



News & Updates



Leavesden Green School JMI & Nursery

Friday 18th September 2026

Curriculum maps / Meet the teacher videos

Please log onto the school website to see each class and year groups Curriculum map for the Autumn term as well as a meet the teacher video! -

<https://www.leavesden.herts.sch.uk/Curriculum/Curriculum-Maps/>.

Topics in the videos include:

- Class staff
- Curriculum coverage
- Home learning expectations
- Google Classroom
- Important Dates



Road safety sessions

Our Year 1 and 2 children recently took part in an engaging Road Safety session with the Parking People. The children learned about making safe choices when walking to and from school, including the importance of Stop, Look and Listen, staying alert and avoiding distractions.

They also learned about zig-zag road markings outside school and why it is important for drivers to park safely and sensibly, keeping the area clear for children and families.

The children will now put their learning into action through a “Park Smart, Stay Safe” banner competition. They will be creating colourful banners to remind everyone not to park on the zig-zag lines and to park considerately around the school. The banner competition will take place at many local schools with prizes of up to £20 for the winning child, the school receiving £200 in book vouchers and the winning design being professionally printed and displayed outside of the school.

We hope our young Safety Ambassadors will help spread the message at home and in the community: “Park Smart, Stay Safe!”.

We look forward to seeing all of the Year 1 and 2 children’s beautiful artwork!

Y6 - Secondary School Application - September 2027

The Secondary School Application deadline is **Saturday 31st October.**

Please click on the following link to make an application for your child:

<https://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/services/schools-and-education/school-admissions/secondary-and-upper-schools/secondary-and-upper-school-places.aspx>

DEADLINE

Donations

With the wet weather finally returning we need your help. If you have any spare **wellies** or **puddle suits** which you would be able to donate to the school we would be incredibly grateful.

Please bring these to the school office. -
Thank you in advance!



Leavesden Runners

Leavesden Park Run

This year we are going to keep attending the final weekend of the month as our Leavesden Park Run. Our first Park Run will be:



SUNDAY 27TH SEPTEMBER

Where is it? Leavesden Country Park - [click here for the map.](#)

Who can take part? Any child aged 4–14 years old (Children do not need an adult to run with them)

How much does it cost? Completely **free!**

For more information, please visit the Junior ParkRun page by clicking [here.](#)



Events for 2026/27

We are planning to attend and take part in the following local running events this year:

Abbots Langley Tough Ten (children's fun run races) - Sunday 4th October 2026

Watford Junior Challenge - Saturday 21st March 2026

We are also looking into the logistics of entering the school for the **London Mini Marathon** - Friday 23rd April, offering our runners the chance to run a section of the London Marathon and cross the actual finish line. **WATCH OUT FOR MORE INFORMATION!**



FOLLOW US ON INSTAGRAM & FACEBOOK



We are now up and running on both Instagram ([leavesdengreenjmi](https://www.instagram.com/leavesdengreenjmi)) And Facebook! Please click on the following links to follow us and keep up to date with what we have been up to:

Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/leavesdengreenjmi/?hl=en>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/share/17mRmMxKbL/?mibextid=wwXlfr>

Pre-Loved Uniform

If you have any good quality logoed uniform that you no longer need, please donate it to us (via the school office) so we can wash and resell it to other families. Many thanks!

Upcoming Birthdays

- ★ Lara, Explorer class
- ★ Alexis, Griffin class
- ★ Liora, Melody class
- ★ George, Explorer class
- ★ Aria, Ocean class
- ★ Amelia, Emerald class
- ★ Annabelle, Phoenix class
- ★ Indy, Explorer class
- ★ Annalise, Gade class
- ★ Prithvi, Harmony class



Super Learners

We see many super learners across school every week; it's a real challenge to just select two children for this prestigious award. Here are some of the super learners that stood out this week in their learning:

Ocean	Explorers	Gade	Snowdon	Harmony	Melody	Griffin	Phoenix
Caleb	Savannah Indy	Steven Jessie Annalise	Blake Jenna	Shindara Hayden	Yusra Shayen	Rayyan Chase	Joseph Sienna
Emerald	Sapphire	Astronaut	Galaxy	Forest	Bridge	Mountain	River
Adelie Ruby	Yunus Anays	Elsie Maisie	Dara Jasmine	Halima Samuel	Mia Frankie	Libby Kayden	Lacey Mahnoor

Attendance

We are all striving to be in school every single day; every moment of learning counts! 95% is the minimum expectation for every child. Did we collectively achieve that this week?

EVERYONE	Explorers	Gade	Snowdon	Harmony	Melody	Griffin	Phoenix
94%	97.9%	88.2%	94%	86.7%	95.3%	90.4%	95%
Emerald	Sapphire	Astronaut	Galaxy	Forest	Bridge	Mountain	River
99.1%	95.4%	95.5%	97.8%	93.6%	90.4%	96.7%	94.5%
Dove	Jetstream	Navajo	Baron				
95.1%	91%	94%	96.4%				

Success outside of school

If your child/ren achieve or accomplish something out of school, please share it with the office so that it can be celebrated in the newsletter - admin@leavesden.education

Autumn Term Clubs

Bookings for our in house clubs as well as external clubs for the Autumn term are ***STILL OPEN*** and with spaces still available!

