

PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

22/05/26

THIS WEEK'S UPDATE

Dear Families,

We have had an epic attendance week this week, with fantastic events including the always popular 'colour run', circus skills workshops, 'Dr Doolittle' musical theatre, African drumming workshops, large scale collective Foundation art exploration, a Key Stage 2 Art exhibition, visits to the park, and topped off with a whole school pupil carnival on the bus bay.

Huge thanks go to all the staff who have organised the events to make the last week of half term full of interest and excitement, whilst keeping routines in the way our learners need to help them regulate and feel safe and supported. Visiting the Art Exhibition alongside families viewing their children's work was a real treat this week. Our learners showed great pride in their creations, and it was a pleasure to see our families able to share in this with them.

Please take a look at your child's EvidenceMe to see more pictures from the week, and then you can share some photos of your half term adventures with us too.

Safety Reminder for Wheelchair/Buggy users: Please can you make extra sure that straps are snug enough so that your young people cannot wriggle down into an unsafe position in their wheelchair/buggy. If you notice that straps come loose quickly, please let us know so that we can take extra care and flag this up to wheelchair services.

Don't forget that if you have a question, query, grumble or praise, please contact your child's teacher, Department Co-ordinator, AP, VP or me! We are all here to listen when you need us.

We look forward to seeing everyone back on Monday 1st June.

With best wishes, Lucy Lee

Important Dates for Your Diary

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- **18th to 22nd May: Attendance week** - A whole week of fun to inspire and encourage our learners to be in school every day that they can.
- **25th to 29th May: Half Term Break**
- **20th June: 11am to 1pm Friends of Severndale Fair at Monkmoor**
- **22nd to 26th June: Sports Week**
- **1st July: Leavers' Prom**
- **3rd July: INSET Day** - Staff accessing training in preparation for transition weeks.
- **6th to 17th July: Transition Weeks** - Learners move to their new classes
- **17th July: Last day of the Summer term**

Parent Partnership sessions

- **12th June: Intensive Interactive Workshop with Amy Schofield**
- **26th June: Coffee Morning**
- **10th July: Relaxation and Wellbeing Workshop with Jess Irvin Wright**

All Parent Partnership sessions run from 9.30am to 11.00am in the Communication Outreach Room. Coffee and biscuits will be available. If you would like to attend or have any questions, please email Lorna at lorna.matley@LCT.education. Please arrive at reception and you will be collected from there.



Inclusive Musical Theatre and Workshops in Attendance Week





**KS3 Circus
Skills
workshops
were great
fun!**

Key Stage 2 Art Exhibition



Each KS2 class designed and decorated canvases to display in the sports hall, as part of this term's Severndale Challenge.









Some of our Carnival Bikes ready for the parade!







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