



Head Teacher's Message:



Dear Parents and Carers

Following our recent Ofsted Inspection on 8-9th May 2019, I am very proud to announce that we have been rated 'OUTSTANDING' in all areas.

This is an amazing achievement and I would like to personally thank all my staff, the children, the parents, the APPTA, our governors and the Trust for all their fantastic support and hard work over the last three years.

The children continue to achieve exceptional outcomes in all our year groups and are making excellent progress from their different starting points. This is evident in our pupils' work in the Early Years and Key Stage One. Our staff have consistently delivered outstanding lessons over the year. At Ashmole Primary, care and attention is paid to pupils' spiritual and pastoral needs, as well as to their academic development.

Our school curriculum is broad and is developed in a way that engages all our pupils. Pupils really enjoy coming to school and I am very pleased that our parents are very happy with the quality of education that we offer.

Thanks again to the APPTA for organising another fantastic Summer Fair last week and we were truly blessed with the sunshine. It was great to see so many faces and everyone having a lovely time! Thank you to the Chair of the APPTA, Zina Shah and all the wonderful committee members that put in so much effort before, during and after the event to support our school and children.

By working together, we have shown that we can create an outstanding educational setting that everyone is very proud of.

Best Wishes

Mr Tofallis



New staffing for September 2019



I am delighted to announce that our two new class teachers for next year will be: Mr Osman and Miss Stavri. We will send out a detailed letter to outline who will be teaching where and who your child's class teacher will be for September 2019. This information will be prior to our Open Day on Monday 8th July. School Reports will also be sent out on this day.

Our new Year 3 classes, which will be on the first floor, will be called: Y3 Astra and Y3 Lynx. The teachers for year 3 will be announced next week.

New Support staff for next year include:

Miss Burke - School Direct Teacher
Miss Elia - HLTA
Miss Tibbs - Teaching Assistant
Mrs Rajendram - Teaching Assistant
Ms Kaya - Teaching Assistant and Meal Time Supervisor
Mrs F Ahmet - SEN Teaching Assistant
Mr Voskou - SEN Teaching Assistant
Mrs Wogan - Meal Time Supervisor
Mrs Pilialarmi - After School Club
Mrs Silva - Breakfast and After School Club

I am also very pleased to announce that we are very fortunate to have Mrs Elvin on a year placement as our own Child Psychotherapist to support our SENCO work for one day a week from September 2019. Mrs Elvin will be able to support pupils with art therapy and support any other issues under the overall guidance of our SENCO.



Bike Club and Biker's Breakfast

I was overwhelmed with the recent interest in the Biker's Breakfast for Y1 and Y2, 'Ditch Your Stabilisers Programme' and for the Y2 Cycle Skills event. We will definitely be putting these events on again in the near future and offering them to more smaller groups next year. All the children have thoroughly enjoyed these events and we have had many children in Y1 and Y2 that have learnt to ride their bike in the space of 3 weeks! A big thank you to Mr Bennett, Mr Voskou, Ellenie from Bike It and to our parent volunteer helpers on the days of the programme. It was also lovely to see so many children having Breakfast in the school hall! All children that took part in the Y2 Cycle Skills will also receive a special certificate.



On 9-12th September 2019 the Year 3 children will take part in the Level 1 Cycle Training for Schools.



Exciting Events at Ashmole Primary School

All our classes have had a great summer term trip this year and I know the children have really enjoyed themselves. Thank you to all the teachers who have organised these days out and thank you to the volunteers who have assisted.



Sports Week and Sports Day - Thank you to Mrs Redshaw for organising the week along with the recent Art Week. The children have had a great time and for the PE week the children will be able to come to school in their PE kits all week! On the Sports Day they need to come in their PE shorts and trainers with a plain t-shirt representing their Team colour (eg. red, blue, green or yellow). Please ensure the t-shirt does not have any logos on. The children should have sun cream, sun hats and water bottles every day next week. This should be another fun week at Ashmole Primary School!



Our new Climbing frames should also be completed in the next few days and will be ready to use for the children from next week.



Reception News

Orion class have really enjoyed taking part in art week activities this week. We have loved exploring with different colours, textures, shapes and materials. The children all helped to make their own class Mandela, printing with flowers and leaves and doing observational drawings!



Calypto Class enjoyed flying their paper aeroplanes and seeing how far they went! They measured the distance using non-standard units (their own feet) and then explored using metre sticks and rulers too! They learnt a very long measuring word: centimetre! The children have also been enjoying our recent great weather! They have been creating their very own picnic scenes and using their imaginations to create exciting story lines.

Year 1 News



This month Luna Class enjoyed an exciting and interesting trip to the Museum of Childhood. We were able to explore toys from the past and compare them to toys we play with in the present. We also took part in Art Week this week! We have made our own paintbrushes, drawn shadow outlines of plants, imprinted flowers and leaves into clay and also practiced weaving. This week it has been fun to explore different art techniques.

Nova class visited the V&A Museum of Childhood to see more toys from the past. First, we had a lesson with one of the Museum Historians about toys from the past. We looked closely at the materials the toys were made from, sorted old and modern toys and we also got to make our own toy from the past with a peg and some fabric. We even got to explore the museum collections. We had a super time!





