



Celebrating 100 years
of learning

Landulph School Newsletter

Together in Adventure and Discovery

31st January 2025



A message from Mrs Ball...

Is it me or did January feel like it was never going end! The one plus side has certainly been in the last few days when we have finally started to see the days beginning to draw out.



Next week is Children's Mental Health Week. This year's focus is **Know Yourself, Grow Yourself**, with the aim to encourage children to embrace self-awareness and explore what it means to them. They have joined forces with the characters from Disney Pixar's Inside Out and Inside Out 2. We will be planning a range of activities across the week in school which will help the children discover how getting to know who they are can help them build resilience, grow and develop.

It would be great if you wanted to get involved at home as well, below is a link to some family top tips and activities.

<https://www.childrensmentalhealthweek.org.uk/resources/#families>



Together we can help your child be the best reader that they can be.
Together we can help your child become a lifelong reader.
Every few minutes makes a difference!

At Landulph, reading is really important to us. We want the children to become lifelong readers and enjoy reading for pleasure, taking those opportunities to lose themselves in another world.

In school we create lots of opportunities for children to read or listen to stories within the school day; this includes reading in VIPERS and RWInc sessions, library time, listening to a class story book every day, volunteers who spend time each week reading with the children and high quality texts support our curriculum and we have a vast range of books for the children to choose from when selecting their reading book.

We know the world is getting a much busier place, but the one thing we ask is that you find some time each day to support your child with their reading or spending time as a family maybe enjoying a bedtime story. Listen to your child read as often as possible.

For the younger children, we would expect this to be every day and as their ability progresses in the older year groups, you will find they need less support from you and will love to pick up a book for pleasure. We would still recommend hearing them read and sharing books with them three times a week and hope you will see this as a relaxing, positive time where you focus purely on this one task.

It is also really important that they see the adults in your households as readers, take some 'me' time out of each day and get stuck into your favourite book.

Mrs Plumb would like to request empty cereal type boxes for next half term's DT.



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Diary Dates

7th February

NSPCC Number Day (details to follow)

14th February

Grandparents Lunch (11:40am-1:00pm)

W/C 17th February

Half term

24th February

INSET Day

W/C 3rd March

Daily swimming lessons (Years 3, 4 & 5)

7th March

Celebration of World Book Day (details to follow)

26th March

Year 5 Junior Life Skills (more detail to follow)

7th - 21st April

Easter Holidays

22nd April

INSET Day

26th May - 1st June

Half Term

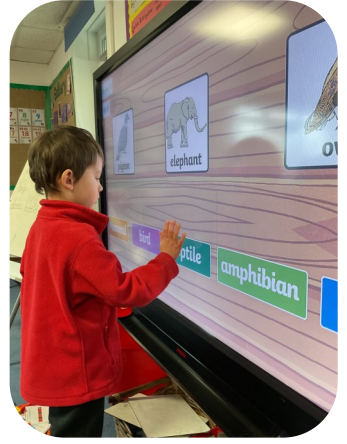
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INSET Day

Celebrating Our Learning...

Class 1

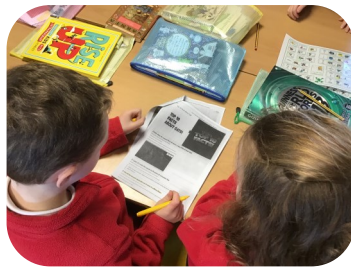
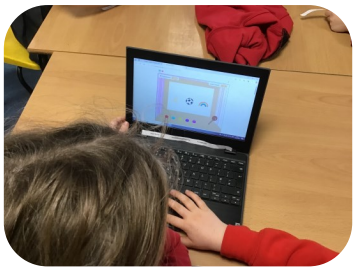
This week we have been exploring non-fiction texts and writing questions. In Geography we have been identifying man made and natural geographical features in the UK. We enjoyed exploring texture in art and in Science we were classifying animals.



Class 2

Class 2 have started our new English unit this week; non chronological reports. Tuffy from our story wrote to us to ask if we would make some reports about cats to make people realise that cats are good creatures who don't deserve a bad reputation! So over the next 2 weeks we will be starting to build up information for our cats reports. We have been carrying on with our theme learning too; in Geography we have looked at capital cities and in Computing we have been games testing scratch games!

Apologies for all the spelling shed issues of late; we hope that the issues are now resolved!



Class 3

This week, Class 3 has been engaged in a fantastic range of learning activities!

Bringing our Flood narratives to a close, the children worked hard to refine their writing in English. They used descriptive language and well-structured sentences to create dramatic and engaging stories.

Tackling some tricky fraction problem-solving, our Maths lessons encouraged the children to apply their knowledge in different contexts. They showed great perseverance when working through multi-step challenges.

Exploring the fascinating world of living things, we focused on insect lifecycles in Science. The children also learned how to use classification keys to sort and identify animals and plants based on their characteristics.

Shifting our focus to volcanoes in Geography, we examined their structure and formation. The class was particularly intrigued by the different types of eruptions and their powerful effects on the landscape.

Putting their skills to the test, the children enjoyed playing volleyball games in PE. They demonstrated excellent teamwork and coordination as they continued developing their passing and movement.

