



Ark Conway Primary Academy

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Head's Message

This week, we have been persevering to embed all of our school routines so that we can be as efficient as possible! It has been brilliant to see older children, such as our Year 1 class, modelling these around school so that our Reception children know what to do.

Shakespeare Class began their swimming lessons this week and persevered to master important swimming skills. Almost as importantly, they persevered to get changed as quickly as possible before and after the lesson!

Today, it is World Teachers Day! I would like to celebrate by thanking every single one of our wonderful staff team. Their hard work and commitment is outstanding and is just one of the reasons our school is so special.



Finally, I would like to thank our wonderful Parent Forum for arranging tonight's Film Night. I am certain it will be hugely successful in raising money for our new library! I look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible.

Have a lovely weekend.

Composer of the Term

Our composer this half-term will be:

Wolfgang Mozart



Stars of the Week

For showing aspiration our stars of the week are:

Ellis	Grace	Lily	Theo
Evie	Alibaba	Nusaiba	Kailah

Attendance

This week the attendance figures are:

1 st	Lewis	97.8%
2 nd	Austen	97.59%
3 rd	Shakespeare	97.05%
4 th	Dahl	96.47%
5 th	Potter	96.11%
6 th	Carroll	95.33%
7 th	Dickens	95.25%

Celebration Assemblies

Please join us at 8:35am for our celebration assemblies on the following dates:

Friday 12th October – Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 parents – Year 1 class performance

Friday 19th October – Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 parents – Year 4 class performance

Dates for Your Diary

15th October – Year 1 trip

15th October – Year 2 trip

18th October – Year 4 and Year 5 trip to see Aladdin!

19th October - Year 3, 4, 5, 6 Reading and Writing Parent Workshop 9:15 – 9:45am

22nd – 26th October - Half term holiday

29th and 30th October – Inset Days

5th November - Year 6 and Reception Parent Teacher Conferences

6th November - Year 1 and Year 2 Parent Teacher Conferences (NOTE: this is a new date)

7th November - Year 3 and Year 4 Parent Teacher Conferences (NOTE: this is a new date)

8th November - Year 5 Parent Teacher Conferences

26th November - Inset Day

Saturday 8th December - School Christmas Fair

Home Learning

Reception: Make a picture of your own eye using any materials you like!

Year 1: Next Friday will be the Year 1 class assembly! A letter in book bags explains more about this. Every child has a short line to learn and the whole class will also sing two songs (lines and lyrics attached to letter). Please could you practice these at home. We hope to see you next Friday!

Year 2: How have you looked after your teeth this week?

Year 3: Why was the discovery of Bronze significant? Think about how it would have affected the lives of Stone Age people.

Year 4: Explain the journey of a river and some of its uses.

Year 5: Get caught reading! Take a photograph of yourself reading in an unusual place. Either print or email to h.bridges@arkconwayprimary.org.
Spelling: making adverbs from adjectives (sent home on Tuesday).

Year 6: Get caught reading! Take a photograph of yourself reading in an unusual place. Either print or email to h.bridges@arkconwayprimary.org.
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Notices

Film Night TONIGHT!

Roll up, Roll up....Ark Conway Film Night

Please do buy your tickets for the inaugural film night, tonight at 6pm. We have almost sold out so you will need to be quick! £2.50 per person, bar and popcorn to buy. Purchase tickets at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/ark-conway-film-night-tickets-50525010667>



Black History Month

For the month of October, we will be celebrating Black History Month. During this month, we will be discussing a range of key figures in history and exploring their achievements. Please do continue these important discussions at home and we would love to see any pieces of research that your child has done. Similarly, if you would like to come into class to share information about key figures, please do speak to your child's teacher.

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