Year 2 News

Lyra have had a busy time again, we have been looking at our environment really closely, we did a litter experiment and were shocked by the amount of plastic we found.

We also had a Pollution Solution workshop which gave us lots of ideas about how to make small changes to make a big impact.

We went on a school trip to the Natural History Museum and the V&A. It was a busy day and we saw so many interesting things.



Carina Class have had a fantastic Summer Term so far. We took the tube for the first time as a class for our school trip. The children loved being on the train and used the tube map well to track our journey all the way to South Kensington! We loved being Garden Explorers at the Natural History Museum. The children explored the wildlife garden, spotted many minibeasts and creatures such as frogs, pond skaters and butterflies.....thankfully it didn't rain! ☺ At the Victoria and Albert Museum, we searched high and low to find as many different shapes as we could, hidden in the exhibitions. We loved admiring the beautiful artwork, sculptures and collections in the museum.

We have been enjoying taking part in a variety of Art Activities during Art week. We have worked hard to recreate the work of artist Frank Bowling. The children used acrylic paints to create a drip effect on canvas. We also spent some time outside in the wildlife garden completing our own observational drawings. The children worked hard to sketch the nature and wildlife they could see keeping in mind size, perspective and composition. We definitely have lots of artists in the making!





School News and Reminders



Lost Property

If your child has lost any of their belongings, please speak to your child's class teacher or come to the school office.

Please ensure
that all clothing
is clearly marked
with your child's
name.



For your information, our Child Protection Officers are:

Mr Tofallis (Primary)
Mrs McLaren (Academy)
Mr Sanders (Governor)

The School Safeguarding Policy is available on our website:

www.ashmoleprimary.org

School Uniform - New Supplier

We continue to use ORC Sports to supply our uniform, however we have also sourced another supplier; Uniform 4 Kids www.uniform4kids.com

Summer Term Reminders

Please remind your child to wear their sun hat at break and lunch time. Sun lotion should be applied at home - please do not bring sun lotion into school. Your child must also have their water bottle in school every day.

Club Information and Contact Details

Foundation Sports - Tom Boxer 07505 097340 www.foundation-sports.com
Soccer Revolution - Stel Ekkeshis 07795 033492 www.soccerrevolution.co.uk
Tennis Rocks - Paul Rock 07934 118211/020 84495560 www.tennisrocksltd@gmail.com
Stage Coach - Kate Diaz 020 86899993 www.stagecoach.co.uk/southgate
GG Maths - Giuliano Grasso 07956 519802 www.ggmaths.co.uk
Lego Club - Donna Hussey 07860 777638 bluchildrensclub.co.uk
Mindful Kids - Anna 07518018088 www.mindfulnessaproach.com



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Diary Dates

July	1 st – 4 th	All Day	PE Week- Children to come to school all week in their PE kits. Sports activities led by the staff.
	2 nd	All Day	Healthy Lifestyles workshops- Change for Life for all classes.
	3 rd	AM PM	9.15am Sports Day for Reception 1.15pm Sports Day for Year 1 and Year 2
	4 th	All Day	Cricket workshops for all classes.
	5 th	All Day	Inset Day – Staff Training
	8 th	AM	Whole School Photo with Mr Wightman
		4 – 6pm	Open Day for all our parents. This is an opportunity to look at the children's work, chat to the class teacher and meet your child's teacher for the new academic year.
	9 th	3 – 5pm	Uniform pop-up shop in the hall
	11 th	9am	Music Assembly with Mrs Pocock Y1 recorders; Y2 recorder group and pianists; cello and guitar.
	15 th	9am – 11am	APPTA Nearly New Sale in the School Hall
	16 th	9.30am	Y2 Summer Assembly – all year 2 parents invited
	17 th	9am	APPTA Happy Bag Collection
	17 th	All Day	Super Hero Day – £1 for Noah's Ark Charity. Class Party Day!
	18 th	12.45pm	School Finishes – Last day of summer term
	19 th	All Day	Staff Inset Day
September	2 nd	All Day	Staff Inset Day
	3 rd	All Day	Staff Inset Day
	4 th	8.50am	First Day of school



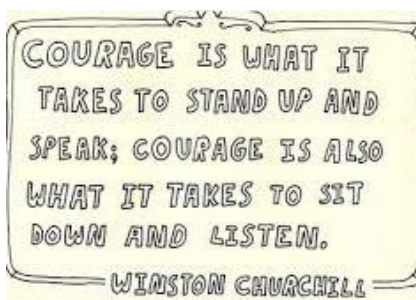
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Attendance

Nova 96.4%	Calypso 97.61%
Luna 97.69%	Lyra 97.26%
Carina 99.26%	Orion 94.43%



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Celebrating Achievement

Merits, Values and Handwriting Awards

Orion Class - George, Adele, Melis, Lewis, Roven

Calypso Class - Arya, Henry, Mason, Michael, Georgia, Neva,

Nova Class - Akyssa, Zachary, Zhane, Dimitar, Joseph, Aira

Luna Class - Anya, Alex J, Nathaniel, Alaena, Roan, Ella, Taylan, Alex D, Sophie

Carina Class - Elias, Eren, Henry, Kleo, Natalie, Rahi, Seb, Serena,

Lyra Class - Agastya, Amaya, Andy, Ediz, Eisa, Gabriella, Keana, Lara, Laurence, Sia,