



NEW ASH GREEN SCHOOL NEWS



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FEBRUARY 2023 NEWSLETTER

Curriculum Core Values - 'Together Everyone Achieves More'

CURIOSITY

RESILIENCE

CHALLENGE

INSPIRATION

INDEPENDENCE

SELF-MOTIVATION

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome to our end of the month February 2023 Newsletter. As we head into the beginning of March and to the remainder of Term 4, we look forward to a variety of activities including the parent and carer's consultation, class assemblies and Red Nose Day.



I would formally like to congratulate Mrs Nurdin on becoming the permanent Assistant Headteacher for Key Stage 2. Well Done.

Kind Regards, Mrs C A Cain Headteacher

**RED
NOSE
DAY**

Comic Relief: Red Nose Day

Friday, 17th March 2023

Please make a note of this date in your diary.

We will be sending further details regarding how the children will be taking part in this event in due course.

Class Photos: Tuesday 14th March 2023



We are pleased to be able to confirm that your child's class photo will be taking place on **Tuesday, 14th March 2023**

Reminder:

Parents and Carers' Consultations

taking place in school on

Tuesday 21st and

Thursday 23rd March 2023

Further details to follow.

Consultations for B1 will be taking place early in term 5.

The Opening of the New Playground Equipment

A huge thank you to the PTA for having new playground equipment installed in all 3 playgrounds. We were so lucky to have the Gruffalo come to the school for the opening ceremony.

Roundwood



Bramleyham



Hemstalls



The playground equipment was a joint venture between the PTA and the school. Congratulations to everyone. The children are loving playing on them.

Community Cupboard Assembly

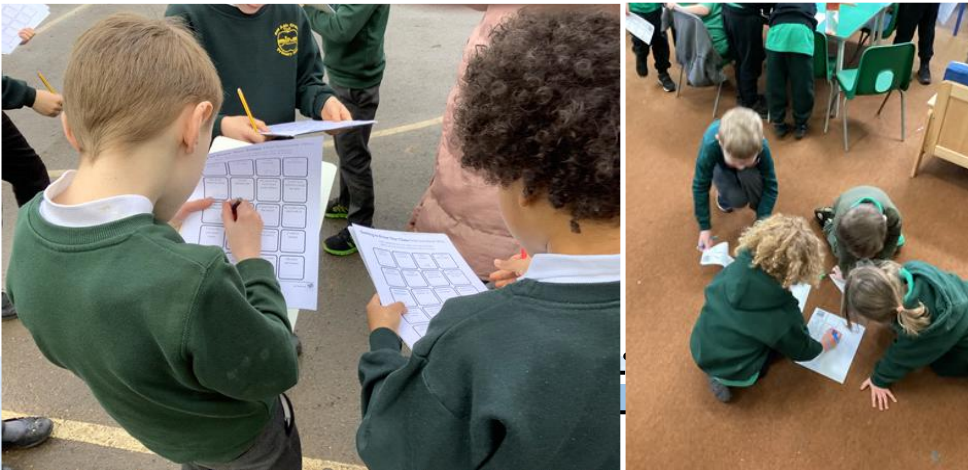
On Tuesday 21st February, we were delighted to welcome David and Tracy from The Community Cupboard for a special assembly. They talked about the important role they play within the community and how the charity supports families in need. Volunteers from the children helped them to explain why a charity such as theirs is so vital. The school will continue to look at supporting the Community Cupboard over the coming months.



Mental Health Week

During Children's Mental Health Week, the children enjoyed a variety of activities that encouraged them to connect with others.

A really popular activity was BINGO! Children were encouraged across the school to find others with similar interests and make connections with existing and new friends.



The Turkey/Syria Earthquake Appeal

Thank you for being so generous and contributing to
The Turkey/Syria Earthquake Appeal

We raised **£344.70**
Thank you very much.

Non-Uniform Day - PTA Funds Raised

Thank you for your generous donations last month for our Non-Uniform Day held on the last day of term on Friday, 10th February. We were able to raise **£271.61** Thank you very much.

Mother's Day Presents: Thursday 16th March 2023

There will be an opportunity for your child to buy Mother's Day presents at a cost of **£2.00 on Thursday 16th March.** Children may purchase up to a maximum of 1 present each. Reminder stickers will go home with your child the day before.

