



Livingstone NEWS

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A message from Mr Thornes

Hello and welcome back for the Autumn term at Livingstone.

It's been lovely speaking to parents, carers and community members in the last few weeks and it's great to see the pupils back and ready to learn.

You may well have seen that we've been busy over the holiday, adding a new shaded area to the top playground (see photo on right), refurbishing windows in the Elizabeth building and making essential improvements to the story garden among other changes.

Similarly we have introduced some new practice and ideas like the Y5/6 pupils being on the top playground in the mornings (mainly to alleviate overcrowding), adding a prize draw half termly to promote positive behaviour and expanding accelerated reader across the school.

What I've seen so far in the first few weeks are bright and enthusiastic pupils who want to improve and really value learning. I know we've got more exciting and innovative plans to come and I'll keep you abridged of them here. Livingstone is a very positive environment and my aim is in partnership with pupils and parents to keep developing and moving that process forward.

Welcome back.



Our new shaded area for KS2 pupils as part of our "A place to be" focus developing well-being

KEEPING YOU IN THE NEWS

We want to keep you up to date with all school news and information and what is happening at Livingstone Primary.

Our website is full of information and can be found at www.livingstoneprimary.co.uk

Our new look newsletter will be published at the beginning of each month with news and photographs.

For the latest up to the minute news you can follow us on twitter @LPSBedford and our Facebook page will be up and running shortly.



Sports News



Well done to our T-ball squad (pictured above) who won their competition at Biddenham School this week and to the year 5 and 6 netball teams. A brilliant first performance at Brickhill School.

The LIVINGSTONE Bulletin Board

School Times

Y5/6 8.50am,
YR-4 9.00am
Puffins nursery 8.45am.
School finishes at 3.30pm on Friday.

The latest that After or Pre school clubs can be paid is the day of attendance.

School dates to Christmas

October half term break up
Friday 19th back on
Tuesday 30th Oct
Christmas break up Friday
21st Dec, pupils back on
Monday Jan 7th.

Uniform reminder

Flat, plain headbands and clips please. Tights/socks (black, white, grey) not leggings.

Please ring the office if your child is ill and notify the office if you change address or phone number.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Singing Club

Year 3/4 Football Club

Science Club

Running Club

KS1 Multisports Club

KS2 Girls Multisports Club

Dance Club

Year 1-3 Film Club

UKS2 Football, Gym Club and KS2 Basketball Club

Clubs running currently

Boxing Club,

Skipping Club (to start asap)

Bootcamp,

Netball,

Wildlife Rangers

Craft Club and Sketching club to start after half term

A plea from Parrots!



Our Parrots (Reception) children need boxes of tissues.

Please hand in any donations to the office.

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB LEADER

We are looking for someone to run our hugely popular afterschool club working alongside current members of our team, providing a fun and safe environment for the children of Livingstone.

Hours of work : 3.15 p.m. – 6.00 p.m.
Monday – Friday (term time only + training days)
Salary: 3D Point 19

Livingstone Primary School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. All posts are subject to enhanced DBS check.

PLEASE SEE WEBSITE FOR DETAILS