

# Loddon Primary Federation

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## FEDERATION NEWS

### Friday 13th September 2019

Welcome back! I hope you've all had a lovely summer holiday. It's great to see all the children, and welcome some new faces as well.

We are trying to increase our presence on social media to help with communication, and celebrate achievements. I hope to be able to post pictures of children with your permission (which has been sent out). We now have the following accounts:



FaceBook - Loddon Primary Federation



Instagram - Loddon\_primary



Twitter - Loddon\_primary

It's a learning process so bear with me!!  
Richard

### 5/6Ca NEWS

5/6 Ca have been working hard and settling in to life back at school. We have been looking at what life in year 5 and 6 will look like for the year ahead and are being introduced to our topics for this term. We have been studying number and place value in maths, the poetry of Ted Hughes in English, the Earth and space in science and what life was like in the Stone Age for topic. It's early in the term, but we have made a really positive start both within lessons, and around the school in general!



### SCOOTERING AND CYCLING

Although we encourage children to come to school on scooters/bikes etc. can we remind you that these must not be ridden on the school playground before or after school this is to ensure there are no accidents. Thank you.



No cycling,  
roller blading,  
skateboarding or  
scooter riding

### JEWELLERY

Jewellery should NOT be worn in school. For pierced ears, simple studs only may be worn, which will need to be removed by the child for PE (or plasters / tape provided by parents if they cannot be removed). It would be advisable for the younger children, in particular, to have their earrings removed before school on PE days.

### LETTERS

Lots of letters and information has come home this week, including a calendar of diary dates. If you have not yet handed in your student update form and consent forms please do so as soon as possible. This information is vital in order to make sure we have your correct details.

### PARENTPAY

ParentPay Login information for all new children has been sent out to enable you to register for Lunches and trips. Lunches are free at the Infants but need to be paid for at the Juniors. They are £2.40 a day or £12.00 for the week. Please ensure all orders are placed on line by midnight Thursday for the following week.

### ANNIE THEATRE TRIP

Mr G has arranged the first Theatre Trip of the Season to see Annie The Musical at Langley School on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> October. Please return the reply slip to either of- fice by Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October if you would like to book tickets.

### WINTER CLOTHING

Please can you ensure your child has a named coat in school for the changeable weather we are having at the moment and also long trousers/leggings for PE.

### MOBILE PHONES

If Junior children bring a mobile phone to school, please ask them to leave them with the office staff for safe keeping during the day.

### MUSIC LESSONS

Lessons at the Juniors have been starting again this week. If you are new to starting an instrument we will contact you next week with dates/information etc.

### PARENT HUB

Please sign up to the Parent Hub app for either/both schools. This is a text and messaging system that we use to regularly communicate with parents. By signing up to the app the school will not have to spend valuable money on sending text messages to parents as through the app it is free. Thank you.

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Loddon Junior School

would like you to join their channel on Parent Hub.

Just tap "Add a School" in the app and enter the handle below...

@LoddonJun

The Parent Hub app is FREE to download and use.



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Instructions for Parents



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### PE KIT

White T-shirt and black shorts, or plain coloured T-shirt appropriate to their House Team. Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 require plimsolls in a shoe bag, and Years 3 - 6 require trainers for outside use. The same footwear should not be used inside and out. Children who are keen on playing football on the field will need to change into trainers. If ear-rings can not be removed for PE, please could you send in plasters or tape.

### INFANT HOME SCHOOL DIARIES

All infant children are sent home with a home school diary. This is for you to communicate with your child's teacher. Please list in this diary any people who are able to collect your child from school. We will not allow children to go home with anyone other than a parent unless we have had permission from a parent. Thank you.

### UNIFORM

Our school uniform supplier is [www.uniformeasy.com/loddon-federation](http://www.uniformeasy.com/loddon-federation) where you can buy school sweatshirts/fleece's and cardigans plus t-shirt for house colours.

