

## **HEADTEACHER'S BLOG**

We are delighted to announce that Doncaster Stories – a National Literacy Trust organisation – has chosen to highlight Lakeside Primary Academy because of the amazing work we do for Reading and Reading for Pleasure especially. A film crew recently attended school and filmed staff and children discussing their reading choices and what is available to them in school to support reading. A big thank you to Mrs Austwick and Mrs Marr from the English team and to all the other brilliant staff and pupils who appear in the video. We will shortly be putting a link to the film on the website and via social media. We have invested a great deal of time, training and money in developing Reading at Lakeside. Some of this has been to develop children's enjoyment in Reading via the Young Readers Programme events with authors and book fairs. But also, we have developed the way Reading is taught in school through a consistent approach to guided reading and Read, Write Inc. Phonics and Reading Plus - both these programmes are proven highly effective ways to improve children's reading skills. We have also bought and continue to buy lots of new books for the children to enjoy. If you want to speak to someone in school about your child's reading please contact the class teacher or a member of the English team.

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### **REMINDERS**

The Rainbow Connections Choir Concert unfortunately has been rescheduled for 4th July 2022.

Your child may be entitled to Free School Meals if you are in receipt of some benefits or support. If you think you may be eligible, please apply at:

https://www.doncaster.gov.uk/services/schools/free-school-meals

# THE COMMUNITY HUB

17/01/22

07/02/22 Family Forest

School 1pm—

3pm

Community 10/02/22 Action Day

AFCL ESOL

Enjoy making a bird feeder—£2 per

family—Booking info

to follow shortly.

Working with the Local Police, Stronger Communities & Other Support

Services— Information to follow shortly

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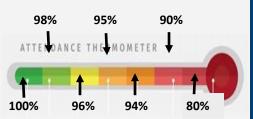
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# NEWSLETTER

## **ATTENDANCE**

Class	% Attendance			
Nursery	97.2%			
Reception	93.9%			
1/2 JD	91.7%			
1/2 RB	98.4%			
2 RP	97.2%			
3/4 AA	90.9%			
3/4 JV	94.3%			
4 AW	92.1%			
4 KM	96 %			
5 NS	94.1%			
5 MC	95 %			
6 RC	98.1%			
6 NW	91.5%			
Whole School	94.6%			



#### READING

Here at Lakeside we highly value reading for pleasure. Reading for pleasure opens up new worlds for children. It gives them the opportunity to use their imagination and explore new ideas, visit new places and meet new characters. At Lakeside, to promote reading, we have enjoyed Reading Café mornings, "Booknics" on the field in summer and visits to our local library. Our school library is a cosy and inviting space, which is enjoyed by children throughout school. During lunchtimes our Y6 children buddy up with KS1 children to read together and we have book clubs where children can discuss different stories they have read. The benefits of reading are far reaching, children who read are generally more happier and sociable and confident in themselves. So, what are you waiting for? Get cosy and grab a good book!



## **FANTASTIC FISH**

Class	Award			
1/2 JD	Adel A			
1/2 RB	Shoaib H			
2 RP	Beatrice M			
3/4 AA	Ahad W			
3/4 JV	Malak T			
4 AW	Theo C-M			
4 KM	Charlie-Carol B			
5 NS	Rozan F			
5 MC	Viktoria T			
6 RC	Seher T			
	Amy K			
6 NW	Amina N			

17th—21st January 2022	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
Red	Cheese & Onion Roll	Shepherds Pie and Gravy	Roast Gammon with Pineapple and Gravy	Beef Burger in a Bun	Fish Fingers and Chips		
Green	Vegetarian Bolognese	Vegetarian Meatballs	_	Quorn Burger in a Bap	Vegetable Fingers		
Blue	Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayo	Tuna Sandwich	Cheese Sandwich	Jacket Potato with Cheese and Bean	Egg Sandwich		
Bread Available Daily - Fruit Available Everyday							

Safeguarding children is everyone's responsibility. If you have any concerns, please telephone 01302 737777.

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