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Ashmole Newsletter



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FRIDAY 17TH JULY 2015

Attendance

| | | |
|----|---|-------|
| R | - | 95.1% |
| Y1 | - | 95.4% |
| Y2 | - | 96.0% |
| Y3 | - | 96.5% |
| Y4 | - | 95.3% |
| Y5 | - | 96.2% |
| Y6 | - | 94.8% |

Merit Certificate Awards

1st Merit Award

- Y1: Emma, Talliyah, Jada-Leigh, Yahya, Junade, Lucas, Marli
- Y2: Hangyul, Safiya, Nathaniel, Kaya, Sara, Amiira, Tyanna, Ashley, Jevon,
- Y3: Harry, Nathaniel, Umor, Thaniya
- Y4: Khayri, Kacey,

2nd Merit Award

- Y1: Beatriz, Beatrice, Amina, Benjamin
- Y2: Yusuf, Dominique, Bessie, Beatrice, Moosa, Montana, George, Jevon
- Y3: Eve, Innes, Lucas, Poppy, Rufus
- Y4: Isaiah, Omarion, Samira, Adetayo, Sihan, Mustafa

3rd Merit Award

- Y2: Beatrice

Final Total House Points

| | | |
|---|---|--------|
| A | - | 21,482 |
| R | - | 21,400 |
| E | - | 20,789 |
| S | - | 20,420 |

WELL DONE
AMBER!

EYFS Sports Day



Pupils in nursery and reception classes enjoyed a fantastic morning of sporting activities on Friday 10th July. There was a wide range of activities including some sports day favourites such as the egg and spoon race and the sack race. Almost everyone agreed that the favourite event of the day was the silly dressing up race! Parents commented on how much they enjoyed the event and how well organised it was. We were particularly proud of our Year 6 pupils who led the events on the day and demonstrated plenty of care and encouragement for our youngest pupils.



End of Year Arrangements

Children are allowed to wear non-uniform clothes on the last day of term (Tuesday 21st July).

Healthy snacks and drinks will be available for children in class during the morning and children will have the opportunity to play party games with their friends.

Exercise books, PE kits and any other items belonging to pupils will be sent home on Monday 20th July.

We wish you all a safe and enjoyable summer holiday.



School reports

Thank you to the many parents and carers who have given feedback on their child's end of year report. If you have not yet received your report, please speak to the school office.

Term Dates

School finishes at 2:00pm for all pupils on Tuesday 21st July (No EDC on this day).

We look forward to seeing you all at 9:00am on Wednesday 2nd September. EDC is open for registered children (breakfast club from 7:45am and after school club until 5:30pm).

Eid Mubarak...

...to all of our pupils and families celebrating at the end of Ramadan this weekend.

Term dates 2015-16

| | Start | Finish |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Autumn term 1: | Wednesday 2 September | Friday 23 October * |
| Autumn Half term break: | Monday 26 October | Friday 30 October |
| Autumn term 2: | Monday 2 November | Friday 18 December** |
| Christmas break: | Monday 21 December | Friday 1 January |
| Spring term 1: | Monday 4 January | Friday 12 February * |
| Spring Half term break: | Monday 15 February | Friday 19 February |
| Spring term 2: | Monday 22 February | Thursday 24 March** |
| Easter break: | Friday 25 March | Friday 8 April |
| Summer term 1: | Monday 11 April | Friday 27 May* |
| Christmas break: | Monday 21 December | Friday 1 January |
| Summer term 2: | Monday 6 June | Friday 15 July** |

School Closed: 1 September, 16 October & 18-20 July (staff INSET); 2 May (public holiday)

* End of half term = usual finish time of **3.30pm** with EDC for those registered
**** End of full term = finish time of 2.00pm with NO EDC**

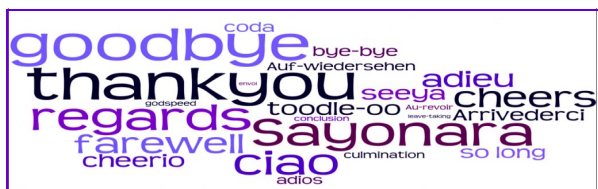
Pupil Outcomes



The results of pupil attainment and progress that are reported by the school to the Department for Education, along with results of our Year 6 'SATS' have now been submitted. Whilst we have to wait for the data to be officially published, I am happy to inform you that attainment has risen sharply in the early years, in key stage 1 and in key stage 2. We were externally moderated to check that our teachers' assessments are correct and are pleased that the work and judgements of Ashmole staff was commended as being thorough and accurate. We look forward to sharing the results with you in more detail in the autumn once all of the data has been validated and are confident that you will be reassured of the work the school is doing to provide the best opportunities and academic outcomes for your children.

LMM Concert

Congratulations to our fantastic violin players for their performances at the end of term concert last week. We were delighted to have so many parents joining us to hear the children playing and demonstrating their progress in music this year.



Some members of the staff team are moving on at the end of the summer term to take up new opportunities. We would like to thank them for all of their work supporting Ashmole pupils during their time with us and hope that they will take with them some happy memories of their time with your children.

Goodbye and good luck to our Year 4 teacher Mrs Kew, Year 3 teacher Mrs Sabatini as well as teaching assistants from Year 4 Mr King & Ms Leckenby and Early Years Educator from Reception class Ms Oyewole-Eletu. Ms Whybra, who has supported reading in Years 1 and 2 is also moving on and we would like to thank Mr Ffrench and Ms Cashman who have been working with us to support pupils in Years 3 and 2 this year.



Thank you to our valued parent community for all of their hard work this year to support the work we are doing at Ashmole. Thank you for reading with your child regularly, talking to them about their school day, helping them with practising spellings, learning times tables, completing homework projects and for the feedback given to school staff.

A particular note of thanks to all of the parents that have supported our special events including film nights, cake sales and the summer fair which have raised money to provide additional opportunities.

Thank you to the many parents who have given generously of their time to read with pupils, play maths games, write funding bids and help with playground improvements.