

LAMBS LANE NEWS

WEEK 19 - 30.01.26

Attendance

As a school, we aim to have above 96% attendance. We hope you can support us in this goal!

Your schedule for next week:



MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

We have had a great week and even saw some sunshine today—long may it last. In foundation stage, the children have made bird feeders and gone on a birdwatch as part of the RSPB Big Garden Birdwatch. Year 1 have enjoyed writing stories about their teddies while in Year 3 and 4 the children have been looking at electrical circuits. Upper KS2 have been writing spy stories—a busy week for all. Hope you all have a lovely weekend and look forward to seeing you all on Monday!

Stephanie Meikle

ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK

	WRENS	91.4%	MERLINS	94.7%
	OWLS	93.3%	ROBINS	94.3%
	WOODPECKERS	94.1%	HERONS	88%
	KINGFISHERS	93%	WHOLE SCHOOL	92.7%

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 5/6 Greek Workshop	3:30 — 4:30 KS1 Gymnastics	3:30 — 4:30 KS2 Ball Skills	Year 5/6 Parents Sharing Event	3:30 — 4:30 EYFS + KS1 Ball Sports
3:30—4:30 EYFS + KS1 Multi Sports		3:30 — 4:30 Yr 1—3 Recorder Club		

Noticeboard

School Uniform

Black trainers—We have seen an increase in coloured trainers since September. Please remember this is NOT part of our school uniform footwear which should be—Sensible, plain black shoes or plain trainers - No Logo

Earrings—It has been common practice at Lambs Lane for many years to expect that pupils will remove earrings for the duration of their PE lesson. This is for health and safety reasons and is common place in most primary schools.

Please follow the link to our school uniform:

[School Uniform - Lambs Lane Primary School -](#)

Toys from Home

We kindly ask that children do not bring toys from home into school (unless instructed to by a teacher as part of a lesson). While we understand how special these items can be, toys can easily become lost or damaged, which can cause unnecessary upset. Bringing toys in can also lead to distractions during learning time and, at times, disagreements between children. School provides a wide range of resources and activities that support learning, sharing, and positive play experiences for everyone. Thank you for your continued support in helping us maintain a calm, focused, and happy learning environment for all pupils.

School Trips ...

School trips play a vital role in enriching children's learning by bringing lessons to life beyond the classroom. They offer valuable opportunities for pupils to explore new environments, deepen their understanding of topics studied in school, and develop important social skills such as independence, teamwork, and confidence. These experiences often leave a lasting impression and help to inspire curiosity and enthusiasm for learning.

Voluntary contributions are essential in making these trips possible. The cost of transport, entrance fees, and additional resources continues to rise, and without sufficient contributions many trips would unfortunately be unable to go ahead. While contributions are voluntary, we are extremely grateful for the support we receive, as it helps ensure that all pupils can continue to benefit from these memorable and educational experiences. Thank you for your continued support in helping us provide rich learning opportunities for every child.



ART EXHIBITION

20th-22nd
February

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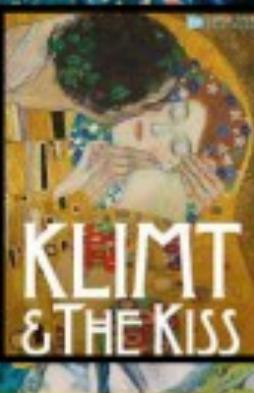
SCHOOL GREEN
CENTRE
SHINFIELD
RG2 9EH

SHINFIELD ART SHOWCASE

16th-22nd February 2026

FILMS & ACTIVITIES ALL WEEK FINISHING WITH THE ART EXHIBITION

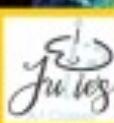
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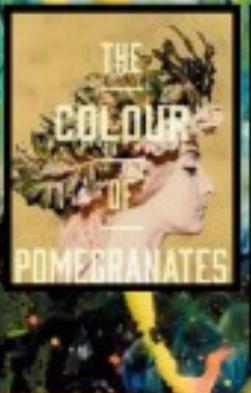
SUNFLOWERS



Paint With Paint



FREE ANIMATION
WORKSHOP



THE
COLOUR
OF
POMEGRANATES



THE GIRL WITH THE
PEARL EARRING

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HOLIDAY HQ

DESTINATION IMAGINATION



Where imagination turns into action
this February half-term

Multi-activity holiday childcare clubs



February half-term childcare clubs near you

When school closes for half-term, work often doesn't slow down — and many families find themselves needing reliable childcare during the week.

