

ASH GREEN WEEKLY NEWS



PRIMARY SCHOOL



What an amazing week in and out of school. We have had children in different parts of the North of England having fun and representing school beautifully. We did not have Year 5 children in London due to the train strikes but we are working to rearrange that 5B trip to mid-July and should be able to confirm soon, fingers crossed! We also had the U11 boys taking part in the Calderdale finals winning two, drawing one and just missing out losing to Barkisland. Well done lads. The next few weeks are very busy, details below!

PARENTS' EVENING

TUESDAY 28 JUNE

'Face to face' Parents' Evening.



We have had most parents and carers sign up for the return of our face to face Parents' Evenings. It's not too late to grab and appointment on the School Cloud system or if you aren't able to do that then contact your teacher on Seesaw. Failing that, phone the office or see your child's teacher after school tonight or before or after school on Monday.

Lower Site parents and carers should enter: EY through EY or main entrance. KS1 and 2 through main entrance.

Upper Site parents and carers should enter: EY and KS1 through main entrance. KS2 classrooms will be accessed by turning left through the 'new block' following the walkway to classes. This will be signposted as it is a new entrance for families!! This will be a great chance to talk about your child and look at their work. See you then!!

TRANSITION SUPPORT IN KS1

We are set for a very exciting couple of weeks in Key Stage 1. Starting on Monday, we are going to give our current Year 1 children the opportunity on some mornings to work with the Year 2 staff in the Year 2 classrooms to learn some for the new, very different, skills they will be working on in September. It will also be exciting for our current Year 2 children who will continue with the planned work they have been doing but with their 'old' Year 1 staff spending some time with them! This will just be part of the day and staff will speak with children so they are very clear on their day each day from Monday.

Children should be dropped off and picked up at exactly the same place and time and nothing else in the school day will be affected. Remember, like all children in school, the children will visit their new classrooms and staff on Monday 4th July – the Calderdale Transition Day.

TRANSITION DAY

On Monday 4th July, all children in school will move up to their new class with their new staff for a morning of activities, learning and fun. We welcome a new teacher, Miss Austin who joins us from another Calderdale school. Miss Austin will teach Lower Site Year 3 and will start with us next week to ensure she meets the children and works with colleagues well before September. Mrs Parr moves into Nursery at the Lower Site, Miss Richardson moves to the Upper Site – still in Year 3 – and Miss Coady moves into Year 6 at the Upper Site.

Classes for next year are:

	LOWER	UPPER
Nursery	Mrs Parr	Mrs Beaumont
Reception	Miss Parker	Mrs Cawthra
Year 1	Mrs Rayner & Miss Crowther	Mrs McHugh
Year 2	Ms Watkins	Mrs Knott
Year 3	Miss Austin	Miss Richardson
Year 4	Mr Akesson	Miss Stewart
Year 5	Miss Bedford	Mr Wardman
Year 6	Mrs Crowther	Miss Coady
Maths Sets	Mr Heppenstall	Mrs Haider

Mrs King will teach Thrive intervention sessions and cover classes at each site.

Our Assistant Head teachers Miss Thompson (Lower Site) and Mrs Coady (Upper Site) will be non-class based overseeing pastoral and academic learning and leading on monitoring and reporting.

We also wish Mrs Coady many congratulations as she is due to have her first child in December, good luck!

YEAR 6 LEAVERS' ASSEMBLY

Goodbye and Good luck!

We are inviting Year 6 parents and carers to join us to say goodbye to our Year 6 children next

Wednesday 29th June.

The Upper Site assembly is at 9.10 – parents and carers to attend via the KS2 drop off point and into the Hall.

The Lower Site assembly is at 10.45 – parents and carers to attend via the Mixenden Road entrance at the back of the Hall.

It will be a chance for us to present each child with a memento of their time here and to say some words about every different individual who will be leaving us.

DREAM DAY TRIPPERS!!!

This week we have taken 1R (Monday) and 1W (today) to Tropical Butterfly World in Sheffield and 6Co (Wednesday) to Blackpool.

All the children have been beautifully behaved and a credit to our school.

I had the pleasure of driving our Year 6 to Blackpool and accompanying them on the Pleasure Beach's most terrifying rides – they are much braver than me!!



SPORTS DAYS!

We are determined to return to Sports Days in the last week of term and whilst we have lost our Upper Site field after the fire, staff are working hard on solutions to ensure that our children will compete against one another and to support one another in a series of athletic events.

More updates to follow.

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MID-SUMMER	CLOSE – FRIDAY 22 JULY	RE-OPEN – WEDNESDAY 7 SEPTEMBER
TRAINING DAY	CLOSE - FRIDAY 30 SEPTEMBER	
HALF TERM	CLOSE – FRIDAY 21 OCTOBER	RE-OPEN – MONDAY 31 OCTOBER
CHRISTMAS	CLOSE – FRIDAY 16 DECEMBER	RE-OPEN – TUESDAY 3 JANUARY 2023

Paediatric First Aid

3 Day Training course

Tuesday 28th - Thursday 30th June (9.30am - 2.30pm)

Pellon Hub, 53-55 Rye Lane, HX2 0QB

The course covers:

- Learning practical child and baby lifesaving skills and developing techniques for emergency situations required in a work environment involving children
- Roles and responsibilities of a first aider
- Managing and assessing a casualty in shock or choking
- Treating childhood illnesses
- Recovery position, CPR with an AED, bandaging, burns and scalds.



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NEXT STEPS FOR LIVING WITH

COVID-19

CHILDCARE SETTINGS FROM FRIDAY 1 APRIL 2022

On Tuesday 29 March, the Secretary of State for Health and Social Care, Sajid Javid, set out the next steps for living with COVID-19 in England from Friday 1 April.

Free COVID-19 tests will continue to be available for specific groups, including eligible patients and NHS staff, once universal testing offer ends on Friday 1 April.

Update guidance will advise:

- Adults with symptoms of a respiratory infection, and who have a high temperature or feel unwell, should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people until they feel well enough to resume normal activities and they no longer have a high temperature
- Children and young people who are unwell and have a high temperature should stay at home and avoid contact with other people. They can go back to school, college or childcare when they no longer have a high temperature, and they are well enough to attend
- Adults with a positive COVID-19 test result should try to stay at home and avoid contact with other people for 5 days, which is when they are most infectious. For children and young people aged 18 and under, the advice will be 3 days.