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# Ashmole Newsletter



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## Attendance

22/04 - 05/05/16  
R - 92.8%  
Y1 - 94.2%  
Y2 - **98.8%**  
Y3 - 98.4%  
Y4 - 91.1%  
Y5 - 95.1%  
Y6 - 96.6%  
Target = 96.9%

## Merit Awards

29/04/2016

### 1st Merit Awards

- Y1- Kory, Firo & Imran
- Y2- Junade & Lucas
- Y3- Oscar
- Y5- Arafat
- Y6- Ahmed & Rashaan

### 2nd Merit Awards

- Y1- Shiori, Nina, Theo & Gabriella
- Y2- Santavalent
- Y3- Adam, Keon, George & Sara
- Y4- Elaisha, Enoch, Harry & Thaniya
- Y5- Chukwunwike & Adetayo
- Y6- Romy, Ramona, Emani, Joshua, Monet, Aaliyah & Fatym

### 3rd Merit Awards

- Y1- Toluwalese, Anna & Lamar
- Y3- Amari, Amiira & Moosa
- Y4- Anisa, Rufus, Eve & Innes
- Y5- Sihan, Isaiah & Yusra

## Stars of the Week

06/05/2016

- N - Fiyinfoluwa & Noel
- R - Anna-Lea & Daniela
- Y1- Clayton & Isaiah
- Y2- Beatriz & Daniel
- Y3- Beatrice & Harris
- Y4- Jedidiah & Megan
- Y5- Sihan & Reinhardas
- Y6- Anas & Nathaniel

## Ashmole Team Triumphs in Inter-School Maths Competition



Congratulations to Leo, Lucia, Sophie and Enoch who participated in a Maths competition against other Lambeth schools last week. The team represented the school with distinction and have been crowned Oval Learning Cluster Champions after overcoming the team from Vauxhall Primary School in the final.

## Olympian Visits Ashmole

Ashmole pupils were visited by Andrea Lynch, the British 100m finalist at



the 1976 Olympic Games. Andrea spoke to pupils in assembly about the history of the Olympic Games and the importance of an active lifestyle through sports to stay healthy. Some of our usual themes of determination and resilience were highlighted as she spoke about setting targets for yourself to achieve your goals. Ashmole pupils have been invited to attend the 2016 Youth Olympic Games on Saturday May 14th at Battersea Park Athletics Arena at 1:00pm. The event features competitions and activities for children aged 5 to 14 years old. Other Olympic athletes including Daley Thompson, Tessa Sanderson and Lindford Christie will be at the event.

## Freshwater Theatre Visits

This term we have used the money raised by the school community through the PSA to enhance the curriculum experiences of Ashmole pupils. All classes have been - or will be - visited by The Freshwater Theatre Company. The interactive drama workshops have covered a range of topics, linked to those that children are learning about in class. The Nursery children went on a story hunt and children in Reception dived into the story Rainbow Fish. In Year 1 & 2 the children went on a globe-trotting adventure to learn more about different countries and oceans. In the coming weeks, Year 3 & 4 will be visiting the continent of Europe and Year 5 and 6 will be learning more about the Mayans.



## Sports Festival



A team of Ashmole pupils from years 4, 5 and 6 were invited to attend the Westminster Inclusive Sports Festival at the beginning of this term. The team enjoyed participating in a range of running, jumping and hurdling activities as well as trying out some new sports. Well done for representing the school with pride.



## Term dates 2015-16

<b>Summer term 1:</b>	Monday 11 April	<b>Finish</b>	Friday 27 May *
<b>Summer Half term break:</b>	Monday 30 May	<b>Friday 3 June</b>	
<b>Summer term 2:</b>	Monday 6 June	Friday 15 July**	

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

**Pupils will return for the autumn term on Monday 5 September 2016**

## 2 Week Planner

(items in blue open to parents/carers)

Mon 09/05	Tue 10/05	Wed 11/05	Thu 12/05	Fri 13/05
Year 6 statutory tests  Yr 1 Pottery Club(4 of 6) 3.30-4.45	Yr 4&5 Gymnastic Club 8.00-8.45 Year 6 statutory tests  KS2 String Orchestra 3.30-4.30	Yr 1&2 Gymnastic Club 8.00-8.45 11 x Yr 4 children to Downe (8.15) Year 6 statutory tests  <b>Parent Champion family learning 1.00-3.15</b>  KS2 Martial Arts 3.30-4.30	Yr 3 Gymnastic Club 8.00-8.45 Year 6 statutory tests <b>ESOL family learning 9.30-11.30</b>  KS1 Multi Sports 3.30-4.30 Yr 5 P4S @ Kia Oval	<b>SEN drop in 9.05-9.30</b>    <b>Yr1 performance at National Theatre 1-1.45pm</b>  11 x Yr 4 children return from Downe (3.30)
Mon 14/05	Tue 15/05	Wed 16/05	Thu 17/05	Fri 18/05
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### Gymnastics

Gymnastics classes started this week for pupils in Years 4 & 5 and Years 1&2, whilst the Thursday morning class for Year 3 will start next week. The 8:00am classes have proved to be popular but there are still a few spaces left. If you are interested in your child taking part, please contact the school office. Booking forms for places during the second half of the summer term will be sent out soon.

### National Theatre Workshops



Pupils in year 1 have been taking part in a number of workshops led by National Theatre professionals. This work has been linked to the pupils' reading and writing work this half term and this exciting project culminates in a performance at the National theatre next Friday.

### Polka Theatre Visit

Year 4 pupils were treated to a performance of *Box of Photographs* at the Polka Theatre during the first week of term. This was part of the Playhouse Project that they are taking part in which will see them performing a new play at the Polka Theatre in July.

### Health & Safety Award

Following an inspection and audit by the Local Authority, Ashmole has been presented with a Gold Award in recognition of the very high standards of health & safety compliance in taking care of pupils, staff and visitors.

### Adult Learning Courses

We have two adult learning courses taking place at Ashmole this half term. ESOL classes start next Thursday at 9:30am. Please contact the school office if you would like more information.

**Good Luck** to our Year 6 pupils who have worked incredibly hard this year and will be completing National Curriculum tests next week.