Please can you ensure that all uniform including bags, packed lunch boxes etc is named, this makes it much easier to return any lost items. Thank you

### YEAR 6 HEIGHT AND WEIGHT

Letters for the Yr6 Height & Weight National Child Measurement Programme have come home. If you wish to opt out, please do so by Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October emailing the NHS on [CCS-TR.NCMPScreeningOptPut@nhs.net](mailto:CCS-TR.NCMPScreeningOptPut@nhs.net) Reception letters will follow shortly.

### YEAR 5 TRIP

Year 5 have booked a trip to Norwich Castle on Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October. Please sign up via ParentPay or call into the office if you need to pay by cash/cheque.



### NO NUT SCHOOL

Just a reminder that we are a no nut school this includes Nutella as we have several children who are very allergic

### ALDI TOKENS

We will be collecting Aldi Kit for Schools vouchers. If you shop there, please send them in!

Aldi's Kit for Schools promotion is giving 20 primary schools the chance to win £20,000 to kick-start a health legacy for their school. What's more, every school who enters by completing their Aldi's Kit for Schools poster will also receive an exclusive school sports kit! Collect a sticker with every £30 spent in store and fill up your school's poster for a chance to win.



### YEARS 4/5 KINGSWOOD TRIP 2020

We are booked in for 5<sup>th</sup> - 7<sup>th</sup> February 2020. An information letter was sent home yesterday. Please pay a deposit via ParentPay or the office by Friday 27<sup>th</sup> September if you would like your children to take part.

### JUNIOR SITE CLUBS

Several Clubs have been organised this term.  
Monday: Drama 3.15pm - 4.15pm  
Tuesday: After School sports - 3.30pm - 4.30pm  
Wednesday: Choir 3.30pm - 4.15pm

### FRIENDS

There is a friends meeting being held at The White Horse on 16<sup>th</sup> September at 7:45pm. If anyone is interesting in joining the friends or attending the meeting please feel free to go along or speak to either office.

The friends raise a significant amount of money for the school each year to provide 'extras' for the children.

### CONSIDERATE PARKING

The school welcomes considerate parkers! Please use spaces on the side of the road as much as possible, and also allow residents access in and out of their driveways. Please do not use the staff car parks. My priority is the children's safety, and encouraging safe and considerate parking to allow children safe access to school. I would appreciate your support in this matter so that the school can have good relationships with the community.

**No parent parking in the school grounds please, except for disabled access, for the safety of your children.**

### PARENTS EVENING

Parents Evenings are:

Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> October

Juniors 3.30 - 6.00pm

Infants 5.00-7.00pm

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October

Infants 3.30-6.00

Juniors 5.00-7.00pm

### SWIMMING LESSONS

Swimming lessons will take place at Hobart Swimming pool, for Year 4 children only, in groups of approximately 15, with a White Dolphin swimming instructor. This will mean that the children will get 6 weeks of quality teaching in a large swimming pool. We will take the children in ability groups rather than class groups so the teaching can be more focused around their needs. Separate letters will be distributed to Year 4 parents with more details.

### CLASS ASSEMBLIES

Each class will have one class assembly during the school year. The assemblies will continue to be at 8:55am (Infants) and 3:10pm (Juniors) on a Friday to hopefully make it easier for parents to come and enjoy their children's assemblies. The assemblies will be about 20 minutes long. The dates are as follows:

11th Oct—5/6Ca

8th Nov—5/6Cr

22nd Nov—1S & 5/6G

24th Jan—2R

31st Jan—4K

7th Feb—1EY

14th Feb—4H

13th Mar—3J

20th Mar—2SH

27th Mar—3B

15th May—RE

12th Jun—RC

Celebration assemblies will continue as usual.

### HIGH SCHOOL PREFERENCE REQUEST

Year 6 have brought home letters and information regarding High School in 2020. You can cast your preference online and the closing date is 31<sup>st</sup> October 2019.





School Name: Loddon Infant

## Annual Childhood Flu Immunisation Programme 2019/20

Reception and Years 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6

The school-based nasal flu vaccination programme helps protect your child against flu. Flu can be a dangerous illness and sometimes causes serious complications. Your child is entitled to the vaccination free, from the NHS.

