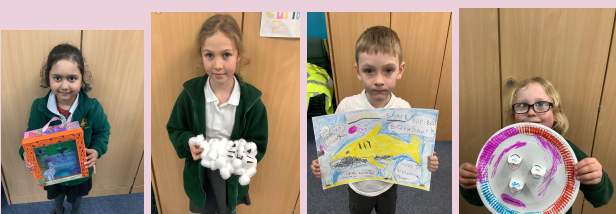




Dear Parents and Carers,

There was a real buzz around the school on Thursday as we celebrated World Book Day. Our aim to ensure that reading has a high profile was certainly evident. The children shared stories, took part in book related quizzes, visited the library and engaged in 'Book Battles'. We were delighted by the children's efforts at decorating something related to one of their favourite stories - the imagination that went into them was amazing and it is wonderful to see that children love to read at home as well as in school! A slideshow with photos of the various entries will be up on the school website shortly.

A huge thank you to Mrs Maddock and Miss Oliver for organising the day and inspiring us all. Please see the pictures below for the winner from each class.



We also really enjoyed seeing all of the children's entries in the 'Shelfie' competition, and a winner from each year group was announced in assembly today.

Have a super weekend.
Natalie Langtree
Head teacher

London Meed Hero Award

Many congratulations to this week's London Meed Heroes.

Name	Class	Reason
Zach	Apples	For trying really hard with his reading this week.
James F	Cherries	For always being a good role model, and helping in his school community.
Isaac C.	1S	For being a supportive talk partner.
Max	1DH	For making fantastic progress in reading.
Maia	2M	For always working hard and using adjectives to make her writing both accurate and also interesting to read.
Elisabeth	2DJ	For always trying her best and showing amazing creativity with her World Book Day creations!
Kitty	3W	For an informative and creative story map.
Riley	3C	For excellent attention and listening skills, that always allows him to do his very best work.
Samira	4O	For a super attitude to learning and for always giving 100% and for painting an amazing scene for the Lion Witch and Wardrobe.
Annabelle	4A	For doing so well in your fast maths times tables challenge this week! We are all so proud of you!
Lucy	5P	For coming to school each day with a positive attitude and a smile on her face.
Charlie B	5S	For showing resilience by challenging himself to succeed when finding fractions of amounts.
Maisie S.	6B	For showing creativity and attention to detail when decorating a stone representing her favourite book (Beyond the Sky), to celebrate World Book Day. Well done, Maisie!
Crystal S	6D	For displaying creativity, imagination and a keen eye for detail when decorating an object (for the World Book Day competition) in the style of her favourite book, which is 'The Wonderful Wizard of Oz' by L. Frank. Baum. Keep up all your hard work, Crystal!



Date for your diary - School Book Fair

We will be hosting a Book Fair on Thursday 17th March. Further information will be sent next week.

Author visit - Friday 18th March

We are looking forward to author, Sophy Henn, visiting the school on Friday 18th February. Sophie will be conducting an assembly for Years 2 to 4. All year groups will be given the opportunity to purchase one of her books and get it signed. You can still pre order a book at a 15% discount by clicking on the link below

<https://booknookuk.com/sophy-henn-school-events/>

Parent Consultations 14th and 17th March

Parent Consultation Evenings will be back as Face to Face meetings on Monday 14th March 3.30-6pm and Thursday 17th March 3.30-6.30pm.

An online booking system, through our website host ESchools, will open at 6pm on Sunday 6th March and will close at 6pm on Wednesday 9th March. During this time, you will be able to select which available appointment you would like to book and then generate a printable report if you wish to print confirmation of your booking.

We do expect separated parents to attend together, because this is in your child's best interests. Please allow a ten-minute gap between appointments if you have more than one child in our school.

To log in please visit www.londonmeedprimary.co.uk and click on the "login" button in the top right hand corner. You will be able to select which available appointment you would like to book and then generate a printable report if you wish to print confirmation of your booking.

For more information please click [Parents Evening guide](#)

Year 5 Trip to Theatre Royal, Brighton



Year 5 visited the Theatre Royal in Brighton on Monday 28th February to see a talk by the authors MG Leonard and Sam Sedgman. The children learned about the inspiration behind the 'Adventures on Trains' books and then enjoyed a picnic lunch opposite the Royal Pavilion.

Reading Raffle winners

Congratulations to last half term's reading raffle winners; Harvey D, Oliver H, Thomas R, Aoife W, Theo M, Alfie B, lyla W, Billy H, Freddie T, Freya S, Millie K, Emma L, Alfie W and Eva M.



