

# Lillington Nursery and Primary School



## Head Teacher to Home—21 April What has happened in school this week?

Welcome to the first newsletter of the Summer Term, I can't believe we are already in the last term of this academic year. How times flies by when you are having fun!

This week has been full of wow experiences for our pupils, with the start of a new term comes a new topic for the children embrace. This week we have seen Year 1 recreate the Great fire of London, Year 3 had a Roman day and experienced what it was like to wear togas and Year 6 got to create art using nature!

Our assemblies this week have focussed on the festival of Ramadan which came to an end this week – the children reflected on how hard it would be to give up their favourite foods from dawn until sunset everyday for a month. The shows the commitment and self-control that those who celebrate Ramadan have. Happy Eid to all our families who are celebrating.

Make sure you take a look at what the classes have been up to this week further along in our newsletter and to find out how we plan to celebrate the Kings Coronation at Lillington Nursery and Primary School.

Enjoy your weekend and see you all on Monday.

*Victoria Wallace*

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## Head Teacher to Home—21 April IMPORTANT NOTICES

### **Strike Action**

School will be **fully open** on both **Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> April** and **Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May** when the NEU are striking.

### **Uniform Policy**

Please can I remind everyone of the school's policy on school uniform.

- Children should not be wearing makeup or nail polish to school. Those who do will be asked to remove it.
- Jewellery is also not permitted due to the dangers. Pupils can wear stud earrings only and a watch. Necklaces, bracelets (except medical ones) and other earrings should be kept for the weekend and school holidays.
- School shoes should be black in colour, our policy allows trainers if they are completely black including the soles. Please ensure your child is wearing the correct footwear for school.
- Finally, I am noticing lots of missing ties, this again is an expectation of our uniform policy. Please ensure your child has this for school, those pupils in Year 6 need to get into the habit of having their full uniform in preparation for secondary school.

**Our uniform policy can be found on the school website. <https://www.lillingtonprimary.com/uniform/>**

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We have had a lovely few sessions in the garden this week, making the most of the sunshine. They've been able to have lots of water play and have enjoyed playing with and chasing bubbles.





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What has happened in Darwin Class  
this week?



Year 1 had a 'Great Fire of London re-creation'. The children made Tudor houses using cardboard and got to see how quickly a fire can spread when the houses are close together. The children also made 17th Century biscuits and took part in a Great Fire of London themed activity. Huge thanks to the parents and cares that were able to come along!

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## Head Teacher to Home—21 April What has happened in Peake Class this week?

Peake have been working well in English and Math and should be very proud of their efforts.





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## Head Teacher to Home—21 April What has happened in Drew Class this

Drew have had a fantastic Ancient Roman Day! They started the morning with learning all about Roman numerals, wrote persuasive speeches to elect a class emperor and made miniature Roman shields. They ended the day with a Roman feast including some yummy honey biscuits and some child-friendly 'wine'!



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## Head Teacher to Home—21 April What has happened in Hopper this week?

We have worked at improving our mastery of art and design skills in year 4 this week. We worked with partners to create a figure drawing of the human form in any posture.



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## King Charles III's Coronation



A coronation is a ceremony to crown a new king or queen.

King Charles III will be crowned on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2023.



His wife Camilla will be crowned Queen on the same day.

The coronation will be at Westminster Abbey.



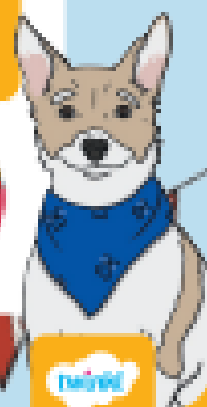
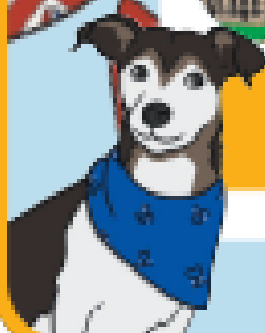
The King will hold the Crown Jewels and wear the St Edward's Crown after making a Coronation Oath.

The ceremony will be led by the Archbishop of Canterbury.



A concert and a light show will be held at Windsor Castle the next day.

