



# Ark Bentworth Primary Academy

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## A message from the Interim Head of School

There is a sense that spring is just around the corner. Spring is a time for new growth and brightness as we see more colour in our environment. As part of the regeneration of the playground, new troughs/planters were installed and each one has been given over to a class to develop. The children have been really busy this week planting with Mr. Studd. They have planted, radishes, carrots, lettuces, potatoes, wild flowers and bluebells. This is just a start! It will be a welcomed addition to see some flowers and produce being grown in the playground. Let's hope that the produce will be good enough to eat!

I apologise for not sending out the dates for the next academic year this week... there were a couple of adjustments to be made. It will be very important that you follow the calendar when you are booking your holidays and I cannot stress the importance of not taking your child out on holiday during term time. I really do appreciate your support on this matter... good attendance has a huge impact on the level of progress your child will make.

The children worked exceptionally hard during their Assessment Week and I am very proud of all their achievements. The attitudes to learning is very positive in Ark Bentworth and I would like to thank all of the staff for their hard work in ensuring all the children are taught well.

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 2 Manchester** with **99%. Well done!**

In 2<sup>nd</sup> place is **Year 1 Clarke** with **97.6%** and in 3<sup>rd</sup> place is **Year 3 Cumbria** with **96.3%**.

Our whole school attendance for the week is **96.2%**.

100% Attendance winner of the week is:

**Aisha Ali**

**Congratulations!**

## Value of the week

Next week our value is...

## Inspiration

*Aiming High, Achieving Together*

## Birthdays

**Reception:** No birthdays this week

**Year 1:** No birthdays this week

**Year 2:** No birthdays this week

**Year 3:** No birthdays this week

**Year 4:** No birthdays this week

**Year 5:** No birthdays this week

**Year 6:** No birthdays this week

## Star Awards

Reception	Muhammad Yusef Effandi
Year 1	Ayssar Zinbi
Year 2	Macy Stratford
Year 3	Gider Alasady
Year 4	Hafsa Dahir
Year 5	Elijah & Preston
Year 6	Reece O'Halloran



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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 and the office will keep their shoes until they return the plimsolls at the end of the day.

### Coffee Mornings

We are having a coffee morning for all the parents in our community on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2016; from 9:00 – 9:45 a.m. It would be great to see as many of you there as possible so that we can celebrate the end of this half term!

### Positive Play

This week's positive play winners are:

Year4: 23: points

Year 5: 21 points

### Safeguarding

Your child's safety is very important to us. Please can you ensure that you inform the office at all times if you have asked another adult to collect your child/children. The office will generate a password for you to give to the adult collecting your children and this will be passed onto the class teacher. Your help in this matter is appreciated.

### Sports Relief

A big thankyou to all the parents, for joining in our Sports Relief dance off this morning. It was a big hit and was enjoyed by everyone. We Managed to raise £80.60p

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