Littlegreen Academy

We've embraced thrive in our Setting

SOLENT Academies Trust

Weekly Newsletter: Friday 4th July 2025

Littlegreen Academy's Vision

Our vision is that all pupils at Littlegreen Academy will grow to be confident adults who communicate well, so that they can live healthy, happy and successful lives.

The foundation of all our endeavours in everything we do.

Class of the Week: Beacon

As we head into the final stretch of the term, Beacon Class has been buzzing with learning, laughter, and exciting adventures! Here's a look at what we've been up to recently and some of the fantastic work these pupils have been doing.

This month in Literacy, Beacon Class has been diving into some rich and thought-provoking texts. We have focused particularly on comprehension tasks, helping pupils to explore characters' motivations, make predictions, and infer meaning beyond the text. It's been wonderful to see how their confidence is growing in expressing opinions and backing them up with evidence from the stories.

To support this at home, you might ask your child questions like:
Why do you think the character did that?
What might happen next?
Can you find a sentence that shows how the character feels?

In Maths, our current topic is Units of Measurement. We have explored length, mass, capacity and time. The children have been converting between units, solving real-life problems, and even designing their own measuring investigations.

Highlights include:
- Estimating and measuring classroom objects using rulers and measuring tapes.
- Timing each other in races and converting seconds into minutes.
- Comparing weights of everyday items

Why not try some real-world measuring at home? Baking, DIY, or even timing chores are great ways to put these skills to use.

The absolute highlight of the term was our incredible trip to Thorpe Park…the children had an unforgettable day full of laughter, learning, and (for some) a few screams on the rollercoasters! They showed excellent behaviour throughout the day, making us proud as they worked together, supported each other, and tackled their fears.

Many pupils said it was their best school trip ever, and it has been a joy to hear their stories and see them write persuasive reviews, recounts, and even poetry inspired by the experience.

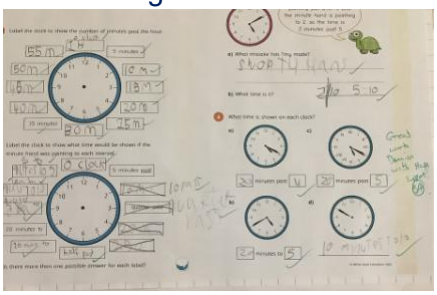
As always, thank you for your continued support. Beacon Class has shown such enthusiasm and resilience this term, and we are so proud of their progress. Let's finish the year strong!

Forthcoming Events:

11th July – Transition Morning
18th July – End of Term (2pm finish)
21st July – Inset Day
22nd July – Inset Day

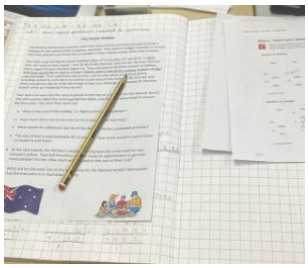
Subject of the Week: Maths

What an exciting term we have enjoyed in maths at Littlegreen. We have seen our pupils work collaboratively with one another and focus on some 'real life' maths problems; ranging from telling the time, solving word problems relating to the real world and even planning a holiday on a budget.



Some of our KS4 pupils had to consolidate their knowledge of fractions and percentages when organising a family holiday to Australia - calculating flight prices, costs of hiring and car and different excursions, all whilst working on a budget. In addition to this, pupils selected their career, were given a salary and had to find accommodation, pay bills and work out their disposable income at the end of each month.

With the summer holidays fast approaching, our pupils still have access to some of our online software, but there are also some fantastic resources on BBC Bitesize to keep them 'maths active' over the summer.



Value of the Week:

Rufus from Ash class, Ben, George and Brandon from Oak class, Harrison from Bignor class, Finley from Harting class and Bailey from Beacon class all showed tremendous **courage** during a racing challenge for Greenpower!

Hayden from Willow class showed great **courage** by taking part in an athletics session.

Damian from Beacon class showed **courage** by trying new things on a trip to Thorpe Park.

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Congratulations to our top point scorers of the week:

Oscar from Harting class for upper school.

George from Oak class for lower school.

CHAT & CHILL

West Sussex Parent Carer Forum

Chat & Chill coffee morning for SEND Parents

Parenting a child with SEND can feel overwhelming, but you don't have to do it alone.

Join us for a relaxed coffee morning, connect with other parent carers, and take a well-deserved break -the first drink is on us!

Tuesday 8th July

9:30 - 10:30

Cafe Paradiso,

45 North Street, Chichester, PO19 1NF

No need to book, just drop by!

We'd love to see you there.