

UPCOMING DATES THIS TERM

Monday 22nd April– Friday 26th April

NSPCC Workshops for all Classes

Thursday 2nd May

Polling Day

Monday 6th May

May Bank Holiday

Tuesday 7th May

Year 5 Space Centre trip

Monday 13th May

Year 6 SATS begin

Friday 10th May

SEND Coffee Afternoon

Wednesday 22nd - Friday 24th May

Year 6 residential to Kingswood

Friday 24th May

Term Ends



Reminder about Orchards Booking

Just a reminder that Orchards have to be booked half a term in advance. Booking forms can be found on our school website and hard copies are located in the foyer of the school office. While we appreciate shifts and things change and wherever possible we do try and accommodate ad hoc bookings, we have to have a legal staff ratio in our Orchards sessions and this is determined by numbers hence why we ask for half term bookings to be made in advance.

Thank you for your understanding in this matter.



Book Raffle Winners

This weeks Book Raffle winners were: Sofia and Marcus



EYFS and Key Stage 1 Stars

of the Week



Ash	Eva B	For some fantastic independent writing this week.
	Wilfy	For working hard on your kinetic letters.
Oak	Daphne	For working hard on all your rainbow jobs.
	Beckett	For fantastic writing in busy learning!
Hazel	Damian	For following instructions this week.
	Charlie	For his fantastic geography knowledge!
Willow	Leo	For his amazing work in Maths this week. He has been so focused and independent!
	Henry	For smashing his knowledge of tens and ones in Maths. Well done!
Chestnut	Theo	For writing a fantastic independent write and trying so hard with his kinetic letters!
	Georgia	For giving wonderful explanations during our Geography discussions! Well done!
Sycamore	Lyla	For having a positive attitude to all her learning this week.
	Leo	For always working hard and being a kind friend.

This week's stars of the week are:

Key Stage 2 Stars of the Week			
Hawthorn	Chelsea	For some lovely sentences in our narrative writing. Well done.	
	Isabelle	For a great informative 'Speak out. Stay safe' poster. Well done.	
Maple	Amelia- Rose	For demonstrating amazing knowledge of ice cream flavours in French.	
	Abigail	For using her prior knowledge of rivers to accurately annotate the features of the River Thames.	
Cedar	Cody	For really trying hard in every lesson.	
	Lucie	for getting on with her work and adjusting back into school after a little time away.	
Cherry Blossom	Sam	For trying really hard in maths with fractions this week, well done!	
	Eric	Always tries his best, he has written some lovely sentences this week, well done!	
Beech	Lily	For her perseverance in maths.	
	Sophie	For her engagement in class activities .	
Elm	Tommy J	For his amazing attitude during athletics this week.	
	Jakub	For his positive attitude to home learning and going on TT Rockstars.	
Elder	Annabelle	For some superb work finding equivalent fractions, decimals and percentages!	
	Reilly-Jay	For persevering with tricky reading challenges this week!	
Silver Birch	Nichita	For great enthusiasm and engagement following the Easter break.	
	Archie	For being a great friend.	

This Terms School Value and British Value

This term our school value is 'Kindness' and the British Value is 'Mutual Respect'. We will be teaching the children about what these values mean, how you can show them and will be recognising these across the school by children earning house points when they demonstrate these values. Look out for a new Values Home Learning Challenge coming out soon!





Whole School Attendance

This weeks whole school attendance is: 95.4%.

National attendance data is: 94.2% meaning we are above national. Please let's keep working together to get Ashby Fields data way above national!



This week we start the summer term and this term is always a jam packed one. We have a visit from the NSPCC team this month. We have lots of trips and residentials planned, have our end of year reports and we prepare to say goodbye to our Year 6's with their special leavers' assembly.

If anyone is able to support our wonderful Ashby Fields PTA with planning and preparation for the Summer Fayre then please do let your child's class teacher know. We need lots of helpers to make this special event run smoothly.

Wishing you a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Edkins



Class Attendance Winners of the Week

As you are aware, we are trying to raise the overall school attendance back to pre-covid figures and are having a real push on attendance. This week's class attendance winners are:

Chestnut and Elder

