Jacket Potato & Salad	Mac & Cheese (MK, G/W)	HAPPY EASTER
<b>PUD</b>	Sprinkle Sponge Cake & Custard (E, MK, SO*, G/W)	Yoghurt (MK)	Lemon Drizzle Cake (E, MK, SO*, SU, G/W)	Yoghurt (MK)	Iced Vanilla Sponge with Custard (E, MK, SO*, G/W)	

DAILY SALAD BAR | HOMEMADE BREAD | FRESH FRUIT

**DATES**  
19 JAN / 09 FEB  
09 MAR /

**ALLERGENS**

CE = CELERY    F = FISH    G/O = OATS    L = LUPIN    MU = MUSTARD    SO = SOYA    \* = MAY CONTAIN  
 CR = CRUSTACEAN    G = GLUTEN    G/R = RYE    MK = MILK    N = NUTS    SU = SULPHUR    † = VEGAN  
 E = EGGS    G/B = BARLEY    G/W = WHEAT    NO = MOLLUSCS    P = PEANUTS    SE = SESAME SEEDS    ‡ = SEASONAL VEG

**Olivel**  
food with passion

After half term:

# CHINESE NEW YEAR

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**CHICKEN CHOW MEIN**  
(E, SO, G/W)

**VEGETABLE STIR FRY NOODLES WITH BROCCOLI & BABY CORN**  
(E, SO, G/W)

**PINEAPPLE FRIED RICE**  
(SO, G/W)

**CARAMEL BANANA CAKE SERVED WITH CUSTARD**  
(E, MK, SO\*, G/W)

JOIN US FOR LUNCH ON THE 24<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2026