

LEVENDALE PRIMARY

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6th March 2026

SCHOOL TIMES

8.45am - 3.15pm

Nursery:

8.45am - 11.45am
12.30pm - 3.30pm

Wraparound:

7.45am - 8.45am
3.15pm - 4.30pm
3.15pm - 6.00pm

TERM DATES

Tues 6th Jan- Thurs 2nd Apr

Half term: 23-27/02/26

Remaining PD Days:
Mon 20th July
Tues 21st July

PE DAYS

Rec/Y1: Thurs and Fri
Y1/2: Tues and Fri
Y3: Mon and Tues
Y4: Wed and Thurs
Y5: Tues and Thurs
Y6: Wed and Thurs

Dear parents and carers,

We had fun celebrating World Book Day and Reading week! Older children enjoyed sharing stories with children from other classes too.

Mrs Whincup's class





Mrs Stonehouse's class



Mrs Page's class





WORLD BOOK DAY IN WRAPAROUND



A huge well done to our Year 5 Netball Team. The children went to the finals on Wednesday and came third! They played incredibly well showing determination, resilience and communication skills!



Golden Anniversary Celebration Week: 16-20th March

We will be celebrating our school turning 50 this academic year. We hope to have lots of activities for the children to take part in to make it a memorable event. We are going to focus on learning about the 70s including in Music, Art and History.

Dress-up

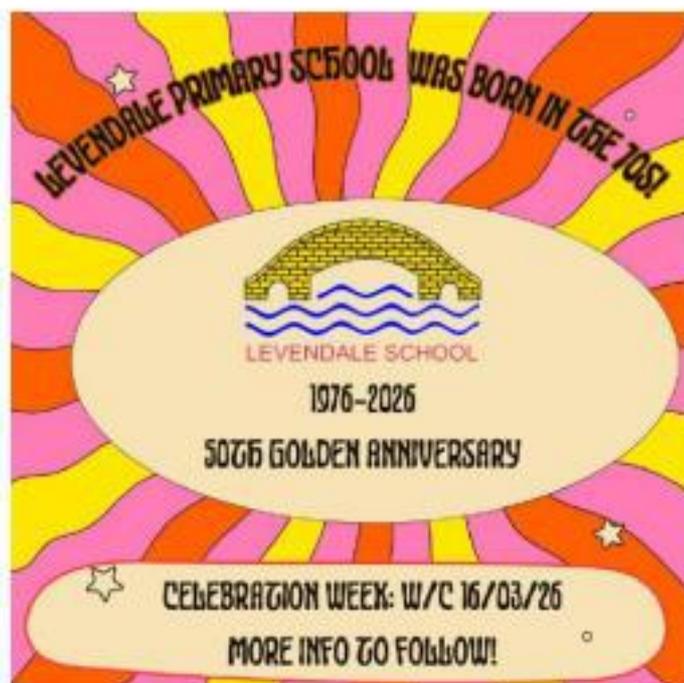
We invite the children to dress up in 70s attire (anything goes!) on Friday 20th March, please make sure it's suitable for outdoor play, including shoes! *We are also planning a surprise to share with people who collect at home time that day!*

Coffee morning

On March 20th, pupils in Y6 will also host a coffee morning in the hall for parents from 9.00am-10.00am, which you are welcome to attend. Cake donations welcome!

Memories of Levendale

Do you know any past pupils who attended Levendale? We invite them to share a photograph, story or memory with us – please send them to our school email: levendale@levendale.org.uk



Year 5 have been learning about the 'Deadly 60' as part of their Geography work, finding out about the deadliest wild-life and creating their own profiles! They've watched a wild-life series presented by Steve Backshall to see the animals up close!



ACHIEVEMENTS

We love to celebrate children's achievements, including those outside of school. Please let us know at Levendale@levendale.org.uk, if your child does something that makes you proud!

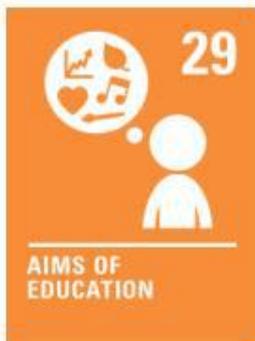


Ada W in Y3	Achieved her Floor Work Level 5 ay gymnastics – Brilliant!
Alice C in Rec	Passed Stage 1 in Swimming – Fantastic!
Reggie W in Y2	Completed Stage 5 at Borocuda Swim School – Excellent!
Samuel D in Y6	Came in 2 nd in a 200m Breaststroke event and 3 rd in a relay team at a Swimming Gala – Amazing!
Lucas M in Y3	Moved to Orange/Purple belt in Karate – Well done!

RIGHTS RESPECTING READ

ARTICLE OF THE WEEK

As part of our work on being a Silver Rights Respecting School, we would like to share with you our 'Article of the Week'. Each week in school, we discuss an article from the Convention on the Rights of the Child with the children and what this means to them. This week, we have looked at Article 29.



Article 29

Children's education should help them fully develop their personalities, talents and abilities. It should teach them to understand their own rights and to respect other people's rights, cultures and differences. It should help them to live peacefully and protect the environment.



Happy Birthday month to: Henry B, Jacob D, Alfie E, Isabella F, Ella F, Milo G, Alex G, Franklin M, Eva M, Melia M-C, Bertie R, Felix R, Alex R, Ethan S and Hannah S

ATTENDANCE

'Class of the week' celebrates the class with the best attendance each week. The winning class, across the term, will get a treat! Well done to Y4 and Y1/2 this week!



Class	Attendance Winners
Rec/Y1	1
Y1/2	1
Y3	2
Y4	2
Y5	1
Y6	1

TEAM CAPTAINS

Our team captains count our team points each week and the winning team was Ruby!
Each term, the overall winners will get a reward.

Teams	Captains	Winners
Emerald	Amelia K	2
Topaz	Esme B	3
Sapphire	Olivia L	0
Ruby	Sadie P	2



Lower Key stage 2	Jacob T in Y4
Upper Key Stage 2	Holly K in Y5

AWARDS IN CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY



LEVENDALE GOAL: Aspirations

Rec/Y1	Wilf G
Y1/2	Eva M
Y3	Orla Sh
Y4	Frankie N
Y5	Eleanor L
Y6	Eva D



MATHS STARS

Rec/Y1	Laila D
Y1/2	Evelyn A
Y3	Elizabeth C
Y4	Theo B
Y5	Holly K
Y6	Samuel R



ENGLISH AWARD

Rec/Y1	All of Year Rec and 1!
Y1/2	Andrew C
Y3	Rory J
Y4	Lottie M
Y5	Alexa S
Y6	Aria McC



DIARY OF EVENTS

Date	Event
Thursdays	Weekly SATS Booster Sessions for Y6 – collect from main office 4.30pm
10/03/26	Y5 Boys' Football final
w/c 16/03/26	Levendale Golden Anniversary – 70s theme 20/03/26 Dress-up, theme day , Y6 hosting coffee morning for parents 9am 3.15pm-3.30pm Surprise event in KS2 playground! More info later!
16/03/26	PTA adult after-school event: Sound bath
18/03/26	Mobile Library
26/03/26	Y5 Pupil Ambassadors visit Chandlers Ridge
26/03/26	Y5 Planet Making event
27/03/26	MND Stockton-Wide Walk for Motor Neurone disease, more info to follow
01/04/26	Mrs. Stonehouse's class: Easter Crafts
01/04/26	April fool – school dinner!
01/04/26	Singing event – Stockton Globe
02/04/26	Y3 parents invited to support DT
Thurs 2 nd April	Last Day before Easter, non-uniform day – return Mon 20 th April