



Leeds and Broomfield CEP School

Many Hands Build a House, Many Hearts Make a School

Term 1, Week 5

Hello Everyone

During our INSET days at the beginning of this term, staff and governors worked together to develop various aspects of our mission statement and vision now we have formally federated. Below is the final outcome from our discussions and these statements will be shared with the children and added to the learning environment in school.

KULB Federation: Mission Statement

Our federation will nurture curiosity and creativity through an inspiring, broad and engaging curriculum, where learning is at the heart of all that we do. Our children learn to become resilient and self-assured in environments where pastoral care is excellent. Everyone is challenged and encouraged to thrive and achieve as individuals, preparing them for their role as caring citizens in modern Britain.

Vision

We aim to be an outstanding federation at the heart of our culturally diverse communities, striving for excellence, enabling our children to achieve their highest potential in all areas of the curriculum in line with each school's values and beliefs.

Vision Statement

Everyone is a learner and every experience is a learning opportunity.

Have a lovely weekend whatever the weather.

Mrs Wellman
Head of School

Next Week: Monday 9th – Friday 13th October 2017

Mon	9 th	Reminder – Years 1-4 to return flu vaccination forms
Tues	10 th	AM – Year 3 Swimming – remember your costume, towel and £5.00 swim money 3.15-4.15 pm – Film Club with Mr Weller (Years 1-6) 3.15-4.15 pm – Newspaper Gazette with Ms Nel (Years 5-6)
Wed	11 th	9.30 am – Harvest Festival Service, St Nicholas Church, everyone welcome PM – Years 1-4 Flu vaccinations being given 3.15-4.15 pm – Gardening Club with Mrs Slade (Years 2-6) 3.15-4.15 pm – Gym Club with Mrs Butterfield (Years 1-2)
Thurs	12 th	3.15-4.15 pm – Film Club with Miss Pettit (Years 1-6) 3.15-4.15 pm – Multi-Sports with The Lenham School Coach (Years 3-4)
Fri	13 th	2.45-3.15 pm – Celebration Worship, everyone welcome please join us



Headteacher Awards

Certificates will be given out in class today to:

Year R	Jack Perry	Year 4	Keeley Sherwood
Year 1	Isabelle Lagden	Year 5	Salix McCausland
Year 2	Artur Pankovs	Year 6	Evie Steel
Year 3	Heaven Lea	Don't forget to return your badges	

Attendance Ted and Punctuality Pete Awards

Attendance Ted will go to Badgers Class achieving 97.50% attendance. Great effort! In second place came Squirrels with 95.42% followed by Foxes with 94.58% and Hedgehogs with 91.58%. Whole school attendance missed our target at 94.56%.

Punctuality Pete will be jointly awarded to Foxes and Hedgehogs with no lates recorded. Brilliant! Badgers reported two late incidents and Squirrels four. Thank you to everyone who consistently gets to school on time.



Theme: Harvest

The children have started to look at Harvest time and why this is a special time for thanks. They have discussed how we can be thankful at this time for all the food we have and discovered how others are not as lucky to have so much.

Some children have started to bring in tinned and packet food to take to the church, and this will be shared with others in our local community by the church members. Please bring your offering in by Tuesday 10th October.

The theme that has been shared with the children this week is that of God as the faithful gardener and the following prayer helps to reflect on this:

Father God,
 whose idea it was that seeds should grow and produce crops and fruits,
 we want to thank you from the bottom of our hearts for your goodness and
 care, and for giving us enough to eat in the harvest of the land.
 Lord God, please also give us wisdom and good sense to use this harvest
 well, to honour you to meet our needs and to help those who are not so
 well off.

Amen.

Harvest Festival Service

Please join us for our Harvest Festival service next week on Wednesday 11th October at St Nicholas Church at 9.30am. I understand there will be some cauliflowers fluffy and autumn leaves joining us as part of the celebration.



As usual – can we remind all attending that any type of filming/recording of the service is not permitted and that we ask you to take pictures at the start or end of the service not whilst children are performing as this can distract them – especially our youngest children. Thank you for your co-operation

Lost Property

Please remember to name all items of clothing likely to be removed at school. We aim to return 'named' items of lost property to the rightful owner. We have a small box for lost items located near the shelf unit for packed lunch storage. Unfortunately, as our school has limited storage space, any unclaimed lost property will be disposed of at the end of each term.

Reception Places September 2018 – Open Mornings

We are already planning for reception starters next year! Flyers will be going out to local nurseries next week advertising the following open mornings:

Tuesday 7th November 2017
Thursday 9th November 2017
Both 9.15-11.30 am

Our year 6 pupils will be on hand to show round any perspective new parents and children. If you or any friends or family have children due to start school next year, please let them know about these two events. Flyers are available from the office.

If you need to apply for reception place(s) next year please visit:

<http://www.kent.gov.uk/education-and-children/schools/school-places/primary-school-places#tab-1>

Applications open on 6th November 2017 and close on 15th January 2018. Alternatively please ring 03000 412121 for more details or guidance.

Flu Vaccinations

Reminder – Years 1-4 please return any outstanding Flu Vaccination forms to the office by Monday 9th October 2017, even if you do not wish your child to have it. Vaccinations will take place in school on Wednesday 11th October 2017. If your child has been unwell 72 hours prior to this date, they should not have the vaccination. If concerned please let us know.

Year R Photo in the Kent Messenger

Please keep an eye out in the Kent Messenger for Reception Year photos. We have been advised they will be published next week.

Key Found

A set of keys have been found in the car park. If you have lost some, please ask in the school office.