

# Luddendenfoot Academy

## Newsletter

“Be all you can be”

NEWSLETTER – w/c 02.11.20

### Whole School Attendance

W/c 03.11.20

	Attendance	Punctuality
1 <sup>st</sup>	Y2 – 100%	99.6%
	Y3 – 100%	100%
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Rec – 99.1%	100%
	Y1- 99.1%	100%
	Y6 – 99.1%	100%
6 <sup>th</sup>	Y5 – 98.1%	100%
7 <sup>th</sup>	Y4 – 98%	99.5%

**Government national average is 96%**

Thank you to everyone who has been at school every day and on time.

We had 5 classes with 100% punctuality!

Well Done!

### Parents evening arrangements

Unfortunately, we are unable to hold our autumn parents evenings in school. Instead teachers will be making arrangements with parents/carers on an individual basis to have either a telephone or Teams meeting to discuss your child's progress. These meetings will take place weeks commencing the 23<sup>rd</sup> or 30<sup>th</sup> November. Your class teacher will be in touch shortly to make the arrangements.

### School Council – Marybeth Y2

*‘My mum has filled a jar full of jelly beans. It is 50p a go to guess how much is in the jar. Give your 50p to your class teacher. Good Luck the winner will get the beans!’* The winner will be revealed on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November.

### MIRROR Honour Awards 06.11.20

	Pupil	For Characteristic trait
FR	Estella S	Open minded
Y1	Bobby P	Respectful
Y2	Heath R	Integrity
Y3	Daphne B	Resilience
Y4	Poppy K	Motivation
Y5	Lucas S	Integrity
Y6	Ellie C	Motivation

**Dates so far...**

**Please keep checking for updates**

### November

2<sup>nd</sup> Teacher training day

3<sup>rd</sup> School reopens

10<sup>th</sup> – Nasal Flu vaccination (am)

**13<sup>th</sup> Children in Need - dress down day**

16<sup>th</sup> – Individual photographs (Tempest).

Unfortunately due to Covid restrictions, we will not be able to offer external siblings photographs.

### Children in Need

In support of Children in Need we will be hosting a dress down day on **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> November** for £1 donation. Children can come to school wearing their favourite clothes. Unfortunately due to the current restrictions children should not bring extra items in such as teddies etc.





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## Signpost for support

If your employment or financial circumstances have been affected due to the pandemic you may be eligible to claim FSM for your child. If your child is in Rec/Y1/Y2 you can still make an application, so that if eligible you will still receive support in the event of school closure. Please email:

[c.roberts@brighterfuturesmat.org.uk](mailto:c.roberts@brighterfuturesmat.org.uk) to request an application form.

## Calderdale Communities Matter Project (CCMP)

Can provide help for working families, furloughed families, couples, single people, unemployed, people isolating with the delivery of food parcels.

They take referrals from schools, social services, young carers, FIT workers, the council hub and private referrals too. For more information contact No: 07518628744. If you would like school to refer on your behalf, which will be done in the strictest confidence, please speak to Mrs. Greenwood.

**Polite reminder** – it is school’s policy that dogs are not allowed on school premises. Thank you for your anticipated co-operation.

## PTFA news...

- The Halloween Discos raised £334, and with the PTFA match funding the total amount raised is £668.00. Thank you for your support.
- Our Christmas celebrations will be different this year. Santa will be visiting via satellite and parties will be in class bubbles. Our Christmas Fayre has had to be cancelled and it is one of our main fundraising events. This year we are teaming up with the staff and children to produce hand crafted Christmas cards. A variety pack of 6 cards for £3. All proceeds will be going towards the purchase of IT equipment for the school. We hope you can support us. Please order your cards via your child’s class teacher or on Class Dojo.
- PTFA are now registered with easyfundraising, which means you can raise FREE donations for us every time you shop online. You can find our easyfundraising page at: [https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/luddendenfootacademyptfa/?utm\\_campaign=raise-more&utm\\_content=gs-e1](https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/luddendenfootacademyptfa/?utm_campaign=raise-more&utm_content=gs-e1)

## *Each week we will be sharing what activities a particular class has been doing, this week – Y5*

We have had a busy start to Year 5! We have learnt all about the planets and history of space travel and even created some wonderful painted planets using marble inks, followed up by learning all about inspirational figures in Black History, experimenting with paper to create strong bridges that might withstand an earthquake and we have even made some Remembrance Sunday bookmarks.

