

# Langley World



Dear Parents, Carers & Friends

A big well done to our Year 1 children this week who have been completing their phonics tests. They have worked really hard on phonics all year which has helped them have fantastic progress across the year. Thank you to all of our staff for teaching them so well and preparing them.

Thanks also to the Year 4 pupils who have been completing the multiplication checks over the past 2 weeks and also to their teachers for the support that they too have given.

In terms of thanks, Wednesday the 17th June is 'National Thank a teacher day.' There is a link here for you to follow if you wish to thank a teacher for something that they have done this year. It would be lovely if you were able to take the time to fill one of these out.

[Thank a teacher](#)

Finally, I would like to thank all the families who have made a prize donation over the last few weeks in aid of our forthcoming Summer Fair on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2026 at 3.30pm. Your generosity has been fantastic. Our superb staff are busy behind the scenes making preparations towards the stalls for the big event. If you are available to lend a hand on the big day, please let the school office know, the more helpers we get the better!!

Mr Higgins

**JOIN US FOR A SEND COFFEE Morning!**

Coffee, connection and community

Meet us for a warm, informal coffee morning where you can meet other parents and carers of children with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND). This is a wonderful opportunity to connect, share experiences, and access support.

**Date:** Wednesday 8th July  
**Time:** 9am-10am  
**Location:** Langley Primary School Library

Everyone welcome!

We look forward to seeing you there!

**YEAR 6 FUNDRAISING FESTIVAL!**

HOOK-A-DUCK PENALTY SHOOTOUT BASKETBALL SHOOT

EVERY AFTERNOON FROM 2PM

HANDMADE BRACELETS TOMBOLA PRIZES

50p PER TICKET ENTRY / GAME TICKET

& MANY MORE GAMES! FIND THE KEY TO OPEN THE BOX

**STALLS & GAMES ON THE PLAYGROUND!**

**WHEN:** Starting Monday 15th June  
**TIME:** From 2PM Every Day  
**WHERE:** The Key Stage 2 playground

★ ALL PROCEEDS FUND YEAR 6 EVENTS & PROJECTS! ★

Beginning on Monday 15th June, year 6 will be running their annual fundraising events. This is where they are given a small loan to set up a business and the task is to grow the money by running various stalls and events over the next two weeks. All of the profits will go towards the year 6 leavers celebrations including the final party.

**This will be running every afternoon (Monday-Thursday) in the KS2 playground.**

Children will be able to buy a ticket for 50p and use those tickets to play a variety of fun-fair style games or buy items from the stalls.

If you would like your child to take part, please send them into school on the chosen days with a small amount of money so they can enjoy the activities.

**In addition to the stalls, there is a Pyjama day on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2026 - suggested £1 donation and a non-school uniform day on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June - suggested £1 donation.**

This has always been a popular time for all of the children to get involved and I'm sure you will wish our year 6's luck with the success of their enterprise. Thank you

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## Special Football Lunch—Tuesday 23 June 2026

On Tuesday 23 June 2026, our wonderful catering team will be organising and cooking a 'World Cup 2026' meal.

All KS1 (Reception – Year 2) children will receive their meal free of charge and therefore no payment will be required however you must order their meal online.

For those children in KS2 who are not entitled to free school meals there will be a charge of £2.95.

**Please order your child's meal online via ParentPay on or before Thursday 18 June 2026.** If your child is entitled to free school meals, you may also still order online and there will be no charge.



**DATE: Tuesday 23rd June 2026**

Beef, Halal Beef or Vegetable (V) Burger in a Bun  
Pepperoni or Loaded Pizza (V)

Fries  
Sweetcorn  
Coleslaw  
Assorted Salad



Football Biscuits (VG)  
Fruit Salad  
Muller Fruit Yoghurt

## Win a free trip for our school!

We would really like as many families as possible to sign up and try to win our FABLOUS school a free trip! Even if you don't think this would be ideal for your child, there are many pupils in school who would love the chance to attend a 1 night residential trip.



