



Ashfield Junior School

Inspiring our children to dream big, be extraordinary and change the world

19th July 2024

Special End of Term Certificates

The following children were given awards for modelling our School Rules!

Resilience: Charlotte (3AC), Gigi (3L), Bradley (4M), Iya (4V), Chester (5A), Hollie (5D), Ali (6H) and Louis (6K)

Cooperation: Tristan (3AC), Anna (3L), Swayam (4M), Lunan (4V), Ibrahim (5A), Charlotte (5D) Jessica (6H) and Ellie (6K)

Kindness: River (3AC), Crina (3L), Maisie (4M), Myla (4V), Antonia (5A), Evelyn (5D), Zoe (6H) and Emily K (6K)

Respect: Skyla (3AC), Bella (3L), Louise (4M), Nathaniel (4V), Yuna (5A), Alina (5D), Dana (6H) and Marcus (6K)

A very happy birthday to:

This week: Abigail (3AC) and Max (6K)



Summer holidays: Kaya (6H), Jessica (3L), Leo (6H), Michael (6K), Joseph (6H), Chester (5A), Zayn (3AC) Lana (5D), Bertie (6K), Eli (5A), Daniel (6H), Jasper (6K), Ayla (4M), Rose (3L), Kyle (5D), Cecily (5A), Jack (4M), Jessica (6H), Finnley P (3L), Alma (3AC), Finnley H (3L), Nathaniel (4V), Nandini (3L) and Zahra (3L)

Attendance Matters!

Our attendance for this week is **91.9%** which is below the Government target of **96.1%**.

Congratulations to **5A** who led the way as our Attendance Champions with a fantastic attendance of **98.1%** Well done!

A big well done to **3AC** who are our Punctuality Champions.

Please help us by ensuring your child's arrival is prompt. The school gates open at 8:35am and close at 8:50am. If possible, please schedule doctors or dentists appointments after school.

Special Achievements

It is always a pleasure to hear about children's achievements outside of school.

Congratulations to **Nathaniel (4V)** who has passed his Stage 2 swimming. Well done!

Congratulations to **Charlotte and Alina (5D)** for passing their Grade 1 Cornet Exam. Well done!

Year 6 Leavers



We would like to take this time to wish our Year 6 children good luck. You are a credit to Ashfield and we all wish you the best of luck in your new schools.

Elms Sport In Schools - Olympics Programme

Ashfield Junior School over the Summer Term have been participating in The Elms 2024 Olympics Programme with 26 other Primary Schools. Some of the events they participated in were Volleyball, Hockey, Basketball, Gymnastics, Target throw and Athletics. Mr Jones also chose an Olympian each week who displayed the Olympic spirit with fairness and respect within the events .

Congratulations to Year 4 who finished in 3rd position. Well done!

The other Ashfield Junior classes also finished in the top 10 in their respective year groups:-

- Year 3 – finished 7th
- Year 5 – finished 5th
- Year 6 – finished 5th

After School Chess Club

Congratulations to the following children for the Summer Term Chess Club.

Monday Chess Club

Champion	Swayam (4M)
1st Runner up	Reyan (4V)

Champion	Rowan (5D)
1st Runner up	Jasper (6K)

The Elms After School Clubs

Congratulations to the following children for the Summer Term Sports Clubs.

Netball Club: Players of the Term

Maya (4V) and Yuna (5A)

Tennis Club: Players of the Term

Tristan (3AC) and Hana (5A)

Tennis Club: Players of the Term

Finn H (3L), Myla (4V) and Jack (4M)

Football Club: Players of the Term

Ella (3AC) and Millie (4M)

Top Goal Scorer:

Ridley (4M)

DSPL9 Parent & Carer Newsletter

Welcome to the DSPL9 newsletter. This provides families with all recent and current local SEND information. The newsletter will be published fortnightly. Please click on the link below to be re-directed to the newsletter.

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1T1_hdXKHPQ1GR7zvMBagkqKw9qlux-IF/view

This can also be found on our [website](#)

Summer Reading Challenge 2024

From 1 July, children can visit a library to sign up for the free Summer Reading Challenge. The theme of this year's challenge is Marvellous Makers, which is all about creativity. It aims to fire up children's imaginations, unleash story telling and inspire their own creativity through the power of reading.

School Library and Class Reading Books

Could you please have a look at home to see if you have any of the school library or class reading books. If so, could you send them in to school when return in September.

Autumn Term 2024

The start of the Autumn term begins on **Tuesday 3rd September**, gates open at **8.35am** and school starts at **8.50am**. We will look forward to seeing you in your new class!

11+ After School Club - MTT

From September 2024, Year 5 children will be able to attend an after-school club run by MTT which provides tuition for Maths and Verbal Reasoning for the 11+ assessments. Further information and how to join this after school club can be found on our website

<https://www.ashfield.herts.sch.uk/mock-transfer-test-mtt-after-school-club/>

Further information about MTT can be found on their website

<https://www.mocktransfertest.co.uk/>

Cater Link Accounts

If your child has school dinners please make sure you clear the arrears on their accounts as soon as possible.

If your child is in Year 6 and has a balance left on the Cater Link account this can be refunded or passed to a sibling in the same school. You will need to complete the online form ([CaterLink Ltd parent refund form](#)), so they have the necessary details to process the refund. If you do not have a Google account or want to sign into Google to submit this form, you can use [CaterLink Ltd parent refund form - No Upload](#). These will be processed as requested and refunded by BACS or transferred to a siblings account.

Message from ASHA

During recent visits to the school, it has been so rewarding to ask both children and teachers how they would like to see ASHA spend their fundraising money. Thanks to our generous school community we have been able to transfer a huge **£5,896.00** to school this week.

We have been able to contribute £2000 towards technology, £1000 towards sports equipment, £855 for new playground equipment, £300 towards workshops, £141.00 for the Year 6 leaver events. We are also giving each class £200 (£1600 in total) to spend on items that would benefit the children including new wet play games.

We hope your children will enjoy all the items that have been purchased that will enhance their learning opportunities and experiences.

We are always on the look out for more parents volunteers to help us, as this would enable us to put on more activities and events for the children and raise even more funds! If you can help please contact ashcommittee@gmail.com.

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