



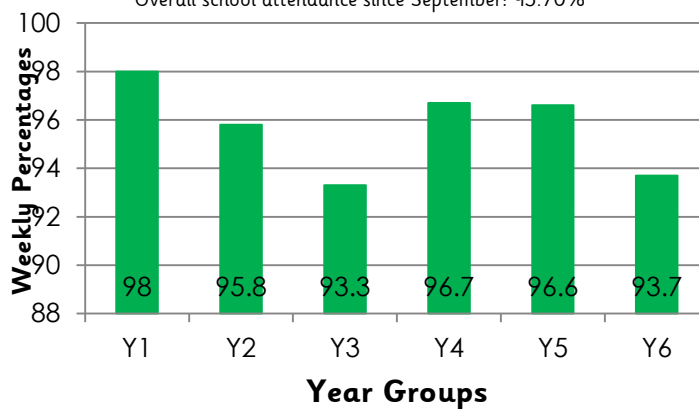
Ashburnham Community School

Key Dates for the Half Term

6 th June	Back to school at 8:45 Clubs continue again Nursery INSET day
7 th June	Nursery start back at 8:45 9am parent workshop for Sex and Relationship education curriculum – school nurse Year Four to Fulham Palace trip
13 th June	Mini-mend Nursery Parents workshop Year 1 phonics test week
15 th June	Year 2 sports trip Year 5 Shakespeare performance at Chelsea Academy
16 th June	Reception trip to Holland Park
20 th June	Nursery mini-mend Nursery parent workshop 9am
21 st June	KS2 careers afternoon 9am Reception class assembly
22 nd June	Year 1 sports trip
23 rd June	SCHOOL CLOSED FOR POLLING DAY

Last weeks attendance:

Congratulations to Year 1 with best attendance this week
Overall school attendance since September: 95.70%



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School photo

On Monday, a whole-school photo was taken as well as whole-class photos. They will be available to buy after half term.

Singapore Heads and Deputies visit to Ashburnham

On Monday, a group of Head and Deputy Heads from schools in Singapore visited Ashburnham. Paul Cotter has links with one of the headteachers as he has visited his school in Singapore recently. The visitors enjoyed observing the teaching and learning in school and they were impressed at how engaged and focused the children were. This important link helps build professional relationships, benefitting children and teachers in both schools.

New PE kits

You will have seen the letter that went out about the new PE kit. There is a chance to try and buy on 16th June at 15:30. After this time, you can buy kit from school in preparation for new academic year.

Eco-Council



Thanks to everyone who collected plastic milk lids for recycling. The Eco-Council counted 3000 lids which they took to Lush so that they can be recycled. We can make a difference if we all do our bit!

Vet visit



On Wednesday, Year Three and Year Six were visited by a local vet, Lucinda, who talked to the children about how to care for a pet. She also explained about the study and training necessary to become a vet.

PTA support



The money that is raised at school events gets reinvested in school resources. Recently, the PTA bought ten new smart table tennis bats which the children will enjoy using. Today we managed to raise £86.31 which will also go towards more resources. Thanks, as always, for your generous support.

Wastebusters



Look at how many clothes that have been donated to Wastebusters! These clothes will now be recycled then made into new garments. As a thanks for our support, Wastebusters donate science resources to the school which is much appreciated. At the same time, land-fill sites are being saved from having more clothes added to them unnecessarily. Thanks to all of you who donated unwanted clothes.

Ashburnham spirit



Junior demonstrated real Ashburnham spirit this week when he helped his friend Khalid tie his tie. It is these small daily acts of kindness that are valued and that make our school special.

Pupil Council visit the Houses of Parliament



Yesterday, the Pupil Council visited the Houses of Parliament. The children got to meet Greg Hands, our local MP, again. They learnt about how Parliament works and they had a tour around the impressive building. What a great day!

Stars of the half term

Nursery – Yasmin, Reception – Dora, Mrs Kovacevic – David, Year One - Deen, Year Two – Arthur, Year Three – Hajrah, Year Four – Milana, Year Five – Adam, Year Six – Abubakar, Mr Garcia – Yusuf (Rec), Miss Street - Junior