



*Loving to learn, Learning to love.
For every child a chance to shine*



LAYSTON C of E FIRST SCHOOL

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Friday 26th January 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Teaching and learning:

The children have had a fabulous week of learning. In Forest School, the children have wrapped up warm and tried to identify some birds by the sounds they make. The children have topped up the school bird feeders, ready for the RSPB School's Big Bird Watch.

Spring term learning:

Please check the school website for information about spring term curriculum learning in your child's class. Home learning activities for each year group have now been added for this half term. Please ask your child's class teacher if you require a printed copy.

<https://www.layston.herts.sch.uk/class-pages/>

Parent chat:

Our next parent chat will be on Feb 15th at 9:00 to share our behaviour policy and ethos. Please come to the school office after drop off if you are interested in joining our discussions.

Cold weather:

As temperatures continue to remain low, please ensure your child has appropriate layers, a school coat, hat and gloves, all named please.

Parent/teacher conferences:

These will take place during the day the week commencing 18th March. Further information is available on the school website.

<https://www.layston.herts.sch.uk/useful-information/learning-conferences-2023/>

Book Fair:

A reminder that the book fair is coming to Layston next week! It will be held afterschool on 29th January - 31st January in the school hall 3.20pm -4pm

Wonderful news:

I wanted to update our families about the wonderful news that Miss Wilcox has given birth to beautiful baby girl Grace Charlotte on Thursday 18th Jan. We know that you will join us in sending her our best wishes and huge congratulations and we can't wait to meet her.

Memory Hub:

Please see details below for advice and support relating to dementia and memory difficulties. The Fox and Duck are hosting a free drop in hub run by Alzheimer's society.





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Buntingford Memory Drop-in Hub

Looking for advice and support related to dementia/memory difficulties/getting a diagnosis?

Pop in to your local memory hub to speak to a dementia adviser

2nd Thursday of the month

1.30pm - 3pm

The Fox & Duck Public House

Church Street

Buntingford SG9 9AS

Contact Alzheimer's Society 01707 378365

E: central.herts@alzheimers.org.uk



Registered charity no. 290045. Alzheimer's Society operates in England, Wales and Northern Ireland.

Best wishes,
Adele McMurrough
Head teacher

