

Littlecoates Primary Academy Newsletter



Summer (2) 2026



Coming Up

As you can see from the diary, we have a busy and exciting final few weeks of the year, with lots to look forward to. Highlights include trips and residential visits, workshops, singing festivals, sports days, special events and a summer fair. It's likely there'll be more as the term unfolds so please keep a close eye on Dojo for all the latest information.

Satff Updates

Teaching assistant, Miss Bolton, is leaving on 12th June. In the short time she has been here we thank her for the positive impact she has had on the school and we wish her well as she returns home to her family in London for the birth of her first baby. We are expecting Mrs Tanton to be absent from 15th June for the rest of the term due to a planned operation. Miss Hennigan will cover her absence in Daycare.

Term Dates 2026/27

Our term dates for next year have been confirmed and can be viewed on the website or you can ask for a paper copy from the office. Please note that we now have a two-week October half-term holiday and there is a teacher training day on Monday 2nd November. There is also a training day on Friday 23rd April rather than Friday 12th February as in previous years. The Friday blog and Dojo calendar will include reminders of upcoming opening and closing dates.

Governor Updates

This term we will be saying farewell to one of our longest serving governors, Clare Graves. Throughout her tenure she has served as the designated safeguarding governor, playing a pivotal role in helping us maintain the highest standards of safety and wellbeing at Littlecoates. We thank Clare enormously for her invaluable contribution to the continuing success of the school.

Attendance Counts

Overall attendance is currently **91.9%**.
This is **2.1% below last year** at this time and well below the national average.
Our target is **96%**.

Please avoid holidays in term time as they will not be agreed and you may be fined.

Miss Clay is your Attendance Champion and contactable on Dojo.

Thank you for supporting good attendance

Dojo

Don't forget you can follow many of the exciting things we do in school through Dojo. Look out for Friday's blog on Dojo for a convenient weekly roundup.

Diary Dates

1/6 School opens and clubs continue
1/6 Sleepover meeting – parents/carers Y2
2/6 Y3 Cleethorpes visit
4/6 Debate Mate final – Oxford University
5/6 Y3 & Y4 IntoUniversity workshops (am)
5/6 Y3 Mrs Deller workshop (pm)
5/6 World Music assembly and workshops Y1/2
8/6 Launchpad visit – The Deep
12/6 Hollowford meeting – parents/carers Y5/6
12/6 Y2 sleepover
12/6 World music workshop for Y3/4
15/6 Y3 Assembly – parents/carers welcome
16/6 Y6 Rounders Festival – Tollbar Academy
19/6 World music workshop for Y5/6
22/6 History: Edward Watkin Day – Y5
22/6 Y2 Singing festival – Auditorium
23/6 Y6 IntoUniversity workshop
23/6 Wellsing event – Choir
24/6 REAL event – EYFS parents/carers
24/6 Y5 Singing festival – Auditorium
26/6-28/6 Y5/6 Hollowford residential
30/6 Year 1 – 6 Dance Showcase – Auditorium
2/7 Parent/carer meet for new to Reception (pm)
2/7 & 3/7 Havelock / Tollbar Y6 transition days, others TBA
6/7 Jason Griffiths led assembly
6/7 Y5/6 Wellbeing workshops – Compass Go
7/7 Y6 SATs results
7/7 Y4,5,6 The Deep visit
10/7 Last day of after school clubs
10/7 Reception class sports day (am)
13/7 & 14/7 Parent/carer meetings
15/7 Children spend time in new classes
17/7 Y1 to Y6 Sports day (pm)
20/7 Summer fair
22/7 Y6 Leavers assembly (am)
22/7 Reception graduation assembly (pm)
24/7 School closes 1.15pm