

ABBOTSMEDE NEWS

Message from the Headteacher

Dear parents and carers,

The children have all been doing their assessments this week and so have been concentrating really hard. The results show us how much progress they have made which is a testament to all the hard work they have done over the last year.

During the afternoons they have had the opportunity to celebrate 'Science Week' and have taken part in lots of great activities and experiments from launching rockets in year 5 to learning how to clean their teeth in Year 1, to name but a few!

I am sure if you ask your children they will be very excited to tell you all about the activities they have taken part in! Speaking and listening is one of the key foci for our School this year so spending time chatting about their work in School and what is going on in the world really helps their understanding. This can be done in your own language as this helps to develop understanding in both your mother tongue and English.

Over the next two weeks all children will be able to earn raffle tickets for great work and effort. On the last day of term we will then have a number of Easter eggs which will be prizes. Many thanks to everyone who donated Easter eggs, if anyone would like to make a further donation please hand in at the School Office. We have a lovely selection so far and the children are very excited to be able to take part.

Have a fantastic weekend.

Rachael Holland, Head Teacher

Science week

Year 4 have enjoyed taking part in science week. They were able to design, make and launch their rockets. They had the opportunity to get their hands dirty as they made slime and their own liquid solution with wands to blow bubbles. Great fun was had by all. Big thank you to parents for collecting and sending in empty bottles and boxes.



Medicines

Please can we remind you that medicines, such as nasal sprays, should not be brought into the school and used by the children. All medicines should be brought to the front office. If your child needs to use a lip balm, please remind them that they should only be used on their own lips and these are not for sharing.

Attendance Congratulations

Week 18th March – 22nd March

Classes with 97% and above

EYFS – RRS

KS2 – 3MP, 6KM, 5HN, 4CW, 3AB, 5PD, 6VH

Celebrating Punctuality

EYFS – RGP, RRS

KS2 – 3MP, 4FL, 5PD

27 th & 28 th March	Book Fair
29 th March	Mothers Day
29 th March	Year 3 trip to Peterborough Museum
4 th April	School Nurse drop in
4 th April	Year 6 Parents Evening
4 th June	Year 2 trip to Cadbury World

Dodgeball tournament

On Tuesday 19th March we attended a Dodgeball Tournament at St John Fisher School. There were 4 teams taking part, and... WE WON 2 out of 3 games. Well done to all of our players!



Mother's Day

Mother's are invited into class on **Friday 29th March at 2:30** to spend some time enjoying activities with their children as a special Mother's Day treat.



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Book fair!!!



Instead of going on
electronic
devices read a book.



Come our fantastic fabulous book fair! We have wonderful, magnificent and interesting books for all ages! If you have any questions ask the staff.

When: Wednesday 27th March and Thursday 28th March from 3:15pm

Where: The Assembly Hall

Reception and nursery parents will be able to buy from their classrooms all week.