



# Lanark Primary ELC Newsletter

## May/June 2025



Our early learners have been developing lots of skills over the last month in the playroom, outdoors and in our woodlands! The children have thoroughly enjoyed all the numeracy tasks staff had planned to celebrate National Numeracy Day and loved coming to the ELC in their pyjamas to celebrate the end of Bookbug Week.



Thank you to all parents, carers and family members who have attended our Peep sessions, we cannot thank you enough for giving up your time to work in partnership with us. Our final evaluation session for all teams takes place on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> June and Mrs Lyons is looking forward to catching up with all the 'Peep Parents & Pals' over a coffee and cake! We look forward to seeing many of you attending our Peep Sessions in the new term!

As always, if you have any concerns or issues, please speak to your child's keyworker at drop-off or pick-up time, or call 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*



### ELC Graduation

Our ELC Graduation will take place on **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> June at 1.30pm** in the school hall. Parents/ carers will soon receive an invite with additional details. Siblings in the ELC/ school can also attend and will be brought up to the hall on the day by staff.



## Transition Events

This term sees transition work taking place in readiness for our new starts to the ELC and our pre-schoolers moving on to P1. There has been a number of events planned, including an opportunity for learners and parents/carers to meet key ELC and school staff. All information regarding these events has already been issued, but you will find a summary below:

**New P1 Transition Visits- Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup> May (9.15am-10.15am)**

**New ELC learners 'Welcome Visit'- Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> June (9.15am-10.15am)**



## 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!



Happy Birthday to:

### May Birthdays

Amber

Kianna

Summer

### June Birthday

Brodie S

### July Birthdays

Finn

James

Breshna



## Wellbeing Indicator of the Month- Included

Every month we reinforce one of the areas which helps our children explore their wellbeing and how this can be improved or supported. This month's focus is on being **INCLUDED**. This means having help to overcome social, educational, physical and economic inequalities, and being accepted as part of the community. Speak to your child about ways they feel included, and how they include others.



### Sports Week/Day

The ELC will hold their Sports Day on **Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> May** at 1.30pm in the **MUGA** (weather permitting). Parents/ Carers are welcome to attend and will enter via the school gate at Kildare Park, once open.



### Parent Council Rainbow Summer Raffle 2025

The LPS Parent Council are looking for donations to make hampers in the designated colour of your child's year group (see below):

"We hope that the hampers will be fun for children and adults so please be as creative as you wish. Examples of donations include sweets, toys, games, crisps, toiletries, books, chocolates".

Please hand in donations by **Friday 6th June**.

Raffle tickets for the hampers will be available from Monday 9th -Thurs 19th June at £1 a ticket.

The draw will be made on Friday 20th June 2025

ELC - Red                                      P5/6 - Yellow/Orange

P1/2 - Blue/Pink                              P7- Black/White

P3/4 - Green/Purple



### ELC Fun Day

We are delighted to inform you that we will be having an end of term fun day on **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> June**. We have booked a bouncy castle and have some exciting activities planned for the children to experience. These include temporary tattoos, facepaints and an ice cream stall to eat.





### Diary Dates

New P1 Transition Dates	Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> , 20 <sup>th</sup> , 27 <sup>th</sup> May 9.15am-10.15am
Last day for Woodlands	Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup> May
ELC Sports Day (MUGA)	Thursday 29 <sup>th</sup> May at 1.30pm (MUGA) -weather permitting
School Prize Giving (ELC siblings to attend)	Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June at 9.45am
Peep Session- final one	Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> June at 2pm
Wear Yellow Walk (St. Andrew's Hospice)	Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> June
Holiday- Lanimer Celebrations	Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> June and Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> June
ELC Graduation	Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> June at 1.30pm
New ELC Learners 'Welcome Visit'	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June (9.15-10.15am)
ELC Fun Day	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June (school hall)
ELC/School Close for Summer Break	Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> June at 1pm <b>(doors will open at 12.45pm)</b>
In-Service Days (children do not attend)	Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> August and Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> August
ELC/ School re-opens	Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> August

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.