Through Hyundai's Great British Trip, parents, carers and guardians can nominate Langley Primary School for the chance to win a fully funded one-night residential trip for up to 32 pupils.

We know how valuable school trips can be for children's learning and wellbeing. Hyundai's School Experience Index found that on trip days, attention levels increase by 80%, wellbeing rises by 60%, and 77% of children say it's their best school day ever. Yet for many schools and families, cost can still be a barrier.

What the winning school will receive:

- A 1-night residential at an outdoor activity centre nearby
- Return coach travel
- Food and accommodation included

## How parents can enter in 3 Simple steps:

1. Visit the competition website  
<https://greatbritishschooltrip.com/>
2. Click on – Win a fully funded one-night residential trip for your child's school
3. Fill out the short nomination form.

Parents, carers or guardians simply need to explain why their child's school deserves to win.

**IMPORTANT - ensure you select the correct school - Langley Primary School, Titford Road, Oldbury, B69 4QB**

**CLOSING DATE 30 JUNE 2026**

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## Thursday Book Club – 3.15pm - 4.00pm

Book Club is now open to all children in school. It is held in the library after school every Thursday.

You are welcome to come and borrow a book with your child to take home and /or to stay to read with them.

Come and have a look at the wonderful books we have on offer

Every child who visits and borrows a book will collect a raffle ticket when it is returned. These will be put in a draw to win a book at the end of term.

We look forward to seeing you !

## Year 6 Girls' Football Team Show Fantastic Spirit in Final Match



On Tuesday, our Year 6 girls' football team played their final match of the season against Causeway Green Primary School in what proved to be an exciting and closely contested game. Despite a narrow 3–2 defeat, as always the girls demonstrated outstanding determination, teamwork, and skill throughout the match. From the very first whistle, they showed great energy and commitment, creating chances and supporting one another across the pitch. Their two well-earned goals were a testament to their attacking play and confidence, while their defensive efforts kept the match finely balanced.

Well done to all the players for a brilliant effort—you have represented yourselves and the school wonderfully!



Are you a working Parent not in receipt of Universal Credit?

**IMPORTANT UPDATE**

## Tax-Free ChildCare Payment Launch

at  
**Langley Primary School**

**FROM FRIDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> MAY 2026**

Making childcare more affordable so families can thrive.

To be used for Breakfast and After School Club Payments

More support. More choice. More you.

- Boost to your budget**  
Money paid straight into your childcare account, tax-free.
- More quality childcare**  
Use with registered childcare providers you trust.
- More flexibility for your family**  
Help that works around the way you live and work.
- Bright futures start here**  
Investing in early years to help children learn and grow.

Find out more  
Visit [childcarechoices.gov.uk/tax-free-childcare](http://childcarechoices.gov.uk/tax-free-childcare)

If you are a working parent and not in receipt of Universal Tax Credits you may now be entitled to save 20% on your Breakfast club, After School Provision and Nursery Lunchtime care costs here at Langley Primary School through the Government's Tax-Free scheme. Please see the letter dated 1<sup>st</sup> May regarding Tax-Free Childcare on our website under newsletters for more information on how to pay us using this entitlement.

## HAF Vouchers

Sandwell HAF (Holiday Activities and Food) vouchers will soon be on their way to families who are eligible for free school meals due to a low household income. If this applies to you, keep an eye on your inbox – your voucher code will be emailed to you on 24th June 2026. You'll need this code to book your child's free holiday activities.



As a reminder, Sandwell Council will no longer be providing supermarket vouchers for families entitled to free school meals, so the HAF programme is a great way for children to access fun activities and nutritious meals during the holidays free of charge.

There are lots of exciting options to choose from across Sandwell, so to find out more and book activities for your children, please visit: [holidayactivities.sandwell.gov.uk/about/](http://holidayactivities.sandwell.gov.uk/about/).

