



Principal: Mr Sam Done BA (Hons)

Chair of Governors: Mrs Nicole Walkley BA (Hons)

6 September 2024

Welcome back Little London families,

An amazing first week back at Little London, great to see you all back after a long summer break. We hope you have had an amazing time with friends and family?

ATTENDANCE

Here are the end of year attendance breakdowns. We still have work to do although every year group is an improvement on the previous year figure by at least 2%

Please keep supporting us by bringing your child every day and on time. Gates open at 8.40am and school starts at 8.50am when the gates are closed and locked.

If you arrive after 9.20am when registers close your child is likely to have an absent mark against the whole morning.

Year group	Attendance
Reception	92.05%
1	92.17%
2	94.12%
3	95.02%
4	94.31%
5	93.3%
6	95.7%

NEW YEAR 6 RESIDENTIAL

Our new Year 6 pupils will soon be receiving letters for the residential which this year will be in December. Please pay your deposit on the school online payment portal as soon as possible to secure your place on the trip.

ABSENCES FOR APPOINTMENTS

We do not allow children time out of school for routine check-ups at the dentist or doctors. Please arrange these in your own time after school or at the weekend/in the holidays. Urgent medical or dentists appointments must get the permission of Mr Done or Mrs Thackray and with as much notice as possible, not on the day of the appointment.

YEAR 6 JUMPERS

This week our Year 6 pupils were given their new jumpers, they look super smart! You'll know when you see one of our amazing group that they are in Year 6 as the jumper is grey. They will all be setting a great example to the younger children.

Other jumpers with the old logo are still available from the school office at a cost of only £5 and we will be selling these for the next few weeks, stock is running out fast!

SUMMER FAYRE TOTAL

The Little London Summer Fayre was an amazing success. Thank you to all the parents for an amazing turnout, we raised over £800 for school fund to buy new library books for the children!

ACCESS TO SCHOOL

Access to school is currently difficult as we wait to have the intercom and vehicle gate access updated sometime in the next week or two. If you need to access the school office during the day please call the mobile number which is posted on the top gate and we will let you into school.

EXTENDED LEAVE AND HOLIDAYS

In August the Government increased the cost of a fixed penalty notice (fine) to £80 per parent per child, which means that if you take a child out of school for 5 days, Leeds City council will issue a fine to you for £80 for every adult that travels in your holiday party. Please try to arrange visa visits in the holidays, the next holiday is in the last week of October/first week in November.

Have a lovely sunny weekend!

Sam Done
Principal

Kelsey Thackray
Vice Principal