

ABBOT'S HALL PRIMARY SCHOOL



Parent newsletter - March 2026

Message from Mr Pettitt

This term has flown by and, as we approach the Easter holidays, I wish you all a restful break and we look forward to your return on Monday 13th April.



Parents or carers wishing to speak to the class teacher in the morning should speak to them before 8.45am. Any parents or carers arriving after this time will need to leave a message with the front office, as staff will be in class from 8.45am.

Please do not allow your children to play on the play/gym equipment before or after school. These should only be used when supervised by a member of staff.

As the weather begins to warm up, please can you make sure all children, including the older children, have a water bottle in school. The bottle should have a sports cap and be named.



Thank you to everyone who attended our Scholastic Book Fair.

All the book purchases helped raise £280 worth of new books for the school!



Friends of Abbot's Hall



The Easter Egg Hunt organised by the Friends of Abbot's Hall, has been a great success this week.

The money raised by the Friends helps fund resources for the school.

We would like to thank the Friends for recently funding two whole class sets of books.



School Uniform

Our new school uniform supplier is MyClothing.com and our dedicated online shop is now live.

Uniform items can be ordered directly via the following link:

<https://myclothing.com/collections/abbots-hall-community-primary-school-15150/>

Please be reassured that current uniform can continue to be worn for the foreseeable future.



Our gingham summer dresses will now change to green.



Congratulations to Mrs Childs' class who won the Timetables League for this term!!

Well done to all children who took part every week and supported their classes in achieving points. All children who contributed every week will be awarded with a non-uniform pass to use on a day of their choice.

TTRS League		League Points
This weeks fixtures		1 Year 5 (CC) 21
Year 3 (DR/AC) v Year 5 (FP)		2 Year 6 (TA/MS) 18
Year 5 (CC) v Year 4 (CG/AC)		3 Year 3 (RM/AC) 12
Year 6 (KL/HF) v Year 4 (JV)		4 Year 6 (KL/HF) 9
Year 6 (TA/MS) v Year 3 (RM/AC)		5 Year 4 (JV) 9
Players of the match		6 Year 4 (CG/AC) 6
		7 Year 5 (FP) 6
		8 Year 3 (RM/AC) 3



Stone Age Day Year 3



Year 3 took part in a Stone Age Day. They had a visit from Sealbit, who they travelled back in time with, to find out about what life was like back then.

World Book Day

We had a wonderful day dressed as crayons and being inspired by 'The Day the Crayons Quit'. We had children visit Stowmarket library and older year groups shared books with younger year groups.



Forest sessions in Foundation Stage



Foundation Stage have been busy in the forest this half term. They have been making clay faces, hunting for bugs and even enjoyed a hot chocolate with Mr Pettitt.



Great Fire of London Year 2



Year 2 enjoyed a Great Fire of London day. They re-enacted the event with props and learnt lots of new facts.



Dates for the Diary

Friday 27th March 9am - Year 3 Class Assembly

Friday 27th March - Last day of term

Monday 30th March - Friday 10th April - EASTER HOLIDAYS

Monday 13th April - Return to school

Thursday 16th April - Y4 Farm and Country Fair Trip

Thursday 16th April - Y5 Egyptian Day

Friday 17th April - Y5 Egyptian Day

Friday 24th April 9am - Y5 Class Assembly

Monday 27th April - Class Photos

Friday 1st May 9am - Y4 Class Assembly

Friday 8th May 9am - Y3 Class Assembly

Monday 11th May - Thursday 14th May - Year 6 SATS week

Friday 15th May 9am - Y2 Class Assembly

Friday 22nd May 9am - Y1 Class Assembly

Friday 22nd May - Last day of term

Monday 25th May - Friday 29th May - HALF TERM HOLIDAYS

Monday 1st June - PD DAY

Tuesday 2nd June - Return to school

Wednesday 3rd June 2.45pm - Y1 BD Welcome Wednesday

Thursday 4th June - FS Hollow Tree Farm Trip

Thursday 4th June - Y2 Foxburrow Farm Trip

Friday 5th June 2.45pm - Y2 LT Friendly Friday

Wednesday 10th June 2.45pm - Y1 TE/ JC Welcome Wednesday

Friday 12th June 9am - FS Class Assembly

Wednesday 17th June 2.45pm - YR HB/ ES Welcome Wednesday

Friday 19th June - Y6 Crucial Crew Trip

Friday 19th June 2.45pm - Y2 KS Friendly Friday

Wednesday 24th June - Y3 Colchester Castle Trip

Wednesday 24th June 2.45pm - YR TP Welcome Wednesday

Friday 26th June 2.45pm - Y3 BR/ AC Friendly Friday

Monday 29th June AM - Transition Morning

Monday 29th June - 3.15pm - Meet the Teacher

Tuesday 30th June AM - Transition Morning

Tuesday 30th June - 3.15pm - Meet the Teacher

Friday 3rd July 2.45pm - Y3 RM/ AC Friendly Friday

Wednesday 8th July - Friday 10th July - Y4 Frontier Centre Residential Trip

Friday 17th July - Last Day of Term.

Monday 20th July - PD Day

Tuesday 21st July - Monday 31st July - SUMMER HOLIDAYS

Tuesday 1st Sep + Wednesday 2nd Sep - PD Days

Thursday 3rd Sep - Return to school