People might have street parties as part of the Coronation Big Lunch.



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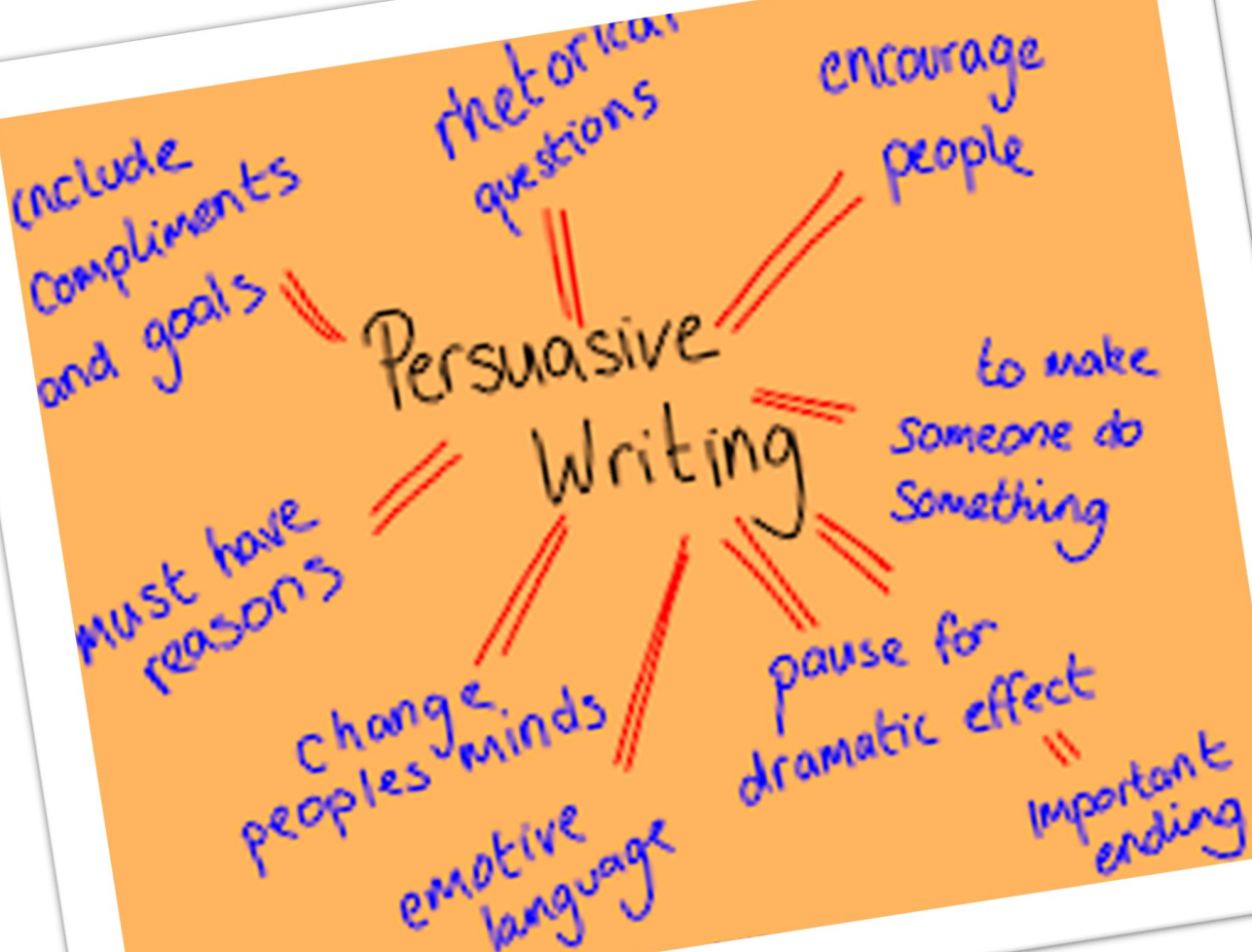


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## Head Teacher to Home — 21 April What has happened in Pankhurst Class this this week?

