

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been great to have all of the children back in school this week and a special mention to all of those families that were celebrating Eid on Friday.

A huge thank you to all of you who have supported Dexter in Year 5 with his charitable hair raising, or should I say shortening, for the Little Princess charity, he has raised over £2000 so far so thank you to one and all for your support and one last plug for his endeavours:

Donation link:

<http://www.justgiving.com/page/dexter-dignan-10>

Sadly, this week we were unable to run our annual Sports Day due to inclement weather, we are still exploring another date and venue but rest assured we will announce a new date with a full day schedule early next week.

Our next fundraising initiatives we are looking for support with are as follows, on Fri 20th June— "Dress down for Tombola" - where we are asking for a donation for Tombola item for our Summer Fair (Friday 4th July) and in return the children can wear what they would like on the day—please see the poster attached and the advert on page 2. Then on Sat 21st June— ABCD Band Night fundraiser—this is always a very popular event and you can purchase tickets via the adjacent QR code. The event is also advertised on Page 3.



Additionally, a huge thank you to all of the parents and children who supported the planting session on Friday afternoon in the beds by the Reception classroom. There will be more planting in the other beds before the month's end as we look to brighten the patio area. I have included photos on page 4 with a message from the Ashmount Together Gardening club.

Finally, there will be additional emails to each year group today as we distribute our Half Termly Home information to all families.

Best wishes,

Anthony



DRESS DOWN FOR TOMBOLA DAY!

FRIDAY
20TH JUNE

CHILDREN GET TO WEAR THEIR OWN CLOTHES AND BRING IN A PRE-LOVED ITEM FOR THE TOMBOLA & OR TEDDY STANDS AT THE SUMMER FAIR.

Time to clear out your cupboards and donate any pre-loved / nearly new items of good condition.

TOMBOLA STAND

- Toys (cars, dolls, character toys)
- Games (board games, cards)
- Toiletries (UNOPENED bath sets, individual items)
- Alcohol (UNOPENED)
- Sweet treats (UNOPENED Sweets, chocolates) **No Nuts**



TEDDY STAND

Do you have any Teddies that need a new home? Please donate them to the Teddy Grabber game.



PLEASE LEAVE ALL DONATIONS AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE

Fundraising for Ashmount Together PTA

THE BEST COVERS BAND IN N8 9EG

A child free evening listening to great music
performed by our parents' band

AB/CO

NEW
PARENTS
NEW
SONGS

Saturday 21st June
7 - 11pm

Ashmount Primary School - N8 9EG



Entry **costs £5** though feel free to give more.

Reserve your place now by donating via Just Giving.
In the message include "band night" and the number of tickets you're buying.

www.justgiving.com/ashmountschoolpta

Tickets also available on the door.

Please give us a heads up so we can stock the bar up.



Tickets Here

ASHMOUNT PRIMARY SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Friday 6th June 2025

We have a few more plants left which we'll be planting next Friday at 3:20 so families are welcome to join us then too. Even better, if any parents have any plants/seedlings they'd like to donate, even if they're small and/or have been propagated from their own garden we'd be delighted to receive them. These can be dropped off at the main office with Katie and Shajia on Friday morning.





UK Health
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Should I keep my child off school?

Yes

Until...

Chickenpox	at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over
Diarrhoea and Vomiting	48 hours after their last episode
Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19)	they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19.
Impetigo	their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics
Measles	4 days after the rash first appeared
Mumps	5 days after the swelling started
Scabies	they've had their first treatment
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after they started taking antibiotics
Whooping Cough	48 hours after they started taking antibiotics

No

but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

Hand, foot and mouth	Glandular fever
Head lice	Tonsillitis
Threadworms	Slapped cheek



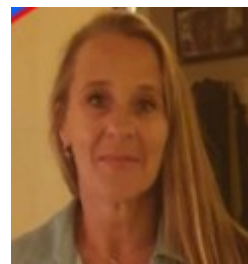
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Advice and guidance

To find out more, search for health protection in schools or scan the QR code or visit <https://qrco.de/minfec>.



Annabel's Inclusion Corner



TRANSITION TIME

Dear Parents & Carers,

It is that time of year when thoughts about transitions can cause parental and child anxiety. There is a lot to consider and we don't want you to feel overwhelmed by it all.

Year 6 to Year 7

This half term I have organised all the secondary school transition meetings for our Year 6 pupils this includes those out of borough. I will also be attending the Primary/Secondary Transition Conference on 25th June. This is an additional opportunity for me to share all the information about your child so that they have the best possible start to Year 7!