This February half-term, Holiday HQ camps will be running at over 70 venues across the UK, delivered by **Junior Adventures Group** — an experienced provider of **Ofsted-registered** holiday and wraparound childcare.

Holiday HQ is a multi-activity holiday childcare programme designed for children aged **4-11**, with activities adapted across age groups. It offers full days of structured, active care in a safe, welcoming environment — helping children stay engaged while parents get through the working week.

Holiday HQ: Destination Imagination

Each school holiday, Holiday HQ runs under a different theme. This February, **Destination Imagination** invites children to take part in creative challenges, team activities and hands-on play that build confidence, curiosity and teamwork.

 **Mon 16 – Fri 20 February** (dates may vary by venue)

What a day at Holiday HQ looks like

Days follow a clear, reassuring structure, with a balance of activity and creative time:

- ⌚ **Hero Activities** – themed, high-energy activities that bring the day to life
- ⌚ **Make & Take workshops** – creative projects children can proudly take home
- ⌚ **Skill Zone challenges** – confidence-building games focused on teamwork and problem-solving
- ⌚ **Sports & team games** – active play that keeps children moving and engaged

What parents can expect

HERE'S WHAT'S HAPPENING



AT DESTINATION IMAGINATION THIS FEBRUARY HALF-TERM

Holiday HQ: Destination Imagination offers a mix of activities designed for children aged 4-11, keeping them engaged throughout the day. From **Hero Activities** and hands-on **Make & Take** creations to **Skill Zone** challenges that support confidence and teamwork, every day brings something a little different. Daily themed activities include:

DEEP-SEA DISCOVERER

- ✓ Sunken Treasure Quest
- ✓ Ocean Creature Cookies
- ✓ Sea Bottom Mini Golf

RAPID RESCUE RESPONDER

- ✓ Disaster Dash – Save the Town!
- ✓ Mini Parachute Buddy
- ✓ Emergency Airlift Landing Zone

SPORTS STAR

- ✓ Super Sports Tournament
- ✓ Finger Football Frenzy
- ✓ Slam Dunk Snack Shootout

EXPLORER ENGINEER

- ✓ Elements Endurance Towers
- ✓ Static Surge Dance
- ✓ Electric Paper Circuit

INTELLIGENCE AGENT

- ✓ Operation: Escape Room!
- ✓ Cipher keypad
- ✓ Operation: Stealth Trace

Holiday HQ by Junior Adventures Group provides trusted, Ofsted-registered holiday childcare. Flexible attendance options and a range of payment methods help families plan February half-term with confidence.



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⌚ **Ofsted-registered childcare**, delivered by friendly, fully DBS-checked staff

⌚ **Reliable holiday cover** you can plan around

⌚ **10% Sibling discount** applied automatically

⌚ **Tax-Free Childcare** accepted, where eligible

⌚ **Convenient** local venues

Ways families can save this February half-term

⌚ **Sibling discount**

An **extra 10%** off automatically applied when booking more than one child

⌚ **Multi-day discount**

Book **4+ days** in the same week and receive an **additional 4%** off, automatically applied at checkout

All eligible discounts are combined automatically at checkout, helping families get the best available price.

If you're starting to think about childcare for February half-term, you can find your local Holiday HQ club via the link below to view session times, prices and booking options.

👉 **Find your local club**

Less stress for you. Themed fun for them.