Pankhurst have had a fantastic and productive week learning all about persuasive language. They have learnt new words, expanded their vocabulary and enjoyed presenting their arguments to their classmates in a persuasive way.



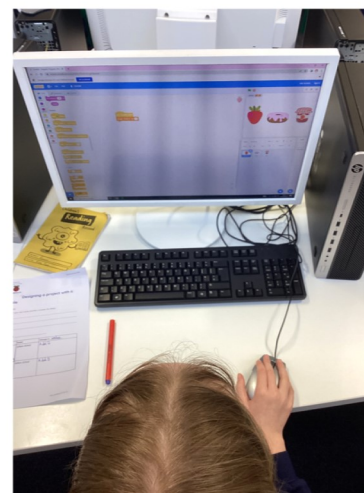
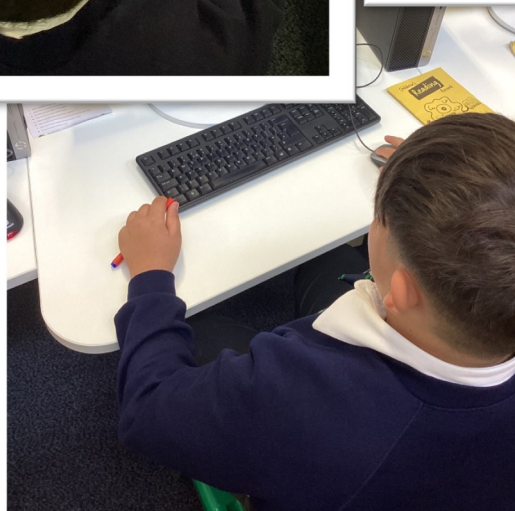
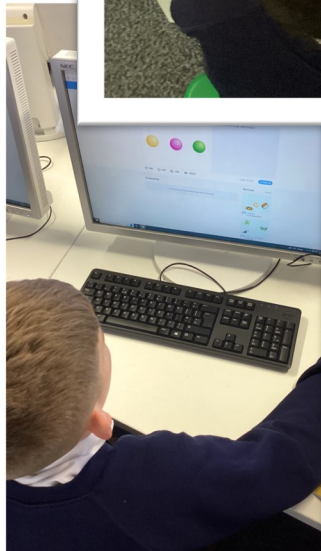
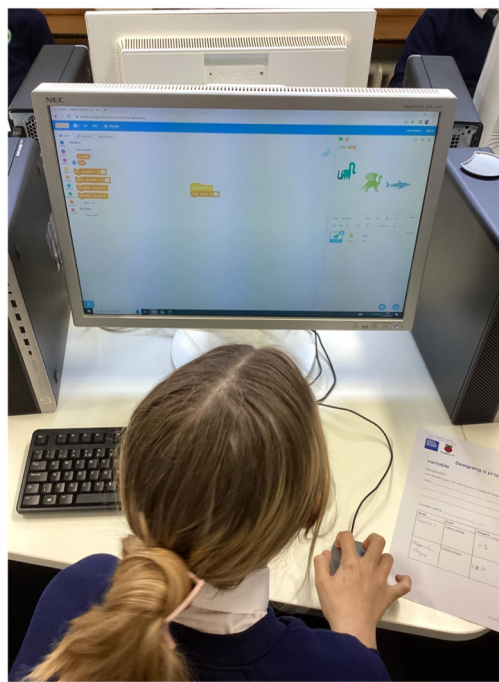
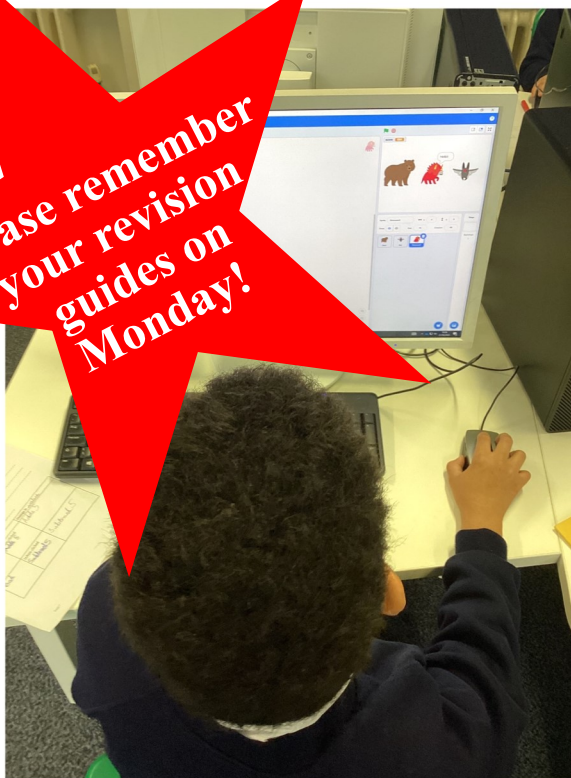
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## Head Teacher to Home—21 April What has happened in King Class this week?

