

# Newsletter

Friday 6th January 2023

Spring Term Issue 1

## Letter from the Head



Dear Parent and Carers,

I hope you are well and that you have had an amazing Christmas and New Year. A very warm welcome back to you all - it has been so lovely to see the children back in school and I am sure you are all delighted to have a bit of routine back in your lives... I know I am.

We have lots of exciting things going on this spring term, various school trips, a Y6 residential to London, exciting visitors - and of course - nonstop learning and fun in the classrooms.

Today, I had the pleasure of listening to the year 1 class re-tell the entire story of 'The Three Little Pigs'. This is now their third class text in year 1 and I was blown away with their confidence, their language and how well they remembered the story. Miss Kenchington has done an amazing job in there (as usual), along with all the year 1/2 team. Storytelling and listening to stories is so important in children's development and we put a lot of time and effort into it here at Lanner. I know you all obviously do at home too, as it is clear to see the progress that your children are making. So, thank you and please do carry on reading and storytelling to your child. I know you can't see them, but the neurons in their brains are literally firing and growing with every sentence, page or book read to them.

That is all from me this week, I hope you all have an amazing weekend.



Kind regards

Kieran Walsh

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## Lannergrams

Well done to everyone who received a

Lannergram this week:

**Y1:** Ella, Emily, Daisy

**Y2:** Theone, Anna, Gracie

**Y3:** Leo, Tilly, Harvey

**Y4:** Alice, Carlos, Cora

**Y5:** Esme, Violet, Chloe

**Y6:** Jessica C, Riley H, Grace W



### Attendance Cup

Group	% Attend
Year 1	98.9
Year 2	93.6
Year 3	98.8
Year 4	90.7
Year 5	97.3
Year 6	98.9
<b>Totals</b>	<b>96.4</b>



### Dates for your diary

Friday 13th January—Y3 Maritime Museum Trip

◇ Wednesday 25th—Friday 27th January—Y6 London trip

◇ Monday 13th—Friday 17th February—Half Term

◇ Monday 20th February—Inset Day

◇ Monday 3rd—Friday 14th April—Easter Holidays

◇ Monday 1st May—Bank Holiday

◇ Friday 26th May—Inset Day

## Word of the week

Our word of the week is – **Quench**

Definition — to satisfy

*I drink ice cold water to quench my thirst*

Please try and use this word as much as you can with your child.

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## French word of the week



**'Janvier'**

means  
'January'  
in French.

Please try and use this French phrase  
as much as you can with your child.

### Menu change Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> January

All current bookings will be swapped  
over like for like (e.g. – if you have  
ordered the main option, you will be  
swapped to the burger, veggie option –  
Quorn hot dog.

Pasta, Jacket potatoes and sandwich  
options are still available on this day.

If you wish to change or cancel your  
booking, please contact the school  
office.



### THE ALL AMERICAN

MAINS  
Burger in a bun OR Quorn Hot Dog

SIDES  
Chips, Peas and Baked Beans

DESSERTS  
Strawberry Jelly, Honey Cookie  
and Vanilla Ice Cream



### Random fun fact of the week!



**New Year's Day was celebrated on 1st January for the very first time in history  
in 45 B.C**

Roman Emperor Julius Caesar introduced the calendar that we use in the Western World, the Julian  
calendar, which starts on the 1st January.

*Have a great weekend!!*