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# Ashmole Newsletter



SPRING 2016—ISSUE 11

FRIDAY 4TH MARCH 2016

## Attendance

12/02 - 03/03/16

R	-	98.9%
Y1	-	97.0%
Y2	-	97.9%
Y3	-	96.7%
Y4	-	96.9%
Y5	-	95.0%
Y6	-	95.2%

Target = 96.9%

## Stars of the Week

26/02/16

N	-	Azyraia & Mason
R	-	Eshan & Sagal
Y1	-	Melissa & Rahlil
Y2	-	Junade & Richard
Y3	-	Adam & Lucia
Y4	-	Sarah & Matthew
Y5	-	Justen & Kacey
Y6	-	Nicole & Rajan

## Book Parade Assembly

04/03/2016

### Winner

N	-	Alessandro
R	-	Adrian L
Y1	-	Theo
Y2	-	Yacouba
Y3	-	Leo
Y4	-	Matthew & Henock
Y5	-	Mohamed
Y6	-	Romy

### Runner Up

N	-	Roman
R	-	Yahya
Y1	-	Firo
Y2	-	Malak
Y3	-	Beatrice
Y4	-	Sophie
Y5	-	Lazuli
Y6	-	Joshua

## Book Fortnight

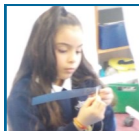
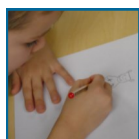


Pupils across the school have been enjoying Ashmole Book fortnight following our return to school last week. All classes were visited by the author David Lucas who helped to inspire the children to write and illustrate their own books. Pupils have had extra story telling sessions in class, taken part in a book quiz, learnt how to bind their own books and have spent today dressed up as favourite characters from books. Thank you to some of our older pupils who have read stories to younger children and helped to lead the book character parade.



## Authors & Illustrators

Ashmole pupils have been busy writing and illustrating their own books over the past fortnight and we look forward to sharing these with you next week. All of our work during Book Fortnight has been based around English National Curriculum objectives and linked to meaningful experiences for the pupils.



## Book Character Parade

Thank you to all of our families who helped their children to come up with some fantastic book character costumes this year. The parade was very well attended by parents and carers and pupils have enjoyed spending the day dressed up. Donations for dressing up for the day raised £80 for the Book Aid charity.



## After School Clubs



Our after school activities are proving to be very popular with Ashmole pupils. Our increased offer now includes pottery, orchestra, DigiSmart (computing), multi-skills, martial arts and cookery. We expect to continue most of these clubs during the summer term although there may be a change of days for when some activities take place.



## Term dates 2015-16

<b>Spring term 2:</b> <b>Easter break:</b> <b>Summer term 1:</b> <b>Summer Half term break:</b> <b>Summer term 2:</b>	<b>Start</b> Monday 22 February <b>Friday 25 March</b> Monday 11 April <b>Monday 30 May</b> Monday 6 June	<b>Finish</b> Thursday 24 March** <b>Friday 8 April</b> Friday 27 May * <b>Friday 3 June</b> Friday 15 July**
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**Pupils will return for the autumn term on Monday 5 September 2016**

\* 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

School CLOSED: Tuesday 1 September & Friday 16 October (staff INSET);

Monday 2 May (Bank Holiday)

Thursday 5 May (GLA Polling) & Thursday 23 June (EU Referendum)

**Please note new closure date Thu 23 June (polling for EU Referendum)**

## 2 Week Planner

(items in blue open to parents/carers)

Mon 07/03	Tue 08/03	Wed 09/03	Thu 10/03	Fri 11/03
Parent/teacher Conference (by appointment)  Yr 5 at IntoUniversity (am only)  Yr 2 Pottery Club (7 of 9) 3.30-4.45	Parent/teacher Conference (by appointment)  Cluster art trip to National Gallery (2xYr1 & 1xYr2)  Yr 5 Digismart 3.30-4.45 KS2 String orchestra 3.30-4.30	Parent/teacher Conference (by appointment)  Yr 3 & 4 maths café 9.00 -10.00 (EDC)  Yr 5/6 football at Ferndale KO tbc KS1 Multi sports 3.30-4.30	Parent/teacher Conference (by appointment)  KS1 clay workshop in the hall 2.00-3.00  KS2 Martial Arts 3.30-4.30	SEN drop in 9.05.9.30 (EDC)  Book Fortnight exhibition of work 3.30 -4.00 (Hall)
Mon 14/03	Tue 15/03	Wed 16/03	Thu 17/03	Fri 18/03
Yr 4 violin exams at Jessop (pm)  Yr 2 Pottery Club (8 of 9) 3.30-4.45	Yr 5 Digismart 3.30-4.45 KS2 String orchestra 3.30-4.30	Yr 5 & 6 maths café 9.00 -10.00 (EDC)  Yr 5/6 football at Ferndale KO 2.40 KS1 Multi sports 3.30-4.30	KS2 Martial Arts 3.30-4.30	Sport Relief SEN drop in 9.05.9.30 (EDC)  Sport Relief fun run in Vauxall Park 1.30

### Trinity Hospice



Ashmole School is pleased to once again be supporting the great work of the Royal Trinity Hospice in Clapham. The hospice provides compassionate care and support to people with progressive, life-limiting illnesses and those close to them. As part of their 'Easter Chick Appeal', we will be selling knitted chicks containing a chocolate egg for £1. The Chicks will be on sale in the playground after school from Tuesday 15th March.

### Staffing News

Congratulations to Ms Skyers who will be leaving us next week to take up a specialist SEN support role at Livity Special School. She has worked with several classes and supported individual pupils during her time at Ashmole as well as working with the school choir. We wish her luck in her new role.



### Sport Relief



Sport Relief comes to Ashmole on Friday 18th March. All pupils will take part in a fun run at Vauxhall Park. Letters and sponsor forms have already been sent home and we are looking forward to raising money for this charity whilst being active and having fun!

Pupils can come to school in sports clothes on Friday 18th if they bring in a donation of £1 for Sport Relief. Any money raised through sponsorship for the event must be brought into school in an envelope and given to the school office or your child's class teacher by the end of term.

### Parent and Teacher Meetings

If you have not yet received an appointment time to meet with your child's class teacher next week, please contact the school office or speak to the teacher to make an appointment. We look forward to seeing you to share information about your child's progress.

