



Ark Bentworth Primary Academy

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A Message from the Principal

Welcome to the first newsletter for the Summer Term. I hope you all managed to read last week's letter ... there were some very important dates for your diaries as this half term has many days where the school is closed. As with all our newsletters and letters, they are posted on our website, on twitter, Facebook and are on our Parents' Noticeboard. Please do take the time to read them.

This week we welcomed Professor David Woods CBE to our Academy. Prof. Woods is an eminent Educational Writer and is also Chair of the London Leadership Strategy. He brought along with him ten educationalists - teachers and headteachers - from Denmark. They had a tour and were given a very warm Bentworth welcome by the children and staff. The children were able to talk so freely about their learning and how they want to improve their work. I was very proud of the children and the staff. We do need to take a step back sometimes and reflect on the great journey Bentworth has been on and the community that supports this school. We also need to make sure that we thank all of the staff that surround the children here - they give their best every day and so the children get the very best every day!

A note was sent on Monday to inform you that the Academy will be closed for Polling Day on Thursday 23rd May 2019 - ALL children will be expected to be back in school on Friday 24th May.

Please do not forget to make sure you have placed your orders for the summer uniform!

Finally... don't forget that the school is closed for Bank Holiday on Monday 6th May. We look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday 7th May 2019

Maira Cruddas



Attendance

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

Year 2 with 98.7%
Year 5 with 98.6% and
Year 6 with 97.1%.

Well done to you all!!

This week's attendance was a much improved... **96.4%!!!**

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

Chael Holder &
Hussien Ali

100%

Congratulations!

Summer A's Value Independence

We take responsibility for our learning and we are able to think for ourselves before asking for help.

Aiming High, Achieving Together

Birthdays

Nursery: No birthdays this week

Reception: No birthdays this week

Year 1: Zakaria Nasir & Kayen Sutherland

Year 2: No birthdays this week

Year 3: Hannah Broadie & Elvis Makaj

Year 4: No birthdays this week

Year 5: No birthdays this week

Year 6: No birthdays this week



Star Awards

Reception	Bertie O'Brien
Year 1	Theo Broom
Year 2	Yamen Elkarwash
Year 3	Omar Elkarwash
Year 4	Whole Class
Year 5	Karime Jawad
Year 6	Ibrahim Zaglam



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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

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

Key Stage 2 SATs - Monday 13th May to
Thursday 16th May 2019

Key Stage 1 SATs - Friday 17th May to
Friday 24th May 2019

School Closed for Polling Day - Thursday
23rd May 2019

Half Term - Monday 27th May to Friday 31st
May 2019

We are a Microsoft Associate

Showcase School

