



# Ark Conway Primary Academy

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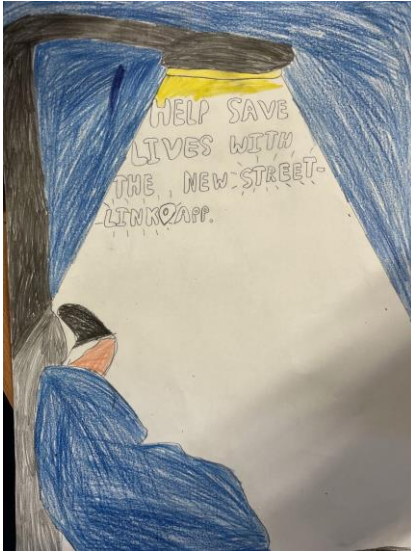


## Principal's Message

Happy Friday Ark Conway!

It has been a busy week in school this week with multiple trips and multiple parent workshops taking place, and even more of both taking place next week!

Today, Year 4 have completed a very impressive trip, walking along the River Thames for approximately 5 miles, passing through Little Venice amongst other areas. As well as this being an opportunity to build on their current learning about rivers, Year 4 decided to use this opportunity to raise money for a charity called **'Street Link'**.



Street Link supports homeless people across England and Wales to find safe accommodation. Well done Year 4 on your amazing efforts!

Wishing you all a very lovely weekend, in advance of our final week of this half term.

## Composer of the Term

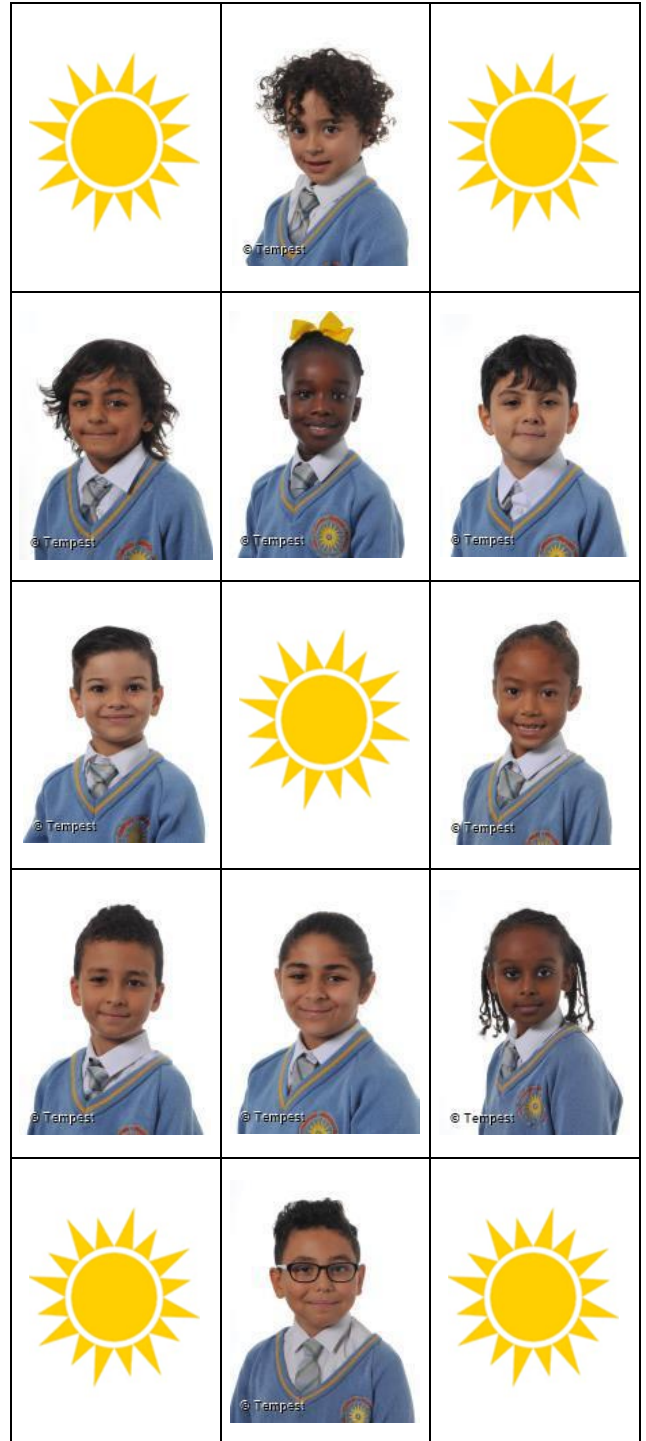
Our composer for this half term is:



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## Stars of the Week

For showing our school value of honesty, this week our stars of the week are:



This week the attendance figures are:

1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Attenborough</b>	<b>97.84%</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Ali and Angelou</b>	96.67%
3 <sup>rd</sup>	<b>Farah</b>	93.53%
4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Obama</b>	93.10%
5 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Earhart</b>	89.08%
6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Nightingale</b>	87.92%

## Dates for your Diary

### Next week...

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> February** – Children’s Mental Health Week

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> February** – Year 2 trip to Sea Life

**Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> February** – Year 5 trip to V&A museum

**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> February 3:40pm** – Reception Class Exhibition

**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> February 3:50pm** – Cake Sale

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February** – INSET Day

### This term...

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup> February–Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February inclusive** – Half term holiday

**Monday 21<sup>st</sup> February** – INSET Day

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February** – Pupils return to school at 8:20am

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> February** – Reception trip to the Museum of Water and Steam

## Celebration Assemblies

We invite all parents and guardians to join us for our Celebration Assemblies on the following dates and times.

### Friday 25<sup>th</sup> February

- **8:35am** - Reception, Year 1 and Year 2
- **3:15pm** - Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 and Year 6

## Parent Workshops

**Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> February, 3:10pm to 3:40pm** – RSE (Relationship, Sex and Health Education) workshop. If you have attended our previous workshop, you do not need to attend this one.

## Home Learning

Please share all home learning work on Seesaw. You can find more information about Seesaw by following this link: **Seesaw home learning.**



**Reception:** Can you be a scientist? Use this link to have a go at one of these excellent science experiments and share a photo of what you get up to: <https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/makes/lets-go-club-five-excellent-experiments>.

**Year 1:** We are creating a display on women in space. Can you research a woman who has made a significant contribution to space travel?

**Year 2:** This week we have looked at the continents of Europe, North America and South America. Choose a landmark from one of these continents (either human or physical) and find out as much as you can about it.

**Year 3:** Can you find some reflective materials in your house or outside? Can you see a reflective road sign or some tin foil? Present your findings in any way you would like.

**Year 4:** Next month we are celebrating Women's History Month, with a particular focus on women in STEM. Can you research and then create a piece of art that celebrates Mary Seacole? Your artwork can be designed any way you'd like and can include facts from your research.

**Year 5:** Research the volcanologist Katia Krafft and show your findings in a creative way!

**Year 6:** This week we learnt about the difference between broadsheet and tabloid newspapers. Can you tell me about the key differences between the two? How creative can your presentation be?

## Notices

### Parenting Coffee Mornings

Sharon Hall, the Family Practitioner at Place2Be, is looking forward to meeting you at the second of our Parenting Coffee mornings. This will be held on:

**Tuesday 8 February 2022** at 08:30am – 09:00am (Boundaries and Consequences)

### Social Media

Please take a look at our Facebook page 'Ark Conway Primary Academy'. You can also follow us on Twitter: @ARKConway or on Instagram (@arkconwayprimaryacademy)

*Safeguarding is everybody's responsibility.*  
Our safeguarding policy can be found in the school office.