



# Ark Bentworth Primary Academy

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## A message from the Principal

We have certainly started back with a real spring in our step! I would like to start by saying thank you to you all for your support in making our attendance so far this year, the best the Academy has ever had. Attendance is currently 96.9% across the whole school; this is above the National Average.

We all agree that good attendance has a massive impact on our children's learning and the progress that they make. We are fast approaching Winter and the weather has certainly taken a turn, and is much colder. Please do keep a look out for our 'bug alerts' and we will give you top tips on avoiding some of the more common sickness bugs that can spread very quickly in a school. Also a little reminder; please be mindful of taking your children out to go on holiday during term time. It is very tempting, and I am aware of that but it is your legal responsibility to ensure your child is in school every day. Thanks again for all your support.

Finally, if you would like to help at the Christmas Fair or if you would like to have your own stall, please do see Mrs Summers or Mrs Keenan in the office to book your pitch. We would also like lots of help in setting up and running stalls – so if you can spare an hour or two, again please let the office know as soon as possible!

I hope you all have a safe weekend and I look forward to seeing you all on Monday.

*Maira Cruddas*



## Attendance

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

**Year 1 with 99.3%**  
**Year 6 with 97.9% and**  
**Year 5 with 96.7%.**

**This week's class attendance has been amazing... well done to you all!!**

This week's attendance was **95.5%**.

This week's 100% Attendance winners of the week are...

**Jayden Campbell-Rankin &**  
**Abdallah Abdirahman**

**100%**

**Congratulations!**

## Autumn B Value

### Resilience

*We always try our best, learn from our mistakes and never give up; even when facing a challenge*

*Aiming High, Achieving Together*

## Birthdays

**Nursery:** No birthdays this week

**Reception:** Lilian Fotoh & Yaseen Mohamed

**Year 1:** No birthdays this week

**Year 2:** No birthdays this week

**Year 3:** Khyra Campbell-Rankin & Noor Ibrahim

**Year 4:** No birthdays this week

**Year 5:** Franckie Harwood

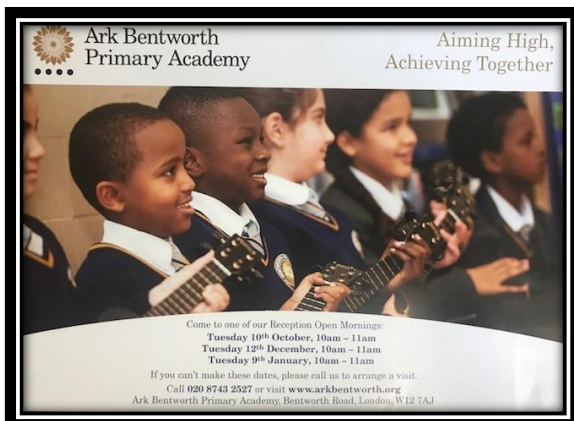
**Year 6:** No birthdays this week



## Star Awards

<b>Reception</b>	Anais De Melo Lemos
<b>Year 1</b>	Kayvan Ghavimi & Saba Alhaj
<b>Year 2</b>	Se Scully
<b>Year 3</b>	Myia Ball
<b>Year 4</b>	Jenae Samuel
<b>Year 5</b>	Ellie Curtiss-Smith
<b>Year 6</b>	Tia Noel

Well done to all the children!



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## Notices

### Reception Open Mornings

It's that time again to think about applications for Reception Places for September 2018/2019. Our Open Mornings will be from 10:00 – 11:00 a.m. on the following dates:

- Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2017
- Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2018

### 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

### Parents' Evening

Please do make sure that you sign up to meet with your child's class teacher for next weeks Parents' Evening. The dates and times: Wednesday & Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> November 2017 from 3:45 – 6:15 p.m.

### West London Zone

Information was shared regarding West London Zone and the potential work they will be able to do with your child to support their pastoral and learning needs. If your child is in Years 1 to 4 please do feel free to complete the survey on the following [www.westlondonzone.org/surveyinfo](http://www.westlondonzone.org/surveyinfo)

### Website

You will find all our policies; for example our Behaviour, Curriculum & Safeguarding Policies, on our website [www.arkbentworth.org](http://www.arkbentworth.org)

### Key Dates

**Christmas Fair:** Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December 2017

**Christmas Holidays:** Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2017 1.30pm – Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2018

**Spring A Term Begins:** Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2018

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Showcase School

