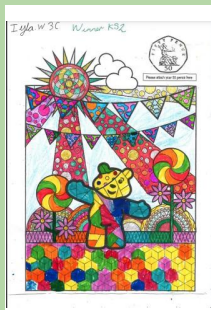
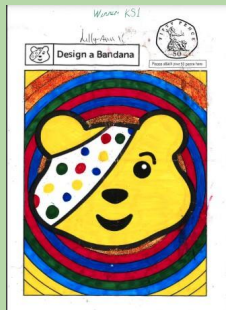




Dear Parents/Carers,

What a wonderful week it has been at London Meed. We held our Open Day sessions for prospective parents for next year's intake. I was incredibly proud to show off our school. Parents walked into every classroom and were greeted by friendly, hard working children who were happy to share their learning. Several of our Year 6 pupils conducted tours around the school and answered any questions that parents had. They really were fantastic ambassadors and showed values at their best. This week, Mr Terrill and I have been dropping into classrooms looking at teaching and learning. We were so impressed with the quality of work being produced and the enthusiasm our children have for their learning.



Last week's Children in Need colouring competition winners were Iyla 3C and Lilly-Ann 2DJ who received a sketch book and gel pens prize. Thank you to all those children who entered; we raised a fantastic £448!

We are very much looking forward to our Christmas Fair on Saturday. This will be the first one since December 2019 and we can not wait to welcome our community to this event. Every penny raised will benefit the children in some way.

Congratulations go to this week's "Super Staff" winners - Mrs Hedley, Mrs Cox, Mr Terrill and myself.

Have a good weekend!

Natalie Langtree

Head teacher



Online Safety

A free online safety guide on what parents need to know about Youtube Kids.

If you haven't done so already, to create your Online Safety account, please follow

<https://nationalonlinesafety.com/enrol/london-meed-community-primary-school> and complete your details.

When you're set up, you'll be able to set 'Parent/Carer' as your user type.

You can access National Online Safety online via any device- including via the brand-new smartphone app. To download the app, please go to: <https://apps.apple.com/gb/app/national-online-safety/id1530342372>

<https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?id=uk.co.nationaleducationgroup.nos>

Alternatively, search for 'National Online Safety' in the App Store/Google Play Store.



London Meed Hero Awards

Name of Child	Class	Reason
Charlie B.	6B	For working carefully in Maths when multiplying and dividing fractions and for always trying his hardest in all the subjects. Keep it up, Charlie!
Harvey BB	6K	For having such a resilient attitude to your learning this week. You have remained focussed and hard working throughout this week and should be very proud.
Alex S	5D	For displaying resilience when writing a leaflet persuading people to go onto 'the Titanic' that was full of features from the success criteria such as: hyphenated words, modal verbs and deals and bargains. Keep up all your hard work, Alex!
Albie K	5S	For showing resilience and independence when writing, producing an exciting persuasive leaflet.
Finley S	4P	For consistently working hard and having a positive attitude.
Lola	4O	For working to the best of her ability and being always willing to challenge herself and setting a great example to others.
Elliot	3M	For writing a fantastic narrative in English using fronted adverbials, power of 3 and expanded noun phrases.
Molly-Rose	3C	For showing resilience and perseverance whilst reading. You have made fantastic progress already this term.
Theo M	2DJ	For working so hard on his hand made costume for our Fabulous Finish. Well done!
Abigail	2M	For using reasoning to solve mathematical problems and helping her class community by sharing her ideas.
Iona T	1S	For demonstrating the school value of respect when on the carpet. She models good sitting, good listening and good thinking.
Merlin	1W	For working exceptionally hard in his writing and doing beautiful letter formation in his alternative ending of The Three Little Pigs.



Year 2 Fabulous Finish

Year 2 celebrated the end of their topic on 'Turrets and Tiaras' by having a Fabulous Festival. We made our own board games and wrote instructions to go alongside this and we learnt a song and dance to perform to the opposite class. We had a fantastic time and the children looked amazing!



Music with Ann Dudding at London Meed for KS2 children

We are really lucky to have the fabulous music teacher Mrs Ann Dudding offering music lessons in woodwind and piano/keyboard at London Meed. She is increasing her days teaching 1:1/group lessons after Christmas.

It's not too late to sign your child up for lessons for Spring Term. Lessons in saxophone, flute, clarinet and piano/keyboard are available to our KS2 children. Parents/carers can hire instruments from West Sussex Music or Ackermans rather than having to buy them.

<https://www.westsussexmusic.co.uk/make-music/instrument-hire/>

<https://www.ackermanmusic.co.uk/instrument-rental-plans.html>

A form has been sent out to parents by email. **If your child would like to start lessons next term, please complete the relevant form by Friday 2nd December so a timetable can be organised. Thank you.**



WEST SUSSEX PICTURE BOOKS TO SHOUT ABOUT! AWARD 2022-23

London Meed loves Reading

London Meed will be voting in the 'Picture Books to shout about' competition being held by West Sussex Schools Library Service. The shortlist has been made public - see the list above! Listen out for these books being read in school or go and borrow them from your local library. Which book will you vote for? The deadline is Wednesday February 8th. More details to follow...

Forthcoming Dates

Date	Event
Week commencing 5th December	Clubs finish for the term.
Thursday 8th December (change of date)	EYFS Christmas Production 2pm
Monday 12th December and Wednesday 14th December	KS1 Christmas Production 2pm - please see email sent 23/11/2022
Tuesday 13th December	Visit from Tom Ball, Britain's Got Talent Finalist 2022.
Thursday 15th December	KS2 Carol Service at St John's Church at 10am- please see email sent 23/11/2022 School Christmas Lunch. LMA Disco

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LMA Fundraising events dates for your diary

Thursday 15th December

LMA Discos for Years 1-6 - information will be sent out nearer the time.

Please remember to send your child in their PE kits on their allocated PE day below.

Year Group/Class	PE days
Apples	Tuesday and Thursday
Cherries	Monday and Wednesday
Year 1	Tuesday and Wednesday
Year 2	Tuesday and Friday
Year 3	Wednesday and Friday
Year 4	Monday and Friday
Year 5	Monday - the children can wear their PE kit. They will need to bring in a swimsuit (no bikinis)/trunks, goggles and towel).Wednesday is Outdoor PE.
Year 6	Monday and Thursday

Term Dates 2022-2023

For WSCC term dates please visit https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/media/12668/2020-21_term_dates.pdf

Academic Year 2022-2023 term dates including INSET Days

Please see below the term dates for the next academic year including our INSET days.

Autumn Term 2022

Last day of term Friday 16th December

Spring term 2023

Starts Tuesday 3rd January

INSET DAY - Friday 10th February

Half term 13th February to 17th February

Children return Monday 20th February

Last day of term Friday 31st March

Summer term 2023

Starts Monday 17th April

INSET DAY - Friday 26th May

Half term 29th May to 2nd June

INSET DAY Monday 5th June

Last day of term Friday 21st July

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