To book your child on to a place, click [HERE](#) for the link direct to our school website.
(Please note: For Choir club and Media & Press club, bookings are on your child's Arbor account.)

If you have any further questions, please speak to the school office.

Gentle Reminder - Gate times

Just a little reminder that the school gates open at 8:40am and close at 8:50am. If you arrive after the gates close, you will need to bring your child around to the school office and sign them in. Please kindly note that any child signed in after 9:05am will be recorded as an unauthorised late.

We completely understand that mornings can sometimes be a little hectic, and traffic doesn't always go to plan! We simply ask that you try to leave a little extra time where possible, helping your child start their school day happily and on time. Thank you so much for your continued support and understanding.

Appointments during school hours

Just a little reminder regarding appointments during school hours. If your child has a doctor's or hospital appointment during school time, please email the appointment details to the school office so they can be reviewed and recorded appropriately.

We would also like to kindly remind parents and carers that routine dentist and optician appointments will be recorded as unauthorised absences, as these appointments can usually be arranged during school holidays or after school hours.

We completely understand that appointments are sometimes unavoidable, and we appreciate your support in helping us to ensure attendance is recorded correctly. Thank you for your continued understanding and cooperation.

Individual and Sibling school photos Thursday 15th October

Street Dance and Acrobatics After School Club

"We've just had The Dan Tien's first Street Dance & Acro After-School Club and what a fantastic start!

The children had an amazing time learning street dance, acro skills and exciting choreography while building confidence and having lots of fun.

There are still spaces available, so if your child loves dancing, performing or trying new tricks, we'd love for them to join us.

Every Wednesday after school from 3:15-4:15. See you there!" - [Click here to sign up](#)

Parent Lunch Dates for this Academic Year

Mountain Parent Lunch - Wednesday 30th September

Sign up by clicking [HERE.](#)

River Parent Lunch - Wednesday 7th October

Sign up by clicking [HERE.](#)

Forest Parent Lunch - Wednesday 14th October

Sign up by clicking [HERE.](#)

Bridge Parent Lunch - Wednesday 4th November

Sign up by clicking [HERE.](#)

Astronaut Parent Lunch - Wednesday 18th November

Sign up by clicking [HERE.](#)

Galaxy Parent Lunch - Wednesday 2nd December

Sign up by clicking [HERE.](#)

Emerald Parent Lunch - Wednesday 6th January

Sign up by clicking [HERE.](#)

Sapphire Parent Lunch - Wednesday 20th January

Sign up by clicking [HERE.](#)

Griffin Parent Lunch - Wednesday 3rd February

Sign up by clicking [HERE.](#)

Phoenix Parent Lunch - Wednesday 24th February

Sign up by clicking [HERE.](#)

Harmony Parent Lunch - Wednesday 10th March

Sign up by clicking [HERE.](#)

Melody Parent Lunch - Wednesday 17th March

Sign up by clicking [HERE.](#)

Important Reminders: Upcoming Trip Payments

Year 3 Stone Age Day – Payment Deadline

A quick reminder to parents and carers of children in Year 3 that payment for the upcoming Stone Age Day is due by Friday 25th September.

Please make your payment as soon as possible via Arbor, to ensure that all arrangements for this exciting day can be finalised.

Year 6 Residential Trip – Monthly Payments

We would also like to remind parents and carers of children in Year 6 to please keep up to date with the regular monthly payments towards next year's residential trip.

Payments can be made through Arbor under the 'Trips' section. Keeping up with the monthly instalments will help to ensure that your child's trip is fully paid for ahead of departure.

If you require any assistance with making a payment on Arbor, please do not hesitate to contact the school office, who will be happy to help.

PTA - The Friends of Leavesden Green

October	November	December
Non Uniform Day Friday 2nd October	Non-Uniform Day Friday 6th November	Non-Uniform Day Friday 4th December
October Discos Friday 9th October (Y1/Y2 & Y3/Y4) Friday 16th October (N/R & Y5/Y6)		Christmas Fair Friday 11th December

Non-Uniform Day

We are kicking off the Autumn fun with our very first Non-Uniform day on Friday 24th October!

Children can come to school in their favourite clothes instead of uniform and bring along a donation to help fill the raffle and stall prizes for our upcoming Christmas Fair.

How it works:

- Date: Friday 2nd October
- What to bring: Check the graphic below for details on what we are collecting for each year group.
- Where to bring the item: A member of the PTA will be on the playground and at drop off locations in the morning to collect your generous donations.

School Discos

Get ready to dance! Our ever-popular school discos are back!

★ Friday 9th October

Year 1 & Year 2 from 3:15pm to 4:15pm

Year 3 & Year 4 from 4:45pm to 6:15pm

★ Friday 16th October

Nursery & Reception from 3:30pm to 4:30pm

Year 5 & Year 6 from 5pm to 6:30pm

Graphics and any additional disco information will follow - please keep an eye out!

