



# Ark Bentworth Primary Academy

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## A Message from the Principal

I was very pleased to have been able to send out to you our letter from Ofsted. Many of you have come to me asking questions about the inspection and the outcome... Please do come along to Coffee Morning on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2019 from 9:00 a.m. It will also be a great opportunity for me to thank you for your continued support here at Bentworth... we have so much to celebrate!

Many of you attended our Keeping Safe Online training with Teresa Hughes on Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2019. Many parents have approached me to talk about ways they can keep their children safe online and to also regulate the amount of time their children spend playing games. Many of the games the children play are interactive - Fortnite is one of them - this means there is online chat feature where the children can 'chat' to people online - if your child is playing this game, do you know who they are talking to? Did you also know that Fortnite is not suitable for children under the age of 12? We need to be vigilant as we know especially when chat features are prevalent on many of these games. If you would like any advice or support on any matters relating to Online Safety please do not hesitate to contact me... I am here to support you.

Next week is Show Case Week...

**Nursery:** Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February @ 2:45 p.m.  
**Reception:** Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February @ 2 p.m.  
**Year 1:** Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February @ 2:45 p.m.  
**Year 2:** Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February @ 2:30 p.m.  
**Year 3:** Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February @ 2:45 p.m.  
**Year 4:** Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> February @ 2:45 p.m.  
**Year 5:** Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February @ 2:45 p.m.  
**Year 6:** Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February @ 2:45 p.m.

I look forward to seeing you all on Monday.

*Moira Cruddas*



## Attendance

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

**Year 1** with **100%**  
**Year 6** with **98.6%** and  
**Year 4** with **96.7%**.

**Well done to you all!!**

This week's attendance was back to its healthy self... **96.4%!!!**

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

**Mourad Abdulgader &  
George Nolan-French**

**100%**

**Congratulations!**

## Spring A Value

### Generosity

*We share our time, knowledge  
And things with those around us*

*Aiming High, Achieving Together*

## Birthdays

**Nursery:** No birthdays this week  
**Reception:** No birthdays this week  
**Year 1:** No birthdays this week  
**Year 2:** No birthdays this week  
**Year 3:** **Ayman Rahman**  
**Year 4:** **Kamsiyonna Okechuku**  
**Year 5:** No birthdays this week  
**Year 6:** No birthdays this week



## Star Awards

<b>Reception</b>	Sabir Fidow
<b>Year 1</b>	Tate Kavanagh
<b>Year 2</b>	Amaar Nelson
<b>Year 3</b>	Nevaeh Ismael
<b>Year 4</b>	Khyra Campbell-Rankin
<b>Year 5</b>	Chayma Hemmaz
<b>Year 6</b>	Adil Yusuf



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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 3<sup>rd</sup> 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](http://www.arkbentworth.org)

### Key Dates

**Valentines Disco** - Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2019

**Last Day of the Spring A Half Term** - Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2019

**INSET Day** - Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2019

**First Day of the Spring B Half Term** - Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2019

**World Book Day** - Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2019

**Ark Network Day (School Closed)** - Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2019

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