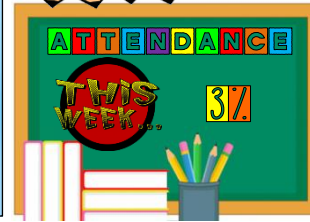


ASH GREEN WEEKLY NEWS

Next week at Ash Green we have some lovely events planned. On Wednesday morning some of our Key Stage 1 singers will go to take part in a Rotary Choir competition- good luck to them! After school on Wednesday we have football teams (Under 9 and Under 11) going to Abbey Park for a game. Clubs restart on Wednesday after school- there may be one or two differences due to staff attending football at Abbey Park, we will let you know of any changes.



Year 6 SATS

As you will be aware, your child is taking their Key Stage 2 SATs examinations in the week beginning **Tuesday 9th May 2023**. This year ALL Year 6 children will complete the tests at the Upper Site and be transported via mini bus.

The SATs tests are nothing to worry about and are the same as other tests that your child has taking during their time at Ash Green, with the major differences being that they are marked externally and not by school staff. It is important that your child tries their best in these tests as the results will be sent to high school to determine which sets they will be in and are used to measure how much progress has been made since Year 2.

The tests will take place in the mornings from Tuesday to Thursday.

The timetable is as follows:

Tuesday 9 May	Wednesday 10 May	Thursday 11 May	Friday 12 May
Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar Papers 1 & 2	English Reading	Maths Papers 1 & 2 (Arithmetic & Reasoning)	Maths Paper 3 (Reasoning 2)

As this is a very important stage in your child's education, please ensure that they are in school on time every day to achieve their full potential.

There will be a FREE SATs breakfast club run during the week from 8.15 each morning they will be able to have a relaxing breakfast and chat with their friends and staff.



Standard Attainment Tests will be ongoing for our Year 2 pupils during this half term.

These tests are important!

Please make sure your child has a good breakfast, gets plenty of sleep and arrives promptly every morning. The children have been well prepared for these assessments through their classroom learning all year.

However, if you require more information please visit:

www.gov.uk/education/primary-curriculum-key-stage-1-tests-and-assessments - where previous assessments can be accessed or speak to the class teacher, who will be happy to help.



On Friday 5th May, we will be celebrating the coronation of King Charles III.

Children are invited to come to school dressed in red, white and blue or as a royal! Our children will be making bunting during the week and weather permitting; we will have a picnic outside.

SCHOOL LUNCH

NOTE to Parents...

We are aware parents are being charged on the School Gateway app when their child brings a packed lunch from home. We are working on a way for a child to select this option, when they register in class in a morning, without their parent being charged. For now, please do not pre-book this option on the School Gateway app. Once we have this issue resolved the charge(s) will be removed and we will confirm how you need to book this option.

School Days			
May Day - Close Monday 1 May			
Bank Holiday - Close Monday 8 May - to mark the Coronation of HM King Charles III			
Half Term		Close Friday 26 May	Re-open Monday 5 June
Mid-Summer		Close Friday 21 July	