Taking learning outdoors, Wild Tribe introduced us to symmetry in nature. The children explored patterns in leaves, flowers, and animal markings, noticing how symmetry appears all around us.

Well done to Class 3 for another brilliant week of learning! Keep up the enthusiasm and hard work!

Reminders....



Wild Tribe
Outdoor Learning

This term, **Class 3** will be doing 'Wild Tribe.' Please can they bring spare clothes (that you don't mind getting dirty) into

school in a bag each **Tuesday**.

- long trousers/tracksuit bottoms/leggings (no jeans)
- a long sleeved top or a jumper
- a waterproof jacket (waterproof trousers if you have them)

P.E. Days

On PE days your child needs to come to school in their PE kit. Remember if it is a bit on the chilly side, they can wear black tracksuit bottoms and their school jumper.

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3
Tuesday	Tuesday	Thursday
Thursday	Friday	



Keep up those good habits...

Learning spellings, number facts and times tables is so important.

Don't forget your child has a log in to TT Rockstars (Y2-Y6), Numbots (Y1) and Spelling Shed (Y2-6).

These are great programmes that we invest in as a school to support learning at home. If your child has forgotten their log in details then please email Cathy.

Wellies & Waterproofs



Please can you send your child to school each day with NAMED wellies (they can stay in school if you have a spare pair) and a waterproof jacket. We try to get outside as often as possible even when the weather is not in our favour.



Liz runs a tuck shop every Tuesday breaktime. It is £1 for a drink and a snack; your child will need to bring the money in with them on the day.



Please remember to send your child in with a warm waterproof coat so we can still get outside during the colder weather.

Defibrillator (in a box)

Available for community use during school hours. Please come straight to the front entrance as it is stored in the office.



Organised by Mrs Plumb

Open from 7:45am on all days that children are in school

Breakfast included

£3.50 per child



Little Owls

Organised by Mrs Slateford and Mrs Glancy

Afterschool club opens from 3.20 – 5.30pm with the costs as below. All sessions include a snack.

- ⇒ 3:20pm-4:20pm - £4. Snack served at 4pm.
- ⇒ 3:20pm-5:30pm - £7. Snack served at 4pm.
- ⇒ 4:20pm-5:30pm (after clubs) - £4. Snack served at 4:30pm.

Please can you ensure any requests for wraparound care are submitted with as much notice as possible (ideally by the Friday before the week that the care is needed). We need a **minimum of 48 hours' notice** unless it is an emergency.

To book in, please email bookings@landulphcloud.net.

Friday's Celebration Assembly



Class 1 - Rosie
 Class 2 - Maya
 Class 3 - Alyssa & Ella



Class 1 - Ryan
 Class 2 - Huxley
 Class 3 - AJ



Darcy



Class 2 - Maxwell
 Class 3 - Brodie



Class 2 - Keira
 Class 3 - Eli



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

😊 Happy Birthday to those who are celebrating their birthdays in February, we hope you enjoy your special day.

Class 1 - Mya, Riyah, Darcy, Freddie B, Rosie



To Grace for winning two second place ribbons in her Pony Club competition!



Term	Week	House
382	119	Brunel
335	143	Tamar
333	104	Pentillie
358	132	Cotehele

Home Learning



Please send your home learning into your child's class teacher using the class email address:

class1@landulphcloud.net

class2@landulphcloud.net

class3@landulphcloud.net



Community & PTA News



If you haven't done so already, don't forget to sign up for this year's Grandparents Lunch.

Friday 14th February

11:40am

Fish Fingers & Chips

£2.65 per grandparent

Please complete this online form (<https://forms.office.com/e/n1UbS6cpb8>). You will receive confirmation once your places have been confirmed and an item will be added to pay on [Parent Pay](#) to reserve your place/s. Places are limited to 2 per family initially and are first come first served. We will hold a waiting list if we exceed the numbers and then open a second date if necessary.

ONE SMALL STEP FOR MAN, ONE GIANT LEAP FOR HIGH 5!

GALAXY EXPLORERS

@CHINA FLEET

MONDAY 17TH - THURSDAY 20TH FEBRUARY 2025

2024 AWARDS
★ BEST CHILDREN'S ACTIVITY PROVIDER IN THE SOUTH WEST
★ BEST SUMMER CAMP IN SOUTH WEST

SCAN TO BOOK NOW!

MARTIAN MONDAY	EXTRATERRESTIAL TUESDAY	OUT OF THIS WORLD WEDNESDAY	MILKY WAY THURSDAY
Intergalactic Golf Challenge (All Ages)	Space Jam Basketball	Intergalactic Golf Challenge (All Ages)	Asteroid Archery Team Tournament
Top Tracer Driving Range (Semi Pros & Pros only)	Moon Ball Tennis	Top Tracer Driving Range (Semi Pros & Pros only)	Moonball Tennis
Dodgeball & Multi Sports	Gravity Ball	Dodgeball	Football Masterclass
Zero Gravity Inflatables Session	Starship Fun Swim	Zero Gravity Inflatables Session	Fluro Dance Party
Asteroid Archery Team Tournament	Wild Tribe Space Explorers	Wild Tribe Space Explorers	Starship Fun Swim

DAILY COSMIC CRAFTING - SEND THEIR IMAGINATIONS OUT OF THIS WORLD!

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