



Abingdon Primary School

Spring Term 2017

Information and News

Parent, Pupil Teacher consultations

This half term we will be holding meetings for parents / carers to meet with their child and their child's teacher. These will take place during the week beginning 27th March. Teachers will be sending letters home shortly to let you know appointment times and days. During the meeting you will be given your child's annual school report and will have the opportunity to discuss your child's progress at school.



Year 4 children acting out a scene from Varjak Paw, their class novel. This helped them to understand the deeper themes of the story.

Year 6 SATS

This year's SATS (for Year 6 children) will take place on the week beginning the 8th May.

PE kit reminder

A reminder that children should wear the appropriate clothing for PE. Every pupil in school is allocated a house - **Riverside**, **Transporter**, **Albert**, **Dorman**. Whichever house your child is in you will need to purchase a coloured PE t-shirt to represent that house. PE kits should be kept in school for the half term (each child has a PE bag in school for this) and only brought home for washing.

Term dates

School will close for the Easter holidays on Friday 7th April and will reopen on Monday 24th April.

If you are planning a family holiday, please book it during these dates rather than taking your child out of school. It is vitally important that children attend school every day unless they are ill. No holidays during term time will be authorised.



Reception class phonics event.

Events for parents / carers.

Thank you to all the parents who attended our open day events last half term. It was fantastic to see so many of you sharing with your children's learning. Dates for events for this half term will be sent out shortly.

Parents Academy

This will be starting again on 14th March with a phonics course for parents of children in Year 1. If you would like to join this course, please see Mrs Bashir for further details.

Be on time at five to nine.

Please could we remind you that school starts at 5 to 9 and all children should be in the playground by this time ready for the start of the school day. There is a member of staff on duty from 8:30. If for any reason your child is late, please bring them to the school office so that you can register your child on the system with the reason for their lateness.

New Nursery

We are very excited to be able to say that our new nursery is now open. We have already welcomed 40 families into our learning community and look forward to many more families joining with us on our learning journey.

Mr A Cooper – Head Teacher