



# Lanark Primary ELC Newsletter

## March/ April 2025



Another busy month at Lanark Primary ELC! We have continued to enjoy our team visits to Crosslaw House where our early learners chat with all the residents and staff, and we know they look forward to us coming.

Our early learners have been developing lots of skills over the last month, indoors and outdoors, especially their creative and gross/fine motor skills in the Woodlands. They have particularly enjoyed the focus on Spring and Easter over the last few weeks and getting very excited about the Easter Bunny visiting them with lots of 'goodies'!



As always, if you have any concerns or issues, please speak to your child's keyworker at drop-off or pick-up time, call, message on the Learning Journal or email (through our dedicated address [lanarkelc@glow.sch.uk](mailto:lanarkelc@glow.sch.uk)) to speak with Mrs Lyons (Team Leader). You can also contact the school office through our communication app, many thanks.

*The Staff Team*



### Once a Week, Take a Peek!

Headlice are not for sharing,  
So get a kit and be caring,  
So just remember-  
Once a week, take a peek!



### Stay and Play Session

We will be having our next 'Stay and Play Session' in the Woodlands on **Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May** from **9am-10am**.

Please come along and share in your child's learning experiences and join in with their play. We look forward to seeing you!

# Play!

### Wellbeing Indicator of the Month- Responsible

Every month we introduce/reinforce one of the areas which helps our children explore their wellbeing and how this can be improved or supported. This month and next month's focus is on being RESPONSIBLE. This means having opportunities and encouragement to play active and responsible roles at home, in the ELC and in the community. It also means that where necessary, having appropriate guidance and supervision, and being involved in decisions that affect them. Again, our Pupil Leadership Teams are a great example of this.



Happy Birthday to:

#### March Birthdays

Grayson  
Lewis

#### April Birthdays

Ayden  
Arabella  
Poppy



### Parent Council Easter Eggstravaganza

Our fabulous Parent Council are currently running some exciting Easter competitions throughout the ELC and school. Our competition in the ELC is 'Guess the Name of the Cuddly Bunny' and your child can have a go at guessing its name for 50p- we have one hundred names to choose from! Thank you to all parents/carers who have supported this competition so far, the spaces are filling up fast!

The winner will be drawn on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April. Good luck everyone!



### Peep Sessions

Thank you to all parents/ carers who have attended our Peep Sessions over the last month. If there is anything specific you would like discussed at these events, please let Mrs Lyons know!

**Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April at 2pm-** ELC Peep Session (Red & Blue Teams)

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> April at 2pm-** ELC Peep Session (Yellow & Green Teams)

## Diary Dates



Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April 2pm	ELC Peep Session (Red & Blue Teams)
Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> April	Close for Spring Break at 2.30pm
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April	School/ELC Re-opens at 9am
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> April 2pm	ELC Peep Session (Yellow & Green Teams)
Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> April (PM)	Red Team to Crosslaw House
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> May	In-Service Day (children do not attend)
Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank Holiday (School/ELC closed)
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> May 9am-10am	ELC Stay & Play Session
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> May 2pm	ELC Peep Session (Red & Blue Teams)
Tuesdays 13 <sup>th</sup> , 20 <sup>th</sup> & 27 <sup>th</sup> May 9.15am-10.15am	New P1 Transition Visits
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> May (PM)	Blue Team to Crosslaw House
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> May 6.15pm	Parent Council AGM (in school)
Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> May (PM)	All Teams to Crosslaw House
Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> May 1.30pm	ELC Sports Day in MUGA

We are always looking to continually improve our ELC, so if you have any suggestions for how we could do this, or you might want to share with us something that you think we do well, please use the box below and hand it into Mrs Lyons at the door. Thank you for your continued support as we work together in partnership to help your child achieve their full potential.

