



Ark Priory Primary Academy

Explore

Endeavour

Excel

Courage to fly!

Upcoming Events

N- Nursery
R – Reception
Y – Year

7th Oct
Reception trip to
Morrison's

7th Oct
SATS workshop for Yr2
parents 16:00

8th October
Reception tea party

16th Oct
Parent Consultation
Sheets out

23rd Oct
Clubs Finish
Bake Sale

9th Nov
Parent consultation
week

16th Nov
Yr1 Open Morning
09:30-10:00

17th Nov
R Open Morning 09:30-
10:00

18th Nov
Yr2 Open Morning
09:30—10:00

19th Nov
N Open AM 09:30—
10:00
N Open PM 12:45—
13:15

Dear Parents and Carers,

As the leaves change in the playground we begin to note the speed at which the academy year passes – hard to believe the start of the year was a month ago! However, an important month has passed and the progress is noticeable not only in the local flora and fauna. The children are increasingly settled into academy life and are making great strides in their learning - ready to showcase their progress on our parent open days after half term. Please remember there are also other opportunities to visit us and parents can book in with the office to join us for a Friday lunch with a week's notice.

Everyone at the academy hopes you have a great weekend, Best Wishes Mr Martlew and the Staff

★ STARS OF THE WEEK ★

	COURAGE	EXPLORATION	ENDEAVOUR	EXCEL
Reception	Michal	Dylan	Ruby	Margot
Year 1	Charlie	Habon	Isabel	Sam
Year 2	Niah	Kendra	Joseph	William



HANDWRITING AWARD



Reception	Nicholas & Hugo
Year 1	Emilia & Beaumont
Year 2	Ismael & Gracie



TOP TABLE



KSI	Niah	Emilia R	Dilys	Harry	Damian	Leo G
RECEPTION	Kaito	Emily O	Laith	Angelica	Nicholas R	Kai



ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY



Class	Attendance	Punctuality
Nursery AM	97.4	99.6
Nursery PM	93.3	0
Shackleton	94.4	95.4
Columbus	96.3	99.3
Pankhurst	98.1	98.5
Seacole	96.3	0
Armstrong	97	99.3
Sharman	96.7	99.2

TOPICS NEXT WEEK...

Year Group	Mathematical Concept	Book/English Concept
Nursery	Matching numeral and quantity correctly	Guess How Much I Love You
Reception	The Tiger Who Came to Tea	Addition within 5
Year 1	Adding and subtracting within 10	The Lonely Beast
Year 2	Using and Applying Number Bonds	Journalistic writing

Notices

BIKES – PLEASE NOTE THE RIDING OF BIKES, SCOOTERS AND ALL OTHER SUCH MODES OF TRANSPORT IS NOT ALLOWED PAST THE ENTRY GATE, EITHER BEFORE OR AFTER SCHOOL – we have had accidents outside academy hours and do not wish for anyone to come to harm.

Reception – Please can all reception children supply a family photo for the classroom display – thank you. There will be a trip to Morrison's on the 7th October (parent helpers required) and the reception tea party will be on the 8th October @ 3.00pm

Choir – is now in full swing and enjoying their first rehearsals.

Vaping – Please note- the Ark Priory site is completely nonsmoking – INCLUDING vaping both inside and along our frontage. Your cooperation is much appreciated.

SATS Workshop – there will be a SATS workshop for ALL year 2 parents on the 7th October at 16:00 **DUE TO THE QUANTITY OF MATERIAL THAT NEED TO BE COVERED WE HAVE HAD TO WITHDRAW THE 09:00 MEETING.** We hope you can attend the meeting at 16:00 – if not this will be repeated in the coming weeks.

Lost Property Box – this can be found in the academy office

Parents Language Appeal – We are currently attempting to translate some of our starter pack information into a variety of languages. If you speak another language fluently and could devote some time to translate a couple of short documents your assistance would be very much appreciated.

Parents Sporting Appeal – We are seeking any sporting parents to help us begin building some club links in the community, in particular hockey, gymnastics, rugby and athletics. If you have any club contacts or know anyone who would be interested from a local sports club we would be keen to hear from you.

Mandarin Yr1 and 2 – this will begin next week.

WINTER UNIFORM

This coming week will be the last week where children will be allowed to wear the summer uniform (summer dresses and polo shirts) we will expect boys to be wearing buttoned collar shirts and ties and girls to be wearing appropriate pinafore dresses or skirts and charcoal grey tights. Please remember – no boots! Boots may be worn on the way to the academy but an alternative pair of shoes are required during the day.

PE will continue to be outside wherever possible if you have not already provided your child with the tracksuit that will be required from the end of next week.