King Class have started looking at variables in computing sessions this week. To start with, they looked at examples of real-life variables before exploring them in a Scratch project. They then designed and made their own Scratch project that included variables.

**Please remember  
your revision  
guides on  
Monday!**





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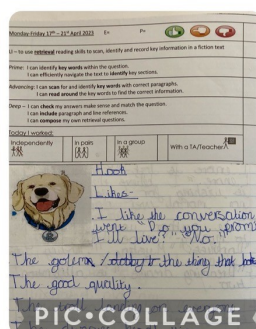
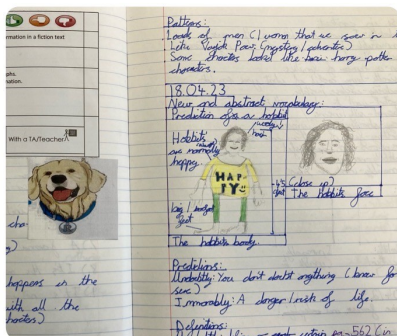


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### What has happened in Angelou Class this week?

To kick-off our final term in Year 6, the children in Angelou have been familiarising themselves with, and deepening their understanding of, our challenging new text – *The Hobbit*. Activities included: reviewing its original film trailer, researching and developing new and abstract vocabulary, and using art and drama to foster their wider comprehension of the characters within the text. Great work, Angelou!

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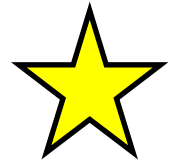




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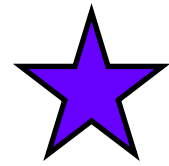


Head Teacher to Home - 31 March  
What has happened in school this week?



## CELEBRATION!

Congratulations to Darwin Class who had the highest attendance in Key Stage 1 this week!



Congratulations to Drew Class who had the highest attendance in Key Stage 2 this week!



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**Head Teacher to Home - 24th March**  
**What has happened in school this week?**

## **Term Dates**

Please find below this year's school term dates. Please make a note of the teacher training days.

### **Autumn Term 2023**

Starts Tuesday 5th September 2023 (4<sup>th</sup> is a Teacher Training Day)  
Half term Monday 30th October 2023 to Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2023  
Ends Friday 22nd December 2023  
(17<sup>th</sup> November is Teacher training day)

**Christmas holiday Monday 25th December 2023 to Friday 5th January 2024**

### **Spring Term 2024**

Starts Wednesday 10th January 2024 (8/9 Jan are Teacher Training Days)  
Half term Monday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2024 to Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February 2024  
Ends Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024 (11<sup>th</sup> March is teacher training day)  
**Spring (Easter) holiday Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2024 to Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2024**

### **Summer Term 2024**

Starts Monday 8<sup>th</sup> April 2024  
Half term Monday 27th May 2024 to Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024  
Ends Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2024

### **Teacher training days**

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2023**  
**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2023**  
**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2024**

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## News from PTFA – 21 April

Could you be the PTFA's new Treasurer or Deputy Chair? We have vacancies for both and would love to have new people join the Committee and help decide what we do to support the pupils and school. You don't have to be a maths whizz or an accountant to be the Treasurer. The ability to keep records of our income and spending is what's most important. You also don't need to be a parent! The roles are open to carers and other family members so if you know someone who might be up for it, please let them know! If you're interested in either role or want to know more, please speak to either Lucy or Olivia in the

Play our school lottery and you are in with a chance to win this amazing prize! Tickets are only £1 and can be bought here:

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/lillington-school-ptfa>



The PTFA summer fete is on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> June and we've already got our first raffle prize! A huge thank you to Pub in the Park who have donated a family ticket for the Sunday at this year's festival at Victoria Park.