Please follow this link to consent or decline: <https://tinyurl.com/y2vc7vt9>

Session Date: 03/10/2019

The link will close on: 25/09/2019

If you are unable to click on the above link, please type it into your Web browser rather than a search engine.

If your child has asthma, please read this [Important Medical Information](#)

The vaccine contains [gelatine](#); there is no suitable alternative for healthy children.

**THIS FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED BY THE PERSON WITH LEGAL PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE CHILD (EITHER BIRTH PARENT OR AGREED THROUGH COURT).**

Further information:

[Support in submitting consent / decline](#)

[NHS Children's flu vaccine](#)

[Pharmaceutical Information](#)

[Child flu film](#)

We provide this service to help protect the health of your child as part of our public task as a health service provider; [Privacy Notice](#). Your child's school has provided us with your contact details. We will update your child's electronic health record and notify your GP of the immunisation.

Your consent to vaccination will be valid for the period of our flu programme. If your child receives the vaccine elsewhere, or you withdraw your consent, please contact us.

We may contact you via SMS; if you do not wish to be contacted via text, please let us know.

If you require further advice or information, please contact the School Immunisation Team:

Tel: 0300 555 5055 Email: [ccs.norfolk.immunisationteam@nhs.net](mailto:ccs.norfolk.immunisationteam@nhs.net)

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## You are invited to Premier Sport's extracurricular activities



Here's what's on near you:

### Premier After School Club at Loddon Infant School

#### Premier Street Dance

Monday 16th September 2019 to Monday 9th December 2019 15.15-16.15 Years: All  
Online Discounted Price £48.00

Bookings can be made after the start date – Priority is given to online bookings!

[www.premiersport.org](http://www.premiersport.org)

To discover the activities available and to book today, visit  
[premier-education.com](http://premier-education.com)

## Loddon Junior School NR14 6JX

is looking for a Food Service Assistant

Monday – Friday 9:00 – 14:00 -25 hours per week

38 weeks per year (term time only) £8.21 per hour

To work alongside catering staff preparing food, serving pupils, completing general cleaning duties & delivering lunches to other schools

Must hold a current clean driving license

Full training given & uniform provided, for more information please contact:

Liz Duncan, Area Catering Manager 078508832880

## Bookends

### Storytime and craft event

Loddon Library

Alternate Fridays

3.30-4.00pm

Listen to a story and join our volunteer in a craft activity related to the book



For more information contact the library on 01508 520678.

Suitable for school aged children up to and including Year 3.

Children under 8 must be accompanied by an adult.

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Are you the parent of a child or young person with special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND)?

Join us for coffee at an information and feedback session about

**SEN Support and Education, Health and Care Plans (EHCPs)**

We've invited Norfolk SEND Partnership Information, Advice and Support Service (SENDIASS) and a representative of the Local Offer to join us so you can:

- Find out more about SEN Support and EHCP assessments
- Tell us about your own experiences of support for your child with SEND
- Ask questions in a relaxed setting
- Share ideas with other parent carers



**Tuesday 17 September** 10.00am – 1.00pm  
Community Room, South Lynn Community Centre, 10 St. Michael's Road, **King's Lynn**, PE30 5HE

**Monday 23 September** 10.00am – 1.00pm  
The Suite, Dereham Football Club, Aldiss Park, Norwich Road, **Dereham**, NR20 3PX

**Tuesday 24 September** 10.00am – 1.00pm  
The Noble Hall, The Priory Centre, Priory Plain, **Great Yarmouth**, NR30 1NW

**Monday 30 September** 10.00am – 1.00pm  
The Colman Room, South Norfolk House, Cygnet Court, **Long Stratton**, NR15 2XE

**Wednesday 2 October** 10.00am – 1.00pm  
Main Hall, Aylsham Care Trust, St. Michael's Avenue, **Aylsham**, NR11 6YA

If you can come, please email us at [events@familyvoice.org.uk](mailto:events@familyvoice.org.uk) or call/text on 07535 895748.