

Leigh Beck Infant & Nursery Academy

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Newsletter

Friday 12th December 2025

Dear Parents/Carers

This is a very exciting time in school with all of our upcoming festivities, Christmas dinner, parties and our whole school service at St Anne's Church next week. Children are very welcome to wear their Christmas Jumpers for Christmas dinner day and obviously party clothes on Thursday. We are all very excited!

There are some changes to the dinner menu next week as we take our freezers down for the holidays and this is attached to this email along with the Christmas Dinner menu for Tuesday.

Have a wonderful weekend

Mrs Smith x



Well being Award

We are very honoured to have received our re-accreditation for the Wellbeing Award for School. This highlights all of the amazing things we do as a school and a community to support the wellbeing of our children and families. Well done to Mrs Verkley and the team!



Please do not forget to check out our two new social media channels that we have set up alongside our school website to share all the wonderful things we do with you and your family. These can be found by searching:



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Leigh Beck Infants

Come and join us!!!

Illness and Attendance

If your child is ill and not going to be in school, please ensure that you call everyday they are off sick or email

attendance@leighbeck-inf.essex.sch.uk

Please send any prescription labels, medical evidence of illness or medical appointments to this address also so that can be added to your child's records.

Christmas Jumper Day!

Everyone looked really festive in school today, children and staff alike.

Thanks to your generosity we raised £67 for Save the Children and their appeal! Thank you all so much!



Children's Christmas Raffle for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2

Our Christmas raffle will be drawn next Friday! Tickets are 20p each and children can buy these from their class teacher! There are some great prizes up for grabs! You have to be in it to win it!!!



Celebrations in school this month

So far in school this month we have celebrated in our classrooms Hanukkah, learning about the Jewish Festival of light, the Menorah and the dreidel. We are also looking advent especially opening our calendars and of course Christmas and the Nativity story.



In December we will celebrate:

Christmas

Kwanza

Hanukkah



Reminders

Tuesday 16th December
Wednesday 17th December
Friday 19th December
Friday 19th December
Monday 5th January 2026

Whole School Christmas Dinner Day
Nursery, Reception, Year 1, and Year 2 Christmas Parties
Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 Visit to St. Anne's Church
School and Nursery closed for Christmas
School returns.



WINTER MENU 2025 WEEK 1 5/1, 19/1, 2/2,

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Beef Bolognese Pasta Shells Vegetarian Bolognese Pasta Shells (v)	Breaded Fish Fingers Plant Based Fishless Finger (V)	Roast Chicken Fillet Roast Quorn Fillet (V) Yorkshire Pudding Gravy	Sausage Roll Vegetarian Sausage Roll (v)	High Fibre Bread Bun Filled with Ham High Fibre Bread Bun Filled with Cheese (V)
	Skin on Fries	Roast Potatoes	Deep Ridge Potato Slices	Bag of Crisps
Steamed Broccoli Florets	Sweetcorn	Steamed Mixed Vegetables	Baked Beans	Cucumber Sticks
Fruit Pot	Apple Cake	Fruit Yoghurt Pot	Fruity Flapjack	Frube Yoghurt
Water, Milk or Fruit Juice	Water, Milk or Fruit Juice	Water, Milk or Fruit Juice	Water, Milk or Fruit Juice	Water, Milkshake or Fruit Juice

WINTER MENU 2025 WEEK 2 12/1, 26/1, 9/2

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Cheese & Tomato Pizza (V)	Harry Ramsden Battered Fish Fillet	All Day Breakfast Bacon Chipolata Sausage Quorn Sausage (V)	Cheese & Tomato Pasta Bake (V)	High Fibre Bread Bun with Chicken & Sweetcorn Mayonnaise Filling Vegetarian Chicken Style Mayonnaise Filled High Fibre Bun (V)
Cauliflower Hash Brown	Chips	Hash Brown	Garlic & Herb Slice	Crisps
Sweetcorn	Peas	Baked Beans	Steamed Broccoli Florets	Cucumber Sticks
American Style Pancake & Fruit Sauce	Chocolate Brownie	Ice Cream Pot	Chocolate Chip Cookie	Mini Muffin
Water, Milk or Fruit Juice	Water, Milk or Fruit Juice	Water, Milk or Fruit Juice	Water, Milk or Fruit Juice	Water, Milkshake or Fruit Juice