Nursery to Reception

Our EYFS Lead, Ross in RG, attended the Nursery/Reception transition conference and has conducted all the home visits for EYFS. This is so that WE have all the necessary information about any child is new to the school to make their transition smooth. We also do visit to the respective nursery settings.

Reception to Year 1

Reception children conduct an environmental walk for their classes moving up to Year 1 because we recognise this is a big leap from Reception to Year 1 in many ways.

NB. This is also done by other year groups during the Meet the Teacher day and where there are EHC children who need additional support with transitions.

** Please see attachments which have kindly been sent by external agencies for EYFS children to help you to support your child at home in many ways.

Transition booklets

For all of the school we consider those pupils who would benefit from a transition booklet which shows new staff and environment. These includes any children not on the SEND register but struggle with change and have anxiety about transitions.

Lining up winners: KSI: 1 Green KS2: 5 Blue



Weekly Attendance 02.06.25—06.06.25

Class	Percentage
Nursery	85.0
Reception Blue	88.9
Reception Green	89.0
1 Blue	93.7
1 Green	88.6
2 Blue	87.2
2 Green	92.6
3 Blue	85.8
3 Green	89.0
4 Blue	90.8
4 Green	94.4
5 Blue	88.4
5 Green	94.4
6 Blue	85.9
6 Green	78.3

Our best attending classes this week were:

Reception Green, 1 Blue, 4 Green and 5 Green

Well done children and parents. These classes will have an extra 5 minutes of play on Monday to mark their attendance last week.

At Ashmount, we are aiming for at least 97% attendance in each class. Attendance for all pupils is a huge focus with the mantra being:

"Every minute matters , Every second counts"

If you need support with attendance contact Nadia, our School Home Support lead, or Katie and Shajia at the school office.

Times Tables Rock Stars

Congratulations to this week's current league table leaders in each year group! In line with our Growth Mindset philosophy, this charts the biggest improvement in correct scores over the last seven days.

The top 3 most improved children for each year group this week are:

Here are the most improved for each year group:

Here are the most improved for each year group:

Here are this week's winners:

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Year 3 - Ovidi, Mahreen, Abdulfattah

Year 4 - Tamu, Magnus, Tessa

Year 5 - Kayden, Elham, Samuel

Year 6 - Ryan, Rosa, Nia



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What we are learning next week:

Nursery

English: We will be continuing to explore Where the Wild Things Are and talking about our favourite parts of the story.

Maths: We will be exploring more/fewer.

Reception:

English: We will be continuing to explore The Gruffalo and writing our own character descriptions.

Maths: We will be exploring capacity.

Year 1

English: We will be planning an innovated version of 'The Bee Who Spoke'.

Maths: We will be estimating and comparing duration of times. We also learn how to use a calendar.

Year 2

English: We will be continuing to explore our text 'The Fox and the Star'. We will be researching and writing non-chronological reports about foxes.

Maths: We will be finding start times and reviewing our learning about telling the time.

Year 3

English: We will continue exploring our new text, the BFG.

Maths: We will be learning about angles.

Year 4:

English: We will be writing acrostic poems based on our class text, 'The Rhythm of the Rain'.

Maths: We will be finding lines of symmetry and making symmetrical figures.

Year 5:

English: We will be planning and writing a narrative based on a short film.

Maths: We will be

Year 6

English: We will continue to explore 'Clockwork or All Wound Up' and analyse part two of the story.

School Diary Dates

Full school term dates are on our website.

Educational Visits and Workshops

Friday 13th June—I Green Make Do Play workshop

Friday 20th June—I Blue Make Do Play workshop

Creekside Discovery Centre—Y5— 30th June 2025

Parkland Walk Workshop – Y3 – 9th July 2025

Tuesday morning assembly dates

Tues 10th June Reception Blue

Tues 17th June Nursery

Tues 24th June 2 Blue

Whole School/Ashmount Together Events

Fri 20th June—"Dress down for Tombola"

Sat 21st June—ABCD Band Night fundraiser

Friday 4th July—Summer Fair 3:30—6 p.m.

Sunday 6th July—Run Islington Run—fundraiser

Tuck shop dates

13th June - Year 1 & Uniform sale

20th June - Year R

27th June - Year 4

4th July - Year 2

11th July - Year 6

Term Dates

End of term: Friday 18th July 1:30 p.m.

Our learning in pictures: Nursery



Our learning in pictures: Reception



Our learning in pictures: Year 1



Our learning in pictures: Year 2



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Our learning in pictures: Year 3



Our learning in pictures: Year 4



Our learning in pictures Year 5



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Our learning in pictures Year 5



Our learning in pictures Year 6



Our learning in pictures Year 6



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