



# LIDGET MONTHLY

**Message from the headteacher:**

**February 2026**

Thank You for a Fantastic Half Term!

Dear Parents, Carers, Staff and Pupils,

As we reach the end of another busy and exciting half term, I wanted to say a huge thank you to everyone in our school community. Our pupils have worked incredibly hard and shown wonderful enthusiasm throughout this half term. We've been so proud of their achievements, behaviour and positive attitudes to learning. We've also packed in some amazing experiences and events:

- **Girl Power Workshop at City Hall - 14th January.** The girls who attended had an inspiring morning exploring leadership and empowerment
- **Year 1 Toy Museum - 14th January-** Year 1 pupils created a fantastic museum of their favourite toys
- **Year 3 visit to the National Science and Media Museum - 3rd February-** Year 3 had an exciting day at the Science and Media museum as part of the Goldsmiths writer programme funded by the National Literacy Trust
- **Number Day - Friday 6th February-** We celebrated the joy of maths raising money for the NSPCC by dressing up with numbers and taking part in fun maths activities across the school
- Roving Book Fair - 11th February- Thank you to everyone who supported our book fair and helped promote a love of reading
- **Valentine's Day Raffle-** Thank you for your generous support of our fundraising efforts
- **Young Voices - 13th February-** What an unforgettable experience for our choir performing at this spectacular event!

I hope you all have a restful and enjoyable half term break. Ramadan Mubarak to all those observing. I am looking forward to welcoming everyone back on **Monday 23rd February 2026** for more learning and exciting opportunities.

Warm regards,  
Mrs Woffendin  
Headteacher

## Upcoming Events

- March: Secondary school national offer day
- March 5: World Book day
- March 12: Student photographs in school
- March 15: Mothers Day plant sale
- March 19 & 20: School closed for Eid
- March 30 - April 10: Closed for Easter

## Attendance

Well done to 6G for achieving the highest attendance. As a reward, Year 6 enjoyed a well-deserved pizza party afternoon! The weekly attendance winner will be announced after half term.



## After school Clubs

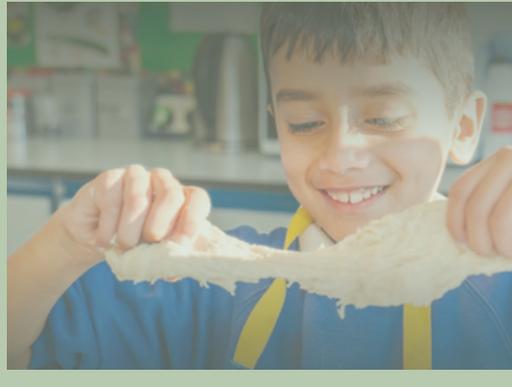
After School Clubs - February to March 2026

Please make your booking via the Arbor app which is now open. If you require any help with your Arbor login please contact the school office.

Clubs available are as follows:

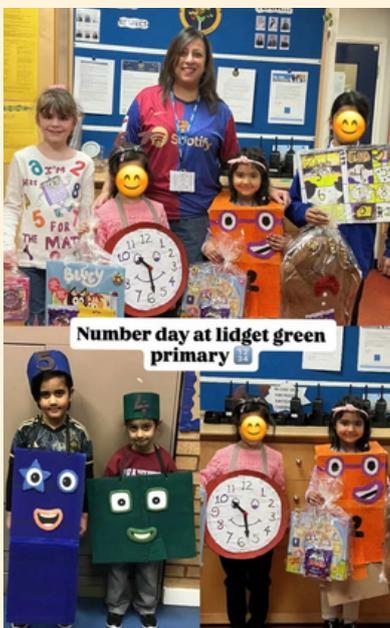
Monday Year 3 & 4 Multisport  
Tuesday Year 5 & 6 Multisport  
Wednesday Year 1 & 2 Multisport  
Thursday Reception and Year 1

Club times are 3:15 to 4:10pm children will be collected via the school office.



## Bun sale:

We raised £250 from our recent bun sale. Thank you to all parents and carers for your generous support. The money raised has been used to support children in school, particularly those taking part in Young Voices, by providing additional resources.



Number day at Lidget Green primary

## NUMBER DAY!

We celebrated NSPCC Number day at Lidget Green. Well done to all students and staff for taking part in the dress as a number competition. Well done to the four winners! We raised approximately £100 for a great cause



We would like to wish all our families observing Ramadan a very blessed and peaceful Ramadan Mubarak.



School is now on Instagram and Facebook- please follow us!





**"Success is earned one day at a time. Start by showing up."**

#### Reminder:

#### The Importance of Good Attendance and Punctuality

A reminder about the importance of good attendance and punctuality for your child's education and wellbeing. Regular school attendance helps children build friendships and develop social skills, and ensures they don't miss out on crucial learning. Every day at school counts, and even small absences can add up and impact your child's progress.



### Term-time leave and trips abroad

Trips abroad during term time will not be authorised.

If you are planning on taking a leave of absence during term time, this must be made in advance. You must complete the form from the office and a meeting will be arranged to discuss your request.

If you're experiencing any difficulties with your child's attendance or punctuality, please don't hesitate to speak to us. We're here to support you and work together to ensure your child gets the most from their education.



### Arriving on time

Please ensure your child arrives at school on time each day. Our doors open at 8.40am and close at 8.50am. Arriving after this time means your child will be marked as late for that session, even if they attend later in the day.

Good punctuality helps your child:

- Start the day calmly and settle into learning
- Avoid missing important instructions and learning
- Develop positive habits for their future

## School Uniform Reminder

#### Wearing the correct school uniform helps:

- Create a sense of belonging and school identity
- Promote equality among pupils
- Prepare children for future expectations in education and work
- Maintain a positive learning environment

#### Our uniform requirements

Please ensure your child wears the following each day:

- Blue school jumper/cardigan
- White polo shirt
- Grey/black trousers or skirt
- Black school shoes (not trainers)
- PE kit on PE days: (Navy blue tracksuit and red polo shirt)

#### Common uniform reminders

We've noticed some children arriving at school without the correct uniform.

Please remember:

- Trainers should only be worn on PE days
- Hair bobbles and hairbands should be in school colours.
- Jewellery should be limited to small stud earrings.

#### Need support with uniform costs?

We understand that uniform costs can be a concern for some families. If you're finding it difficult to afford uniform items, please speak to us in confidence. We may be able to help through:

- Donations of second-hand uniform
- Information about local support schemes

