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A Message from the Principal

It has been exceptionally busy this week. All the children completed their assessments for the Spring Term. Every child worked very hard to do their very best... this is all we ask. We will of course send out the results next week and as mentioned last week, we will be sending out the current attendance data sheets.

There was a slight change to the schedule this week and it was Year 1 who became architects with colleagues from the Royal Institute of British Architects (RIBA). They spent the two days designing and making their castles. The excitement, the skill, the care and the work that they put into their work was inspiring. I really hope that this may have piqued a few of the children's interest and that we have some budding architects for the future.

Year 4 had a wonderful day trip to The Wetland Centre in Barnes where they explored the conservation area as part of their topic. The children really enjoy just being out and about in the area and it is such an important part of the curriculum. It certainly brings learning to life and deepens understanding.

We are fast approaching the end of the Spring Term so please don't forget your child's Show Case Event next week. You will find all the dates and times in the school office and on the Parents Noticeboard. I always look forward to seeing so many parents and family members in and around the school. The highlight next week will be the Early Years Spring Bonnet Parade. Make sure you come along early to save your seat!

Just a reminder... school closes for the Easter Break on Friday 5th April and ALL children are expected to return on **Wednesday 24th April 2019**. Please be mindful of the start date for the new term if you are looking to go on holiday

Have a wonderful weekend and I look forward to seeing you all on Monday!

Moira Cruddas



Attendance

Winners of the class attendance award this week are...

Year 2 with 99.3%
Year 6 with 99.3% and
Year 4 with 98.4%.

Well done to you all!!

This week's attendance was back to its healthy self... **95.2%!!!**

Our 100% Attendance winners of the week are...

**Anaisa De Melo Lemos
& Noor Ibrahim**

100%

Congratulations!

Spring B

Honesty

We speak the truth and act in a way we know is right.

Aiming High, Achieving Together

Birthdays

Nursery: No birthdays this week

Reception: Mostafa Bensalah

Year 1: No birthdays this week

Year 2: Denero Stewart-Andrew & Jack Baker

Year 3: No birthdays this week

Year 4: No birthdays this week

Year 5: Fajr Lafeville

Year 6: Adil Sahel Yusuf



Star Awards

Reception	Habiba Nur
Year 1	Jonathan Francis
Year 2	Sofia Al-Assam
Year 3	Khalid Egal
Year 4	Soraya Al-Assam
Year 5	Saida Mahad Ali
Year 6	The Whole of Year 6!



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Notices

Summer Dresses

The newly designed Summer Dress is now available to order. We have samples of the dress - which is totally bespoke to Bentworth - in the front office. This dress has taken us over a year to design as we wanted something unique and special for our school. The summer dress is to be worn with the new cardigan and there is also a summer uniform for the boys. Please do place your orders as the summer uniform can be worn from Monday 3rd June 2019

Food Bank Vouchers

If any of you require food bank vouchers, please do contact Ms Cruddas. If you do require support from the vouchers, please know that this matter will be dealt with in the strictest of confidence. We are here to help and support you.

Front Office

The following will be the days that you can order and pay for things in the front office:

Uniform ordering day: Tuesdays

Uniform pick-up day: Thursdays

Dinner money pay day: Mondays & Fridays

Website

You will find all our policies; for example, our Behaviour, Curriculum & Safeguarding Policies, on our website www.arkbentworth.org

Key Dates

Show Case Week – Week Beginning 1st April 2019

Last Day of the Spring B Term – Friday 5th April 2019

Year 6 Easter School – Monday 15th to Wednesday 17th April 2019; 9:00 – 12:00 p.m.

First Day of the Summer A Term - Wednesday 24th April 2019

May Day Bank Holiday (School Closed) - Monday 6th ay 2019

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