Do you need tags for your children's clothes?

If you order name tags from Mynametags and use the code below, we will receive a donation at no cost to you!

For www.MyNametags.com, please enter school ID 73385.



Stampastic offers a discount with the below PTA code

For www.stamptastic.co.uk, please use PTA code WD257QZ for 20% off the 'Deluxe Bundle' and this link <https://bit.ly/STAMPWD257QZ> for us to receive 15% commission on purchases.

Easy Ways to Support the PTA (Outside of Events)

SUPPORT OUR SCHOOL FOR FREE WITH *easyfundraising* -

We're registered with Easyfundraising, a simple (and FREE!) way for you to raise money for our school every time you shop online.

It couldn't be simpler:

1. Download the Easyfundraising App or Visit:
<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk>
2. Search for "Friends of Leavesden Green PTA" as your cause.
3. Shop as normal with over 8,000 retailers - including M&S, Tesco, John Lewis, Amazon and many more!

Every time you make a purchase, those retailers donate a small percentage straight to us - at no extra cost to you! Sign up today and help us turn your everyday shopping into funds that support and enhance our children's learning and school experiences.

Parents Lottery - A fun and easy way to support our school while being in with a chance to win!

- For every £1 ticket, 60p is donated to the PTA for the school
- The more people who play, the more our school earns
- Anyone can take part - parents, grandparents, neighbours, friends and family

If just 50 people buy one ticket a week, we could raise over £1,500 a year — every single year!



♥♥ Donating via Arbor ♥♥

Did you know you can donate to the PTA at any time through the Arbor app? Whether it's a small one-off amount or a regular contribution, every penny goes directly towards funding extra resources, activities and experiences for the children.

Your generosity helps us make a real difference — from new books and classroom supplies to fun community events like the Christmas Fair and school discos.

Simply log into Arbor, find the Donations to PTA option, and give what you can — it all adds up!

Friends of
Leavesden Green

Thank you for your support! ♥

Christmas Fair

Non-uniform Donation Day ♥

We are kindly asking for donations in preparation for our annual Christmas fair.
Please could each year group donate the following:

Nursery & Reception	Year 1 & 2	Year 3 - 6
Red items	Green items	Chocolate items

In exchange for a donation, children are able to wear non-uniform on Friday 2nd October!

Donations will be collected on **Friday 2nd October**

✓ Please ensure all items have an expiry date after February 2027.

Leavesden Green JMI
High Road, Leavesden
WD25 7QZ

Any questions, please email:
friends@leavesden.education

Every donation makes a difference! ♥

TOGETHER WE MAKE A BRIGHTER TOMORROW ♥

🤝 Connect with the PTA 🤝

📷 Instagram: [Follow us on IG](#)

📘 Facebook Page: [Follow our FB Page](#)

📧 Private Facebook Group for Parents: [Parents Only](#)

✉ Email: friends@leavesden.education

For recent and current SEND information, please click [here](#)

Dates & Reminders

Wednesday 30th September - Mountain Parent Lunch (12:45pm - 3pm)

Thursday 1st October – Flu Vaccinations for Reception - Year 6 children

Friday 2nd October - PTA Non-Uniform day (see graphic above for donation request)

Wednesday 7th October - River Parent Lunch (12:45pm - 3pm)

Friday 9th October - PTA School Discos (Y1 & Y2 - 3:15pm to 4:15pm & Y3 & Y4 - 4:45pm to 6:15pm)

Wednesday 14th October - Forest Parent Lunch (12:45pm - 3pm)

Wednesday 14th October - Y1 Leavesden Country Park visit

Thursday 15th October - Individual and Sibling photos for all year groups

Friday 16th October - PTA School Discos (N&R - 3:30pm to 4:30pm & Y5 & Y6 - 5pm to 6:30pm)

Monday 19th October - Friday 23rd October - Parent Consultations (details to follow)

Monday 26th October - Friday 30th October 2026 - Half term holiday

Monday 2nd November 2026 - Inset Day - School Closed to Children

Wednesday 4th November - Bridge Parent Lunch (12:45pm - 3pm)

Friday 6th November - PTA Non-Uniform day (further details to follow)

Wednesday 11th November - Flu Vaccination Catch Up Day for Reception - Year 6 children

Wednesday 18th November - Astronaut Parent Lunch (12:45pm - 3pm) (details to follow nearer the time)

Friday 20th November - Children In Need - Children to wear as many colours!

Friday 4th December - PTA Non-Uniform day (further details to follow)

Friday 11th December - PTA Christmas Fair (further details to follow)

Friday 18th December 2026 - Last day of the Autumn term (1.30pm finish)

Y5 & Y6 Children are not allowed to walk home and must be collected from their classrooms.

Monday 21st December - Friday 1st January 2027 - Christmas holidays

**For Accompanied Children
& Any Adults**



Children's Crafts

Hot Lunch

**Totally
Free**

Pop-Up Cafe

**12-2pm
Thursday
29th October**

Pop-Up Cafe

**All
Saints
Church Hall**

**All Saints Crescent
Garston WD25 0LU
office@allsaintslife**