

Limbrick Wood Primary School
FAMILY NEWSLETTER
Spring 2010

Progress this year.

No doubt your children have been talking to you about the recent tests that they have been taking in Literacy and Numeracy. We have also been testing reading and spelling over the past few weeks. We are now at the half way point of the year and the indications are that children are making excellent progress. To help them progress we give children targets to aim for and you can help them by asking them what their targets are and what they need to do next to improve.

Car Park

I hope you agree that the new car park and pedestrian entrance has made a real difference to being able to access the school safely. Please could you ensure that you always walk through the pedestrian entrance and not through the main gates, we have had one or two near misses and we want to keep the children safe.

Please ensure that you drop children off from the car park and not in the area by the disabled parking, last week a child was nearly hit by a car in this area.

The area reserved for disabled drivers is an essential part of our 'Equality of Access' policy, and must be kept free at all times for drivers with disabilities.

Nursery Places for 2010.

We are currently accepting applications for our nursery starting in September 2010. If you know of anyone currently looking for a place, please could you get them to contact

either our Early Years team or Mrs Drysdale on 76466744.

Holiday Absence Authorisation

As you know attendance is a huge issue both nationally and for our school. While I understand how difficult and expensive it can be to take holiday during school recess, I urge all parents not to take children out of school during term time. Holiday absence can have a huge impact upon the learning opportunities for children and can be reflected upon their overall attainment.

Unfortunately I cannot authorise holiday absences if it results in a child's attendance to fall below the target figure of 94%

SALE SALE SALE SALE.....

During the first two weeks after half term, there will be a sale of school sweatshirts. A £2.00 discount will apply to both price ranges making them £5.50 and £6.50 instead of £7.50 and £8.50.

Reminder - Open Evening

This is just to remind you that there will be an open afternoon on 3rd March. Appointment letters will be sent out straight after half term.

**School closes for the half-term holiday on
Friday 12th Feb at 3.15pm and reopens on
Tuesday, 23rd February at 8.55am.**



We wish all our families a restful break