

The children with us all day are thoroughly enjoying the school lunches. If your child has a packed lunch due to children with allergies please be mindful about what they contain. If your child eats grapes, please remember to cut them in half and place in a named container.

Please bring in extra clothing for your child in a clearly labelled material bag, just in case they need changing. Thank you.

If your child has borrowed some items of clothing from Nursery, please return items washed as soon as you can. Thank you.

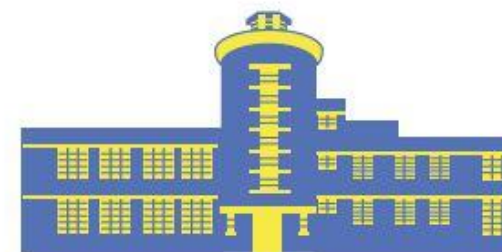
Dates to remember:

Date	Event
Wednesday 28 th February and Thursday 29 th February	Parent consultation meetings
Thursday 7 th March	World Book Day
Monday 11 th March- Friday 15 th March	Science week
Friday 15 th March	Comic Relief- Red Nose Day
Wednesday 27 th March	Easter bonnet competition
Thursday 28 th March	Break up for Easter Holidays (2pm Finish)
Tuesday 16 th April	Nursery re-opens

Don't forget to keep checking on our school X page, for photographs of school activities and sporting events that take place this year.



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LADY BANKES
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Nursery Newsletter

Spring Term 2024

Edition 4

Dear Lady Bankes families,

I hope you and your family had a lovely half term holiday. The children have settled back in to Nursery with ease and are becoming more confident and independent during their sessions which is lovely to see. They are choosing their own activities and playing with purpose and enjoyment. The nursery children are very enthusiastic in their learning and the Nursery is a joyful place to be! Please check the dates of nursery events and more details are given in this newsletter. Do check the school website too.

Thank you, Mrs. Cowley

Dear Lady Bankes families and Nursery children,

Our new key question for this half term is 'What is happening in the world around me?' So far, the children have been learning about...

- Owl Babies by Martin Waddell
- Our families

Over the following weeks we will be covering...

- Our Nursery School
- Our Home
- Our Pets



Nursery home learning:

- To taste new fruits
- To size order different objects
- To trace over the letters in their name
- To use their imagination when playing with their small world toys related to our topic
- To sing Spring time songs and nursery rhymes e.g. 5 Little Ducks, 5 Green Speckled Frogs etc
- Encourage your child to be a 'Phonics Detective': Play the game 'I hear with My Little Ear'. Take it in turns to imitate the sound of something and guess what makes that sound. You could imitate the sounds of things found around your house, like a clock or telephone or of recognisable animals, like a pet dog or cat.

Please put your child's work in their home learning journal, so that they can talk about their achievements at news time.

Some exciting events this half term include:

- World Book Day: The children can dress up a book character. Please encourage your child to bring a copy of the book so that they can show it to their friends.
- Science Week is from 11th to 15th March. Nursery children are encouraged to do simple scientific experiments at home. Visit the website: britishscienceweek.org for ideas.

School diary dates are available on the website.

If you have any unwanted alarm clocks, keys, purses/wallets, baking trays, bedding plants or bags of soil then please donate to nursery as we are looking for real items to support the children's learning in the role-play and outdoor areas. Thank you. It will be much appreciated.

Reminders:

Nursery sessions are 8.30am-11.30am/ 12.15pm-3.15pm. Please bring in your child at their starting times, as the gates are locked up promptly for security reasons. Thank you for your co-operation.

Please ensure that all your child's belongings, particularly uniform, are clearly labelled as written names can fade with time.