



# Ark Bentworth Primary Academy

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## A Message from the Principal

This half term our value is Independence. We are really focusing the children on becoming more independent learners. One skill we are encouraging is to make sure that before any of the children ask for any help if they get stuck on a problem; that they give the problem a try. If the children do get any of their work incorrect, it is a great opportunity to embed new skills and for them to learn from the errors made. We encourage this at home also – discuss any errors with your children especially in Maths and also encourage them to explain what they have read in their reading books to encourage a greater understanding of the text

As we move towards the season of SATs and Phonics Testing I cannot thank you the parents enough for the support in which you are giving the children as they prepare for their end of Key Stage milestones. We are offering many after school booster classes for children to support them in their Phonics, Writing and in developing Greater Depth knowledge. If your child has been chosen to be part of one of these groups please do take up this opportunity.

The Summer Fair will be upon us very soon and we need to start preparing. If you would like to help on the day or in the run up to the fair, or if you would like a stall to sell your own goods, please do let the office know. We will be holding a meeting in the next few weeks.

Just a reminder that the school is closed for the May Day Bank Holiday on **Monday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2018**. I am expecting **EVERYONE** back to school on the **Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2018!!** ☺

Have a wonderful long weekend I look forward to seeing you all on Tuesday.

*Moira Cruddas*



## Attendance

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

**Year 4 with 98.3%**  
**Year 2 with 96.5%** and  
**Year 1 with 96%.**

**Well done to you all!!**

This week's attendance was...  
**95.8%**

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

**Abdallah Abdirahman &  
Ayman Rahman**

**100%**

**Congratulations!**

## Summer A 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:** Zakariya Nasir & Kaylan Wildman

**Year 1:** No birthdays this week

**Year 2:** Elvis Makaj

**Year 3:** No birthdays this week

**Year 4:** No birthdays this week

**Year 5:** No birthdays this week

**Year 6:** Zakaria Takarli



## Star Awards

<b>Reception</b>	Joey Clara-Murphy
<b>Year 1</b>	Aimee Ryan
<b>Year 2</b>	Ayman Rahman
<b>Year 3</b>	Haytham Mohamed
<b>Year 4</b>	Ashraf Takarli
<b>Year 5</b>	William McKeown
<b>Year 6</b>	Hafsa Dahir



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## Notices

### School Uniform & PE Kits

Please can we remind you that children should be wearing their full school uniform every day. Children should be wearing black shoes with their uniform and black trainers/plimsolls with their PE Kits.

### 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](http://www.arkbentworth.org)

### Year 6 Graduation

Please put Monday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2018 in your diary. The graduation ceremony will be held at City of London School for Boys and will be at 1:00 p.m. More details will follow this half term.

### Key Dates

**May Bank Holiday:** Monday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2018

**Half Term:** Monday 28<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2018

**First Day Back for Children:** Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2018

**Summer Fair:** Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2018

**Last Day of the Academic Year:** Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2018

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