



# Landau Forte Academy Greenacres



**Our Academy Newsletter: 27th January 2023**

**Parents' Evening** — The times have been allocated for Parents' Evening. If you have made an appointment and not received your time slot or haven't made an appointment, please see the class teacher.

Parents' evening is the opportunity to look at your child's work and discuss the progress they are making. Please arrive 10 minutes before your appointment time so you can look at your child's work.

Parent surveys will be available for you to complete during the evening. Please can you take the time to do this as it helps us recognise things that are going well and be aware of areas that parents may be concerned about.

We are constantly striving to give your child a good primary experience and education. It is always our aim for children to be happy and enjoy coming to school.

## Whole School Trip— Dick Whittington Pantomime

On Friday 20th January the whole school went to Birmingham Hippodrome to see Dick Whittington. It was a fabulous, funny show. The children were encouraged to join in and really enjoyed the experience.



**Year 6 Parents' Information** — Following on from the Parents' meeting this week please find all the information discussed on our website. Under the heading of Curriculum—Resources—Year 6.

## Help your children to stay safe on social media

There are lots of benefits to social networking, but recently we are aware of some of our children using this inappropriately. We as a school can only explain the risks and what is right and wrong to share. Like most things, there can be negatives too. For children and young people there are risks that you should be aware of, to help keep your child safe on social media. Make sure you are aware which sites your children are visiting. Further information sheets on Amazon Fire Tablets, Tiktok and Instagram will be sent out via e-mail which we hope you will find helpful.

Review the location settings - Remind them, and explain why, they shouldn't share location on posts, or public forums and chats, videos or with people they don't know. Review the location settings on their favourite app or game and talk to them about what they're sharing online. Sometimes it might be appropriate for your child to share their location with a trusted adult or friend for their own safety.

Remember: If children share their location publicly, it could be seen by someone they don't know. This can increase the risk of cyberbullying, stalking or unwanted contact (from friends or others) or becoming a target.

Get to know the safety and privacy settings - Explore the safety and privacy settings on any app, to decide which are right to use for your child.

Age ratings and features - Get to know the age ratings of the apps that your child uses. Many have a minimum age of 13 years old to be able to sign up, but you should check the age rating of individual apps to make sure.



## Calendar

- 01/02/23 — Year 1 Phonics meeting for parents (2.30pm)
- 08/02/23 — Parents' Evening (6.00pm—8.00pm)
- 09/02/23 — Parents' Evening (4.00pm—6.00pm)
- 17/02/23 — 3SW Class Assembly to parents (9.00am)
- 17/02/23 — Break up for a week for half term
- 27/02/23 — Return to school

