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## Lickey Hills Primary School and Nursery – School Newsletter

### Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2024

This week's total school attendance is 96.3%



This has been another busy two weeks in school!

The planetarium was an incredible opportunity for all of the children involved to get a really exciting perspective on the Universe beyond our planet as well as a chance to look back on Earth and reflect.

Numbers Day today, was a real celebration of maths and an opportunity for our children to express why numbers are important to them as well as find out a wealth of new information about how numbers shape the world!

Looking forward, this incredibly short half term is already coming to an end after next week and I hope that you all manage to get some much-needed rest and relaxation and enjoy time together as a family over the half term holiday.

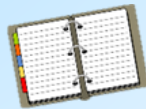
Even before then though, Year three are going out to Bishops Wood next week to investigate life in the Stone Age, a group of children are off to watch some musical theatre and we have a range of opportunities for parents to drop in and see some of the amazing work going on in school!

Thank you,  
Mr.Dathan  
Headteacher



#### Date for Diaries

- 7.2- Y3 trip to Bishop's Wood
- 8.2 - Chinese New Year Celebration Day
- 9.2- PTA Valentine's Disco
- 19.2 - Back to school
- 20.2- SATS parent's meeting - via zoom
- 26.2 - Y6 Blackwell Adventure parent's meeting - via zoom
- 28.2 - Wellbeing drop in session



#### Star Writer

Shaun LB2 - for a fabulous piece of descriptive writing!

Mrs. Hawthorne

#### Planetarium Visit

LB1, Year 2 and Year 5 were treated to a stellar display as the planetarium came to Lickey Hills last week. All the children were given an awe-inspiring, guided tour of the night sky, seeing stars and constellations that are usually obscured by light pollution. For LB1 and Year 2 it was also an introduction to the moon landings and an inspiration for their work this term about space pioneer Neil Armstrong, whilst for Year 5 it wrapped their science topic on the Earth in Space. All year groups asked some great questions and they came away buzzing with lots of fresh knowledge and a newfound interest in space and astronomy.

Dr. Fishwick





### NSPCC Number Day

What a fantastic day we have all had today celebrating all things maths! Our children looked absolutely brilliant 'Dressed Up for Digits' - we had numbers, patterns, calculations and even a set of teachers dressed as Numberblocks in KS1. Through the day, children have looked at maths in everyday life, realising that there is a little bit of maths in everything. And of course - our 'Can-Do Kangaroo' attitude has given us the courage to have a go at anything. Everyone can succeed in maths! Thank you so much to our families for their support today and for helping us to raise money for the very worthwhile cause that is the NSPCC.

Mrs. Bowen



### Golden Book Stars

Charlie S, Alice W, Iris C (2BT)

Amilee H (1MK)

Jack P, Jasper B, Joshua B (5HM)

Sophie G (2SW) Kai S (1HB)



### We Are A Nut Free School & Kitchen

Our "Nut-Free Policy" means that the following items should NOT be brought into school:

- Packs of nuts
- Peanut butter or Nutella sandwiches
- Fruit and cereal bars that contain nuts
- Chocolate bars or sweets that contain nuts
- Sesame seed rolls (children allergic to nuts may also have a severe reaction to sesame)
- Cakes made with nuts
- Any home cooked meals for packed lunches that are made from nuts