ATTENDANCE PERCENTAGES - FEBRUARY 2023

R3 - Reception The Curious Cubs	R4 - Reception The Meerkats	R5 - Year 1 The Pocket Rockets	R6 - Year 1 The Stargazers	R1 - Year 2 The Roaring Raptors	R2 - Year 2 The Dynamic Dinos
90.33	86.68	92.58	96.33	95.00	96.00

B3 - Year 3 The Everests	B4 - Year 3 The Conquering Centurions	B1 - Year 4 The Superb Saxons	B2 - Year 4 The Kapok Crew
95.56	97.62	95.71	93.33

H3 - Year 5 The Percy Jacksons	H4 - Year 5 The Huckleberry Finns	H1 - Year 6 The Joeys	H2 - Year 6 The Malkins
97.74	91.33	92.67	92.34

The teacher whose class achieved the highest attendance level
for the month of **February 2023** is

Miss Bayliss - H3, Year 5 - The Shackleton's Crew
who will be given £50 to spend on new books for the classroom

WELL DONE TO H3 CLASS!

Diary Dates for the Remainder of Term 4: 2022/2023

TERM 4 Date	Time	Event
Tuesday 7 th March	10-10.30am	R1 Class Assembly - Parents and Carers of R1 welcome
Wednesday 8 th March	Morning	Reading for Enjoyment, Stay and Learn, further details to follow
Tuesday 14 th March	Morning	Class Photos, by School Photographer, Braiswick
Thursday 16 th March	10-10.30am	H3 Class Assembly - Parents and Carers of H3 welcome
Thursday 16 th March	Morning	Mother's Day Presents to Buy - further details to follow
Friday 17 th March	All Day	Red Nose Day - further details to follow
Tuesday 21 st March	10-10.30am	R2 Class Assembly - Parents and Carers of R2 class welcome
Tuesday 21 st March	3.40pm-6.00pm	Parents and Carers' Consultations
Thursday 23 rd March	3.40pm-7.00pm	Parents and Carers' Consultations
Friday 24 th March	All Day	Year 4 Class Trip to Wildwood Trust, Herne Bay
Tuesday 28 th March	10-10.30am	B4 Class Assembly - Parents and Carers of B4 welcome
Friday 31 st March	All Day	Non-Uniform Day for Last Day of Term 4 (Donation £1)



Academic Term Dates for Remainder of 2022/2023

SPRING TERM 2023

INSET DAY	Tuesday 3 rd and Wednesday 4 th January
Term 3	Thursday 5 th January - Friday 10 th February
HALF TERM	Monday 13th February - Friday 17th February
Term 4	Monday 20 th February - Friday 31 st March
Bank Holidays	Good Friday 7 th April and Easter Monday 10 th April
EASTER BREAK	Monday 3rd April - Friday 14th April

SUMMER TERM 2023

Term 5	Monday 17 th April - Friday 26 th May
Bank Holidays	Monday 1 st May, Monday 8th May and 29 th May (Coronation Bank Hols)
HALF TERM	Monday 29th May - Friday 2nd June
INSET DAY	Monday 5 th June
Term 6	Tuesday 6 th June - Friday 21 st July

New Academic Term Dates for 2023/2024

AUTUMN TERM 2023

INSET DAYS	Friday 1 st September and Monday 4 th September
Term 1	Tuesday 5 th September - Friday 20 th October
HALF TERM	Monday 23rd October - Friday 27th October
Term 2	Monday 30 th October - Friday 15 th December
CHRISTMAS BREAK	Monday 18th December - Monday 1st January

SPRING TERM 2024

INSET DAY	Tuesday 2 nd and Wednesday 3 rd January
Term 3	Thursday 4 th January - Friday 9 th February
HALF TERM	Monday 12th February - Friday 16th February
Term 4	Monday 19 th February - Thursday 28 th March
Bank Holidays	Good Friday 29 th March and Easter Monday 1 st April
EASTER BREAK	Tuesday 2nd April - Friday 12th April

SUMMER TERM 2024

Term 5	Monday 15 th April - Friday 24 th May
Bank Holidays	Monday 6 th May and 27 th May
HALF TERM	Monday 27th May - Friday 31st May
INSET DAY	Monday 3 rd June
Term 6	Tuesday 4 th June - Tuesday 23 rd July