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Head Teacher to Home - 21 April  
We are week One  
when we return

## Educaterers Lunch Menu Week 1

Coventry and Warwickshire: 13/3, 24/4, 15/5, 5/6, 26/6 and 17/7  
Leicestershire: 13/3, 24/4, 15/5, 5/6, 26/6  
Oxfordshire: 13/3, 24/4, 15/5, 5/6, 26/6 and 17/7

### Monday



Pork Sausages G.SU.

or



(v) Veggie Korma Curry with Wholegrain or White Rice D.

or



(v) Cheese/Beans D.

or



(v) Cheddar Cheese G.D.

### Jacket Potatoes Every Day

### Tuesday



Pasta with Peas & Bacon D.G.

or



(v) Veggie Breakfast Pattie in a Bun G.D.E.

or



(v) Cheese D.

or



British Roast Chicken G.

### Wednesday



British Roast Chicken, Stuffing G.

or



(vg) Quorn Roast G.  
Optional Stuffing G.

or



Tuna Mayonnaise F.E.

or



Tuna Mayonnaise F.E.G.

### Thursday



Pasta Bolognese G./Cheese D.

or



(v) Homemade Vegetable Burrito Bake D.G.

or



British Ham G.

### Friday



Crispy Salmon Fishcake F.G.

or



(v) Homemade Cheese & Tomato Pizza D.G.

or



(v) Cheddar Cheese D.G.

## Week 1 Dessert Menu

### Every day we offer:

(v) Yoghurt, (D.) or  
Fresh fruit as alternative dessert options

### Monday

(v) Swirly Chocolate Mousse D.  
(vg) Homemade Fruity Flapjack G.

### Tuesday

(v) Homemade Crispy Cornflake Cookie G.E.

### Wednesday

(v) Homemade Chocolate and Orange Brownie G.E.

### Thursday

(vg) Homemade Strawberry Slice G.

### Friday

(v) Ice Cream Tub D.  
(v) Cheddar Cheese, Crackers and  
Apple Wedges G.D.

All our meals include a carbohydrate accompaniment, seasonal vegetables and/or salad. We offer a choice of fruit juice cordial, semi skimmed milk or water to drink. Some schools offer a Hydration Station instead, comprising of unlimited chilled water flavoured with fresh fruit.

**Accompaniments may vary to those shown.**

**PLEASE NOTE** some schools serve the cold option in a deli bag with vegetable sticks or salad, a dessert and a drink.

### Key

vg = vegan  
V = vegetarian  
D = Dairy  
N = Coconut/Nuts  
S = Sesame  
E = Egg  
G = Gluten/Wheat  
F = Fish  
M = Mustard  
SB = Soya  
SU = Sulphites

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CHILDREN  
& FAMILY  
CENTRE



Welcome families  
to the centre

Show families to  
the well baby clinic  
room

Join us as a  
**Meet & Greet  
Volunteer**

Talk to families  
about Children &  
Family Centre  
services

Share local  
knowledge of  
community  
activities

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07525 804783

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## Volunteer Wanted

Meet and Greet Volunteer on Wednesday Mornings 9am—12pm

At Lillington CFC, 3 Mason Avenue, Leamington, CV32 7QE,

01926 887597



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Barnardo's

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Thank you for reading our newsletter  
and taking a note of important information and dates.

Have an enjoyable Weekend.

Lillington Nursery & Primary School.

A colorful graphic featuring a rainbow with white clouds at its ends, positioned above the text 'Have a great Weekend'. The text is written in a playful, bubbly font with each letter having a different color and a thick outline. The entire graphic is surrounded by numerous small, colorful circles in shades of pink, yellow, and blue, some of which have spiral patterns inside, resembling confetti or bubbles.

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