



# Longwood Lingo

Nurture today—Flourish tomorrow

## Sports Days .....

Over the last week, the children across all of the year groups have taken part in Sports Day events on their regular P.E days. Although this is not the traditional style of Sports Day that we are all used to and look forward to every year, the children certainly showed their competitive spirit in each year group.



They all had so much fun, taking part in races such as running, egg and spoon, sack race and many more. Pictures of this years Sports Days can be viewed on the our school Facebook page.

Well done to all of our children, they are all winners!



## PTA Event

The last day of term (Thursday 22nd October 2020) will be a non-uniform day.



For a £1 donation, pupils can come to school in their own clothes or fancy dress (due to Covid-19 restrictions please **DO NOT** send any accessories as we have to limit items coming into school). The £1 donation is to be paid on Parent Pay before Tuesday 22nd October).

Children who have paid for the cancelled Easter Egg hunt will take part in an Autumn Hunt – find pumpkin and seasonal vegetable pictures around the school grounds. Pupils who collect a full basket of fruit and vegetable pictures will get a reward.

Some of the lunch time puddings will have Autumn themed decorations.



## Important Dates

### Autumn Term 2020

Last Day in school	Thursday 22nd October
First Day Back	Monday 2nd November
Last Day in school	Friday 18th December

### Spring Term 2021

First Day back	Tuesday 5th January
Last day in school	Friday 12th February
First day back	Monday 22nd Feb
Last day in school	Thursday 1st April

### Summer Term 2021

First day back	Tuesday 20th April
Bank Holiday (school closed)	Monday 3rd May
Last day in school	Friday 28th May
First day back	Tuesday 8th June
Last day in school	Wednesday 21st July

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If your child is unwell, but isn't displaying any of the three coronavirus symptoms, there's no need to book a test.

After they've recovered, they can return straight back to school.

If your child has:  
a runny nose, is sneezing or feeling unwell  
But they don't have:  
• a high temperature  
• a new, continuous cough, or  
• a loss of, or change in, sense of smell or taste

These are not normally symptoms of coronavirus

Seek advice from a pharmacy, dial 111 or see your GP

If your child has:  
• a high temperature  
• a new, continuous cough, or  
• a loss of, or change in, sense of smell or taste

This could be a sign of coronavirus

Book a test



Halloween 2020 might be a bit different this year and trick or treating as we know it will be off the cards. But we can still have loads of spooky fun!

This Halloween let's all join together to create The Big Neighbourhood Pumpkin Trail! Stick a pumpkin in your window or outside your home - a real one, plastic, painted....whatever you like! Together we can create one giant pumpkin trail in our local areas and children can see how many they can spot over Halloween weekend!



Congratulations to this weeks winner Mrs Field. To join the school lottery, go to

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/>

21/09/20 WEEKLY

ATTENDANCE %

Rec/Y1	92.8	SERIOUS CONCERN
Y1/Y2	99.56	EXCELLENT
Year 3	90.0	SERIOUS CONCERN
Year 4	93.5	CONCERN
Year 5	90.31	SERIOUS CONCERN
Year 6	94.8	GOOD

## Weather

As the weather is now much cooler than it was, please remember to send your child to school with appropriate coats/rain coats.



## Coronavirus (Covid-19)

There are three simple actions we must all do to keep on protecting each other

- **Wash Hands** keep washing your hands regularly
- **Cover Face** wear a face covering in enclosed spaces
- **Make Space** stay at least 2m apart—or 1 metre with a face covering or other precautions

For further information go to: <https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

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