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27/6/25

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a busy week we have had! Most of Year 6 have been out on their transition week at GTS and have had an amazing time camping at The Ultimate Adventure Centre and spending time in school. They have come back full of stories, new friendships and more confidence about the move to secondary school.

We have also had a KS1 sports festival, a team going to the Devon County Cricket Finals and Class 2 orienteering this afternoon at Monkleigh School.

Thank you to all of the staff for continuing to work so hard to provide great experiences for the children!

We thank you for your ongoing support of the school and your child/ren. Remember, if you have a concern, idea or question, please contact us via families@langtree-school.org straight away so we can work with you to support the best outcomes for the children.

Follow this link to see your child's class learning map for the Summer term.

<https://www.langtree.devon.sch.uk/web/curriculum/628383>

Please see below important dates and information that you may find useful.

Friday 27th June	TODAY! School Summer Fair - 3.30pm-5pm
Monday 30th June	Atlantic academy transition day year 6
Wednesday 2nd July	Sports Day - 1.30pm (<i>further details below</i>)
Thursday 3rd July	Open Event (3.30-5pm) - see flyer
Thursday 3rd July	After school Club cancelled
Friday 4th July	GTS Year 5 Taster Day (<i>organised by GTS</i>)
Monday 7th July	Visiting Theatre in the Parish Hall for the whole school
Wednesday 9th July	Sports Day reserve date
Thursday 10th July	Transition morning in new year groups
Friday 17th July	Year 6 Leavers' Celebration 2pm
Monday 21st July	Year 6 BBQ/water fight (<i>during the afternoon</i>)
Tuesday 22nd July	Year 6 Milky Way trip
Wednesday 23rd July	Last day of term – Summer Holidays!

Please see the Spring/Summer 2024/25 menu on the school website or [here](#).

Please access your child's weekly home learning [here](#)



Summer Fair time! Today Friday 27th June at 3.30pm- 5pm

The PTA have done a fantastic job of making this happen. There will be stalls on the playground, refreshments and even pony rides, all for a small fee.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Staffing News

We would like to share with you the news that Mrs Mitchell (Class F/1) will be leaving us at the end of the year, after 6 years at Langtree. She has been an amazing member of the team; showing such commitment and support to our children and their learning. We will be sad to see her go and would like to express a huge thank you for all of her hard work and wish her well for the future. If you wish to contribute to her leaving gifts, please do so through the school office.

Governor Vacancies – Two Rivers Federation

The applications have now closed. Thank you to those who have submitted a pen portrait. An email will be going out next week to confirm the next steps in the process.

Open Evening

A reminder that it is our school open evening on Thursday 3rd July. We are really excited to share school life with you all and look forward to seeing you there. Please advertise far and wide!

Looking for a great school?

OPEN EVENING

Thursday 3rd July 2025 3.30pm – 5pm

(All welcome - drop in - no need to book)

Visit this hidden gem, just outside Torrington,
only 20 minutes from Bideford/Holsworthy

- Supportive, friendly staff who go the extra mile
- Inclusive, relational practice
- Excellent pastoral care
- Quality provision for 2 year olds
- Small class sizes
- High quality teaching and learning
- Breakfast and after school care
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Visit the
classrooms

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about
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Have fun
with loose
parts play

Explore
outdoor
learning

Try out
some sports



For more information/to arrange a personalised tour contact us on

Tel: 01805 601354

email: families@langtree-school.org

Langtree Community School, Fore Street, EX38 8NF



Afterschool Club – Cancelled on Thursday 3rd July

Please note that Afterschool Club will not be running on Thursday 3rd July. If your child attends this day, please make other arrangements for their afterschool care. Sorry for any inconvenience caused.

Lateness

Just a reminder that your child must be settled into class ready for lessons to start at 9.05am. The gates open at 8.45am to allow time for this. Regular lateness can have a significant impact on your child's learning and contributes towards unauthorised absence. If this is something you are finding difficult, please get in touch with us so we can help support you to find a solution. We are always here ready to listen.

We also understand that sometimes unpredictable events may cause delays. In these instances, please contact the school as soon as you are able.

Sports Day - Wednesday 2nd July

It's Sports Day next week! (Wednesday 2nd July) please can children wear their PE kit to school (Black shorts, black leggings or tracksuit bottoms, PE Hoodie or School jumper and trainers) along with a t shirt of their family group team colour (Red, Blue, yellow or green)



Please can children have sun cream applied before school and be sent in with their sun cream so they can reapply at lunchtime.

Please can children also bring in a sun hat for the afternoon. (Class F and Class one does have a box of sun hats in each class which children can borrow)

Please can all children bring to school a bottle of water which they can have on them during the afternoon on the field.

The school gate from the car park will be opened at 1.20pm so you can come in and take your seats ready for the races to begin at 1.30pm.

(If the weather is unsettled and we have to cancel the event, families will be contacted on the morning of the 2nd of July.)

We look forward to seeing you!

Sports News

Cricket

Well done to the two teams from Class three who took part in the North Devon Cricket Competition. A very busy day of cricket for both our teams who played alongside lots of teams from North Devon. Congratulations to Langtree One who were undefeated and now advance to the county round in Exeter.

Rounders

Two teams of Year 5 and 6 children went to GTS to take part in a Rounders competition. The teams played with great teamwork and determination. Well done to both teams. Langtree One came 3rd overall and Langtree Two were the winners of the day earning first place.

Reception and KS1 Summer sports Festival

Reception and Class One children took part in a Summer Sports Festival which was held on Langtree MUGA. Ms Frickleton came to Langtree to host the event, and our children took part in lots of running, jumping and throwing activities. They worked hard at all of the new sport challenges they were given. Well done to Year R and Class One.

Thank you!

A big thank you to all our volunteers that help, as these events would not happen without you. If you wish to be added to our volunteers list, we are always keen for people to sign up. This would involve a DBS check which we can process within school. If anyone is interested in being a parent volunteer on trips or sports events please speak to Mrs Heard or Ms Wildern in the school office.



Have a great weekend!