

# Abingdon Primary School



Friday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2026

Dear all,

We have definitely seen an improvement in the weather this week, please remember to put sun cream on your child and to send them in with a hat. Although, it is still wise to send them in with a coat at this time of year as you never know how the day will end.

We would like to take this opportunity to remind parents and children of the school's dress code as we enter the summer season. Boys should wear white or red polo shirts or cotton shirts with black or grey shorts or trousers. Girls should wear black or grey knee length skirts with white or red polo shirts or cotton shirts, or red gingham dresses. Socks can be black, grey or white and school shoes should be black. For PE, the children can wear black or grey jogging bottoms or shorts (shorts must be an appropriate length), white polo shirts and where needed their sweatshirt. PE attire should only be worn on days that the class have PE.

Earrings shouldn't be worn, but if they can't be removed as they are new, then they should be small studs. Earrings are not permitted for swimming and if they can't be removed for PE then they should be taped over. Make-up is not permitted at all. Thank you for support in this matter.

Next week is a four-day week as Monday is a bank holiday, so please enjoy the extended weekend! Happy Friday Everyone!

Ms Spendlow



**Forest Schools-** Forest School next week will be on **Thursday** 7th May with Y5 Merlins and Y1/2 Squirrels.

Please ensure that you send your child in with appropriate clothing that you don't mind getting dirty.

### **Girls' Football Tournament**

Mrs Lamb took a group of girls to a football training session at St James' High School this week. They had a brilliant time learning some new skills. The girls were wonderful ambassadors for the school and played brilliantly! Well done all!



### Forest School



## Food with Nuts

As on the class dojo message earlier in the week I must remind families that we cannot have any nut products in school. This includes items like Nutella pots/sandwiches, Reece's chocolate, peanut M&Ms, nutty cereal bars etc. Nuts are often hidden in food products, please check before you send.

We do have people in school with life threatening nut allergies so I urge you again to adhere to this rule.

## Attendance Awards

Each term we put all the names of the children who have over 96% attendance into a draw. The name drawn wins a prize for their whole family – this is our way of saying thank you for getting the children into school!

For the Summer term, the prize is £50 family day out voucher – to help fill your summer holidays!

Studybugs 

If you haven't already, please download the free Studybugs app, or register on the Studybugs website, and use it to tell us whenever your child's ill and unable to attend school.

<https://studybugs.com/about/parents>

## Reminders:



Please be courteous to our neighbours when parking and adhere to the double yellow lines. The Nursery/Surestart car park can unfortunately not be used by Abingdon parents. Try parking a few roads away and walking to school.

Please bring healthy, appropriately sized snacks to school for morning break and choose packed lunch items carefully to ensure they provide a balanced diet.



Please can we remind parents that children in Years R – 4 must be collected by someone **over the age of 16**.

## Dates for the Diary: Summer Term 1.

May	
Mon 4th	Bank Holiday Monday
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup> – Thurs 14th	SATs Week
Fri 15th	Thumbs Up Friday!
Fri 22nd	Finish for Half-Term
June	
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup>	Return to school Y4 Multiplication check week Y1 phonic check week
Thurs 18th	DEAR 8.50 – 9.05
July	
Fri 3rd	Summer Fayre 3.30 – 5pm

*Any new dates or changes are highlighted*

*Sports days and Y6 dates tbc soon.*

We cannot authorise term time holidays, so please check the dates. Click on the link below to go to the 2026-27 dates on the website

<https://www.abingdon.stockport.sch.uk/page/school-day-and-term-dates/61147>

Please remember that there will be no after-school club on the last day of each full term.



# Celebrations

## Hot Chocolate!

Each week the teachers choose children who have gone over and above in their behaviour. It is a pleasure to have a hot chocolate with them each week and find out what they have done.



## Lunchtime child/class of week:

Reception: Summer



KS1: Foxes

LKS2: Owls

UKS2: Merlins

The classes named all get an extra playtime as a reward for lining up nicely and following the core values at lunchtime.

## Golden Broom:

### Year 4 Owls



**Attendance:** Our Whole School attendance this week is: 95.6%

The following classes all got over 96% this week: Y1/2 Squirrels, Y2 Foxes, Y3 Falcons and Y4 Owls, Y5 Merlins, Y5 Kestrels and Y6 Ospreys. They all get an extra playtime next week!

The class with the highest attendance this week were Y2 Foxes with 99.26%!

Foxes spun the wheel winning 'Sweet Treat Friday!'.



## Certificate winners:

Badgers: Alysia

Y1/2 Squirrels: Shehwar

Y2 Foxes: Luna

Y3 Falcons: Oscar T

Y3/4 Kites: Laiba

Y4 Owls: Oliver

Y5 Merlins: Daisy-Mae

Y5 Kestrels: Connor

Y6 Ospreys: Faye

## School Lottery:

For those families new to school, we have a school lottery that is run by the website below. Every ticket sold provides much needed funding for our school.

If you would like to take part please do sign up using the link below. Thank you.

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/>



This month's super draw prize is A £1,000 IKEA gift card offering the perfect opportunity for you to refresh your homes and gardens for summer – whether that's creating an outdoor space for BBQs and family time, or giving your interiors a stylish update. And as always, there are great alternative options too – including a £1,000 cash prize, or the chance to plant 1,000 trees for a positive environmental impact.

You will receive one entry into this draw for each weekly ticket that you have. Buy more tickets for more entries.

*Respect,  
Responsibility,  
Resilience*