Year 6 Trip to Newhaven Fort



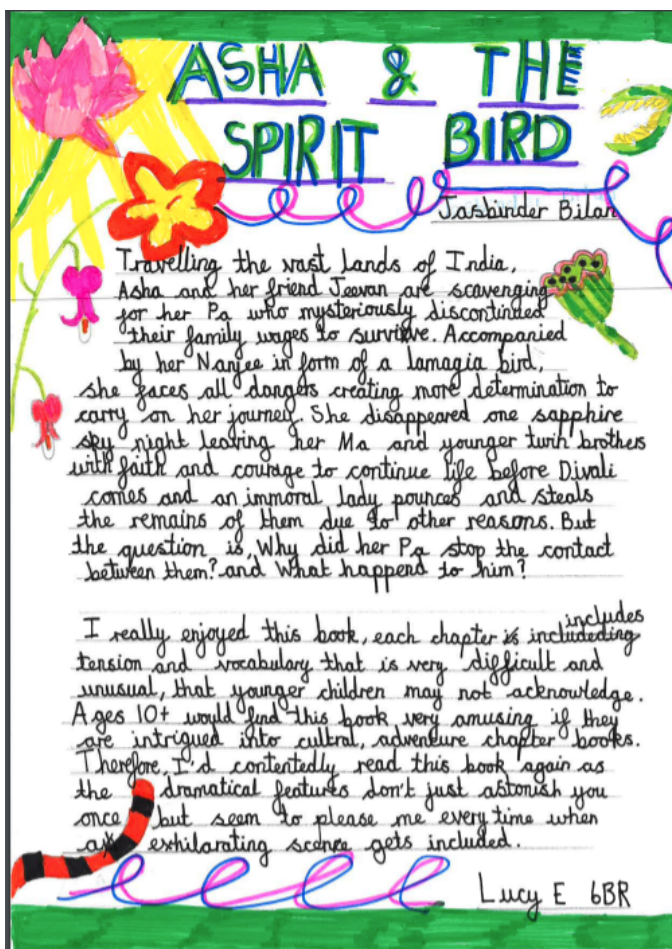
We loved our trip to Newhaven Fort because it was linked to our topic - World War 2. Also, we liked the way everything was recreated to give us a clear image of what life was like during the war. It was an informative and fun experience!



Year 6 Gas Mask



Abi in 6B brought in a WW2 gas mask which belonged to her mum's grandmother. The children were very excited about this real artefact.



Well done Maisie!

Many congratulations to Maisie S from class 6B who won a medal in Ballet and a place in Modern at a recent competition at the Eastbourne Arts Festival. Well done!

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Brighton & Hove Albion v Arsenal Ladies Football

To celebrate International Women's Day, we are inviting your affiliated clubs to attend our Women's Super League game at The People's Pension Stadium against Arsenal. The fixture against the league leaders will take place on Sunday 13 March, with a 6.45pm kick-off and we'd love you to join us to make it an atmosphere to remember! Having already broken the record attendance at our home ground in Crawley once this year, the women's side are looking to go one better by beating it again for the second time.

That's why we are inviting schools from across Sussex across all sports, to join us for what is set to be an exciting fixture.

Tickets are available to book now. Ticket prices are as follows;

- Book as a group of 10 or more and all tickets are £2
 - Book as a family (2 adults + 2 U18s) for £15
 - Book as an individual using the code 21 EUROREC for £1 off
 - Adults from £6, Juniors/Concessions from £3
- https://tickets.brightonandhovealbion.com/en-gb/categories/women?utm_source=wildcats&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=women&dm_t=0,0,0,0,0

Please remember to send your child in their PE kits on their allocated PE day below. Please note there has been a change in days for Apples and Cherries.

Apples	Tuesday and Thursday
Cherries	Monday and Wednesday
Year 1	Monday and Wednesday
Year 2	Tuesday and Friday
Year 3W Zephaniah	Monday and Friday
Year 3C Dahl	Tuesday and Friday
Year 4	Monday and Tuesday
Year 5	Wednesday and Friday
Year 6	Monday and Thursday

Easter Sports Courses

April 2022





Football: 11th to 14th
Multi Sports: 12th to 14th
Rugby: 19th to 21st
Netball: 19th to 20th
Cricket: 21st to 22nd
10am to 3pm
Warden Park Secondary





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Contact Details

Please email office@londonmeedprimary.co.uk with any changes to your contact details. Many thanks.

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Please only contact teachers via their year group email addresses listed below.

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Year 5	year5@londonmeedprimary.co.uk
Year 6	year6@londonmeedprimary.co.uk

Key dates

For up and coming key dates for this academic year please visit our website

<https://www.londonmeedprimary.co.uk/website/calendar/52708>

Term Dates 2021-2022 For WSCC term dates please visit https://www.westsussex.gov.uk/media/12668/2020-21_term_dates.pdf

Spring term 2022	INSET DAY - Friday 18th February Half term 21st February to 25th February Children return Monday 28th February Last day of term Friday 8th April
Summer term	Starts Monday 25th April INSET DAY - Friday 27th May Half term 30th May to 3rd June INSET DAY Monday 6th June Last day of term Thursday 21st July

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

INSET DAY - Thursday 1st September
Children return Friday 2nd September
INSET DAY - Friday 21st October
Half term 24th October to Friday 28th October
Children return Monday 31st October
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