



Ladywood School



OCTOBER 2020 NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents/Carers,

Once again a huge thank you to all of our Ladywood families who have been so supportive during this half term - we really are all in this together!

This half term we have enjoyed a few whole school events that we have carried out in a COVID secure manner - thank you to everyone who has supported both the Macmillan Coffee Morning and Harvest.

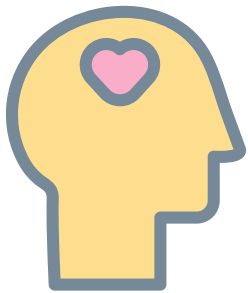
On Wednesday 21st October we will host our very first virtual Parents evening. Please keep to your appointment time as the Class Teachers have a tight schedule to follow. If you have requested for the meeting to take place via Zoom, the details will be sent to you prior to the start of the evening.

Wishing everyone a lovely half term

Susan and the staff at Ladywood



WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY



On Friday 9th October we marked World Mental Health Day with our #helloyellow event.

Pupils came to school wearing yellow. The children did lots of fun activities including making bananas and custard, having a yellow themed photo booth in class, taking part in the #helloyellow challenge, having fun with yellow balloons and bubbles, doing yoga, mindfulness and dancing our worries away.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

If your child tests positive for COVID after school finishes on Friday, please inform school by sending an email to the school office, the email address is:

office@ladywood.bolton.sch.uk

Thank you for your co-operation

REMINDER

School will close at the usual time on Friday 23rd October and re-open on Monday 9th November.

Money raised this term....

Thank you so much to everyone for your donations this half term We raised:

- £349.90 for Macmillan
- £117.40 for Young Minds.



Dinner Money:

£1.80 per dinner, £9.00 a week

Please ensure money coming into school is clearly labelled. Should you wish your child to change from sandwiches to school meals or vice versa please can you give the school office notice. Should you wish to pay by cheque, please make cheques payable to Ladywood School.

Tuck:

Voluntary £1 a week

COMMUNICATION WITH HOME

All classes are now contacting parents via Dojo app which can be easily downloaded. Letters will still be attached through this app, however we will still send home to any family that cannot access this.

Ladywood School Committee



Ladywood School Committee are delighted to announce that Kelly Holland is our new Parent representative

Ladywood Blog

Please don't forget to check the blog for daily/weekly updates on the children's learning and all the exciting activities that have been happening around school. The blog is a great way for everyone to communicate and to keep up to date.
<http://blog.ladywood.bolton.sch.uk/>

Covid 19 - Lets work together

Thank you so much to everyone for their support and co-operation during these difficult times. Self-isolation is one of the most important measures to help reduce the spread of the virus.

What does Self-Isolation mean?

Self-isolation means that the child does not leave the house for any reason, they should not visit any other households, go to a place of worship or meet with anyone else.

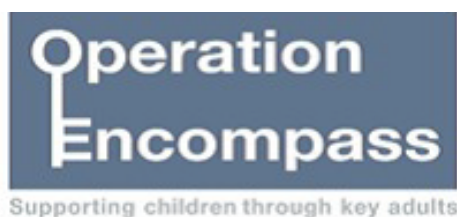
It means:

- stay at home
- do not go to school, out of school provision, youth or sports clubs (to train or play)
- do not go shopping
- do not go out with friends or family members
- do not visit places of worship or religious observance

If a person self-isolating becomes symptomatic they should book a covid test through the national portal

(<https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test>)

Support is available for families who are all self-isolating and where there is no one else who can offer this support. To access this, families can contact the local authority support helpline by calling 01204 337221. There are also sources of support and information that can help, such as the Every Mind Matters website.



Ladywood School is in partnership with Bolton Safeguarding Board and Greater Manchester Police in a project called "Bolton Encompass". The project is designed to provide support for children who may be impacted on by domestic violence. Information from Encompass will be shared with Mrs Susan Taylor who has been identified as key adult at Ladywood. The key adults will ensure that appropriate supportive strategies are put in place.

We are pleased to announce the School Councillors of 2020/21
1P- Aoife, 1A- Michael,
Tulip- Callum, 2S- Szantino,
2L- Hussain, 2C- Olivia,
2B- Baylee, 3J- Kye, 3B- Hamna,
3C- Jaxson, 4H- Henry,
4B- Amber, 4M- To be
confirmed, 5C- Marcus,
6W- Daisy, 6P- Michael,
6K- Harry