



Thursday 28th March 2024

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope that you all had a good last week of term!

I am writing with my usual weekly letter of news and information. I can be contacted at exehead@aspire-kent.org.uk. Please note that although I will be intermittently checking my emails through the break, I may not respond immediately.

Lauren my PA can also be contacted at lriby@aspire-kent.org.uk. Any requests for meetings or appointments can be made through Lauren - thank you.

Messy Church Easter-

A reminder that on **Saturday 30th March St Mary's Church, Lenham** is hosting an Easter Messy Church Event.



This event includes meeting at the Church at 3pm and going on a walk to learn about the Easter story. There are then activities, hot cross buns, songs and more back at Church.

Free School Meal Vouchers-

For all those eligible for Free School Meals, please look out for a voucher in your email inboxes for your £20 voucher for the Easter Holidays. This will have been sent via e-vouchers.

Places for Kids to eat for FREE this Easter Holiday-

Please see link below for a variety of restaurants and food outlets that are offering FREE kids meals this Holiday.

<https://www.kentlive.news/whats-on/food-drink/kids-can-eat-free-easter-9182697>

Easter Activities at Maidstone Libraries-

Please see attached leaflet detailing a vast amount of activities available at multiple libraries throughout the Holidays at Maidstone Libraries.

These activities run on various days, most do not require booking, but some do. So do have a look to get everyone out of the house for a few hours, even if wellies are required!

Leeds Castle-

As usual the wonderful Leeds Castle has some wonderful Easter events for all the family.

They have an Easter Quest running from **29th March-14th April**. This adventure sets out on an exciting treasure hunt around the grounds. There are even engaging challenges and live characters along the way.

Help find the missing treasure for £2.50 per child, which includes the trail card and a chocolate surprise. What a wonderful thing to have on our doorstep! No need to book, however if tickets for general entry are needed, advanced booking online provides a discount- <https://leeds-castle.com/whats-on/>

Wishing you all a wonderful Easter Break. We look forward to welcoming everyone back to school on **Monday 15th April**.

Kind regards,

Emma Hickling
Executive Headteacher

