Primary Weekly News



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Head's Introduction

Once again, I would like to start by thanking our parents and carers for taking time to provide feedback to Ofsted about your experience of the school. I would also like to thank the parents that sent their well wishes to the staff, this was very much appreciated. Ofsted's aim is to publish the report 30 working days after the end of the inspection, so we would expect to share the report with all parents and carers during the week ending 10th March.

Thank you also to parents and carers that completed the information request regarding whether you are employed as a key worker. It is important that we keep our records up to date as this helps us to plan provision for these scholars in the event of school closure, for example next month one of the teaching unions will begin their strike action.

This week scholars from Year 1 and Year 5 have enjoyed the enrichment provision through learning outside the classroom. Year 1 visited Paradise Wildlife Park on Monday where their science topic, Amazing Animals, was literally brought to life by visiting the animals they have been learning about. The following day Year 5 visited the British Museum as part of their history topic about Islam. On Wednesday morning, Year 1 visited Edmonton Islamic Centre as part of their RE learning about Islam. Thank you to all parents and carers that volunteered their time to accompany the children, without you we would not be able to lead such an extensive enrichment programme for our scholars.

Attendance and Punctuality

At Ark John Keats, in order for our children to reach their full potential, it is important that they attend school every day and are on time. We have very clear expectations and know punctuality is important to establish positive habits as scholars, develop, grow and move on to their next stage.

If your child is absent due to sickness, please ring the school every day of their absence to keep us informed. If your child has an appointment at the hospital, G.P. or dentist, please bring in the letter to show proof of absence. If the appointment is in the morning, they should return to school after the appointment, and if the appointment is in the afternoon they should come to school in the morning and then go to their appointment. We must give our children the best possible chances to engage with education and be the best they can be.

Late arrival in the morning can be detrimental to your child's education and result in disruption to their peers. It can lead to missed explanations. Persistent lateness can lead to referrals to our school's education welfare officer, and we would like to avoid this happening and ask that all pupils arrive between 8.40am and 8:50am.

Achievement Award

Year	Class	Name	Achievement.
1	Seuss	Devika Tamara	Devika for her success . She always does the right thing even when no one is watching.
			Tamara – Tamara was chosen for her kindness . She is always the quickest to care when somebody needs help
	Rosen	Taaliah	Emanuel for effort. He always put great effort into all lessons.
		Emanuel	
			Taaliah for effort. Taaliah works hard every day and always joins in every lesson.
	Ahlberg	Alisha	Alisha for tenacity. She always tries her best in all lessons.
		Aina	
			Aina for effort . She is always doing the right thing and listening in class.
2	Rowland	Suleyman	Suleyman For effort. For always trying their best and listening in
		Kaloyan	class.
	Dahl	Hadia	Hadia For tenacity. For trying hard even when it is scary
	Bright	Lauretta	Lauretta for effort. She works hard every day.
		Beren	Beren for effort. She always start work straight away
3	Hawking	Jesica Burgai	Jesica for aspiration . She is a role model in Hawking Class. She always puts so much effort into her learning due to her high levels of aspiration.
	Lovelace	Nevelyn Boateng	Nevelyn for effort. She is an exemplary scholar. She consistently shows all our values and habits everyday.
	Jemison	King-David	King-David for effort is such a role model. He always does the right thing when no one is watching.
		Myles	Myles for effort . He has been showing so much effort in lessons even when it's hard.

4	Al-Fihri	Emma-Price	Emma-Price for effort. She puts so much effort into everything she does. She always owns her zone and is always willing to help others.
		Obaapa	Obaapa for kindness . She is always so kind. She always wants to help in class and works exceptionally well with all her classmates.
	Darwin	Krystal	Krystal for aspiration . She is trying her absolute best to complete her work to the best of standards.
		Lavin	Lavin for tenacity . She will always use a 'loud and proud' voice when speaking to the class.
	Evaristo	Jayden	Jayden for kindness . He always does the right thing.
5	Seacole	Tyrese	Tyrese for aspiration . He has come back with such a fantastic attitude after the Christmas holidays.
	Kamkwamba	Asmin	Asmin for effort . She is a great role model for other scholars. She always tries her best in lessons and is eager and ready to learn.
	Angelou	Uddhava	Uddhava for effort . He is always trying his best and never wasting any learning time.
6	Johnson	Levi	Levi for aspiration . He is making great contributions to class discussions and producing high quality writing.
	Braille	David O	David O for success . He utterly impressed me with his commitment and effort to improve his knowledge of geometry and how to find missing angles in triangles and quadrilaterals.
	MacArthur	Juanita	Juanita for effort. She always makes fantastic contributions in class (especially English) when writing our Sci-Fi narrative.

Attendance Matters

Key Stage 1 attendance winners are Dahl Class. Year 3 and 4 attendance winners are Evaristo and Year 5 and 6 emails attendance winners are Braille Class.



Dates for your Diary

Date	Year Group	Event
01.02.23	All year groups	Inset Day
02.0223	4	London Zoo Trip
03.02.23	6	Mock SATs Week
08.02.23	All year groups	100% attendance bouncy castle parties
10.02.23	3	Trip to London Aquarium
10.02.23	All year groups	Last day of term