



# Ark Bentworth Primary Academy

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## A message from the Interim Head of School

It was great to celebrate World Book Day this week with many of the children coming in dressed as their favourite book characters. We had Florence Nightingale, Mary Poppins, Robin Hood, Peter Pan and even Darth Vader brought his Storm Troopers into the Academy. I like to think that we celebrate books and the love of reading everyday here at Bentworth; so thank you to everyone for their contributions.

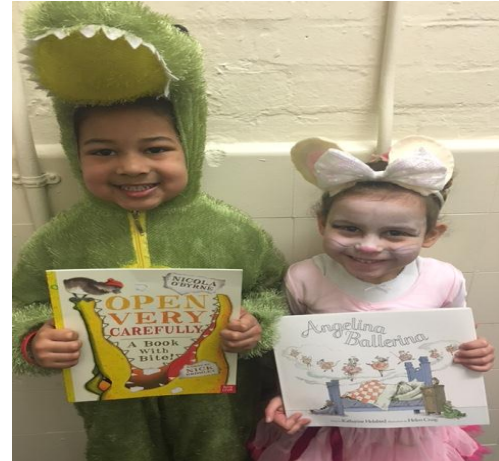
Many thanks to the Year 2 parents for attending the Assessment information session on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2016. If anyone would like information about the changes to Years 2 & 6 assessment procedures then please do let me know and I will make sure you get the packs that were handed out.

We had a very successful Ark Monitoring Visit with Sally Rundell (HMI) and the Principal from Ark Franklin. There were many successes celebrated: the children making good progress in their learning; teaching is good or better in the majority of the classes and behaviour is exemplary. The whole community of Bentworth ensure that this school goes from strength to strength every day... thank you for all your support in ensuring the children come to school ready for learning.

I will be sending out the new academic year dates next week as well as some useful information about good attendance in school.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend and I look forward to seeing you all on Monday.  
Best Wishes

*Maira Cruddas*



## Attendance

Winner of the class attendance award this Week is: **Year 1 Clarke** with **99.6%**.  
**Well done!**

In 2<sup>nd</sup> place is **Year 4 Oxford Brookes** with **97.3%** and in 3<sup>rd</sup> place is **Year 2 Manchester** and **Year 3 Cumbria** with **95.6%**.

Our whole school attendance for the week is **95.6%**.

100% Attendance winner of the week is:

**Abdallah Abdirahman**

**Congratulations!**

## Value of the week

Next week our value is...

**Friendship**

*Aiming High, Achieving Together*

## Birthdays

**Reception:** Robert Martin  
**Year 1:** No birthdays this week  
**Year 2:** No birthdays this week  
**Year 3:** Jill Crasnacumar  
**Year 4:** Zainab El-Madoub  
**Year 5:** No birthdays this week  
**Year 6:** Mascaud Kulmie

## Star Awards

Reception	Jaida Shodeine-Mackay
Year 1	Aliyah Sonogo
Year 2	Manira Askar
Year 3	Faris Milad
Year 4	Yanique Adeji-Mensah
Year 5	Basil Al-Hawsi
Year 6	Erika Evangelista



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## Notices

### School Uniform

Thankyou to all the parents for returning the signed uniform agreements. Please note as from Monday if any children are wearing the incorrect footwear for PE the office will call the parent to bring in the correct footwear. If you are unable to bring them in your child will be given a loan pair of plimsolls.

### Coffee Mornings

We have set aside some dates for our coffee mornings. We would like to use these times to consult with you as parents and to gather your views about life in the school, as well as invite speakers in to promote well-being. A great opportunity to come together as a community and to share ideas. They will run from 9:00 – 10:00 a.m.

- Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2016
- Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2016

### Positive Play

This week's positive play winners are:

Year 5: 25: points  
 Year 4 & 6: 24 points

### Sports Relief

On Friday the 18<sup>th</sup> March is Sports Relief Day. Ark Bentworth will be raising money for Sports Relief. As a school we are going to take part in a whole school dance in the playground. Each child will be encouraged to donate £1. Please could all children come to school in their PE kit on this day? We warmly welcome any parents who would like to participate as well.

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