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## Langley Primary School Nursery

Building a better future together!

Ofsted Good – including Early Years

*'Langley is a friendly school and it feels like an extension to the family where our children feel safe and are encouraged to learn' – parental comment from our most recent*

Basic Skills Quality Mark Award



### 15 & 30 hours funded childcare for your 3 – 4 year old

Session times: Morning 8.30am – 11.30am Afternoon: 12.15pm – 3.15pm  
With additional lunchtime and wraparound care if required

Please contact the school office for further information and to obtain an application form

[www.langleyprimary.com](http://www.langleyprimary.com)

Titford Road, Oldbury, West Midlands B69 4QB

Telephone: 0121 552 1744 Email: [enquires@langleyprimary.com](mailto:enquires@langleyprimary.com)

## Places available for September 2026

### What have we been learning about this week!

#### Year 2

We have had an incredibly exciting week in Year 2! We dived into the book Super Nani and Captain Yaz, a fantastic story about a superhero-loving little girl and her ragdoll-making Grandma. Inspired by the book, the children took on the challenge of writing their own set of instructions on how to make a ragdoll. They then became real-life crafters and followed those steps to create their very own ragdolls!

#### Year 3

Year Three have impressed us with their writing this week all about the humorous story Tadeo Jones. Why not give it a watch with your child at home.

In art we have also been making our own paper, just like the Egyptians did with the papyrus plant. Some turned out better than others but it gave us an insight into the intricate techniques used thousands of years ago. We have then painted our own Egyptian scrolls.

Don't forget 3RA visit the library on Monday so make sure that all library books are in school please.

#### Year 4

We are so proud of Year 4 over the last two weeks as they have put so much effort into completing the times tables checks. Their attitude towards this has been a credit to them.

We have also been working on a variety of maths problems looking into the language used as well as fractions. The children have shown off their vivid imaginations in their writing finishing off a story stem. Well done Year 4.

#### Year 5

We have been working on astronaut fact files this week linking to our Space topic. We have also been looking at forces by creating our own parachutes to see how the length of time to reach the floor changes depending on the size of the canopy.

### Important Dates

Date	Time and Event
12 Jun 2026	Non uniform in return for Toys, teddies and games
24 Jun 2026	Summer Fair
25 Jun 2026	Nursery sports event – just games not a Sports Day NAM – 9.00am NPM – 12.45pm
30 Jun 2026	Year 6 Trip
30 Jun 2026	New Reception intake meeting by invitation – 9.15am
1 July 2026	Year 1 Trip
2 July 2026	New Reception intake meeting by invitation – 9.15am
6 July 2026	Reception Trip
7 July 2026	Woodwind assembly – 9am
8 July 2026	SEND coffee morning Langley Primary School – 9.00am
9 July 2026	KS2 Sports Day – 9.00am – 10.00am parents

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9 July 2026	Reception & KS1 Sports Day – 1.00pm – 3.00pm parents welcome
10 July 2026	New Nursery intake meeting by invitation – 9.15am
10 July 2026	Year 3 Ukulele concert - 2.30pm parents welcome
10 July 2026	Year 6 Leavers Party After School 4.30pm – 6.30pm
13 July 2026	Year 6 Leavers Performance 2.00pm & 5.00pm
14 July 2026	Nursery Graduation NAM – 11.00am NPM – 2.30pm
15 July 2026	Child of the term – 9.00am
15 July 2026	Parents Drop in session – no appointment needed – 3.15pm - 4.30pm
16 July 2026	Child of the year – 9.00am – 10.00am
17 July 2026	Year 6 Leavers Assembly 9.00am – 10.00am
17 July 2026	School Closes 3.15pm
20 July 2026	School Closed Teacher Training Day – no children
1 Sept 2026	School Closed Teacher Training Day – no children
2 Sept 2026	School opens 8.40am

\* Breakfast and After School Provision normal times  
at the start and end of term.