



ASHDENE PRIMARY SCHOOL



TUESDAY 11TH FEBRUARY

NEWSLETTER

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Empathy

This week's RESPECT value champions are:

RB	George C
RG	Rose G
1H	Jaiyan C
1SH	Flora M
2C	Sebastian B
2G	Eleanor A
3B	Nia R
3H	Percy O
4C	Jess C
4I	William C
5B	Mia O'C
5AG	Olivia B
6R	Levi R
6RG	Claudia Mc



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Personal Development



Carbon Monoxide Safety Assembly and Workshops

As part of Ashdene's safety curriculum, this week, children in years 2-6 will be participating in a safety assembly educating the children about the dangers of carbon monoxide, understanding what it is and how we can keep ourselves safe.

After half term, children in years 2,3,5 and 6 will also be taking part in carbon monoxide safety workshops.

Bonanza Creative (part of Cadent Gas) will be delivering the workshops and assembly. All the information that is being shared has been produced in a child-friendly way to reduce any worries. It is highly unlikely that CO is present in your home; educating ourselves and fitting CO alarms where required are great preventative measures.

For more information, please visit <https://cadentgas.com/carbon-monoxide-advice>

PLEASE NOTE: This information page is aimed at adults and may not be suitable for your child to view.

For child friendly information and activities, please visit <https://www.thecocrew.co.uk>.



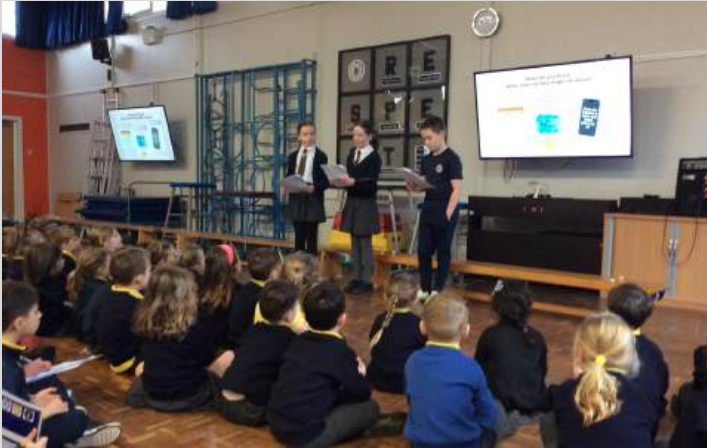
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Pupil Leadership

Digital Leaders

This year's Safer Internet Day is all about scams. Our wonderful digital leaders delivered assemblies to both KS1 and KS2 on how to spot and stay safe with online scams.

Throughout the week, we will be celebrating Safer Internet Day during our online safety lessons in computing.



Mental Health Ambassadors

The Mental Health Ambassadors are delighted to announce the launch of Calm Club, open to all children in Key Stage 2 on Monday and Thursday lunchtimes.

Making use of our wonderful library space, Calm Club will offer children the chance to swap the hustle and bustle of the playground for more quiet, mindful activities such as reading, colouring, crafting and puzzles, and to talk to Ambassadors about any worries that they might have.



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If you have any craft supplies, such as beads, thread and wool, jigsaw puzzles or any other mindful resources which are looking for a new home, please consider donating them to the club. Just drop things off at the office, for the attention of Mrs Ford.

Sport

Active Ambassadors



Well done to 6R for being the KS2 Active Class of the Week with 92 extra active minutes.



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Year 3 and Year 4 Boys Football



Well done to the Year 3 and Year 4 boys football teams who attended last week's football tournament at the Ryleys School.

Both teams made it to the final for their year groups with the Year 3 team coming runners up and the Year 4 team taking gold.

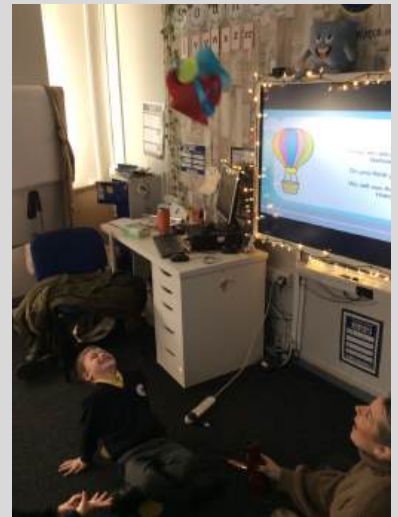
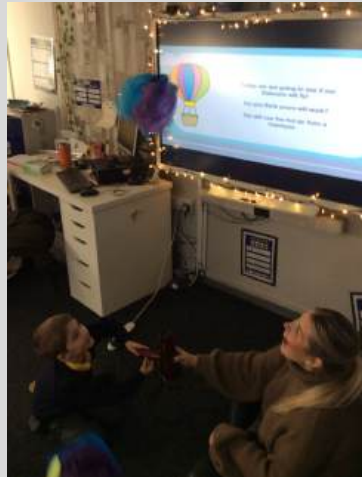
They showed great resilience and teamwork in all their games.



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This Week In Pictures

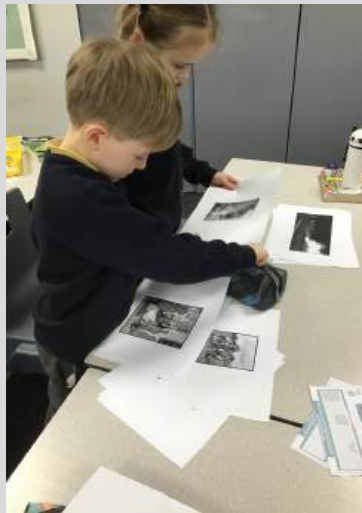
Reception



Year 1



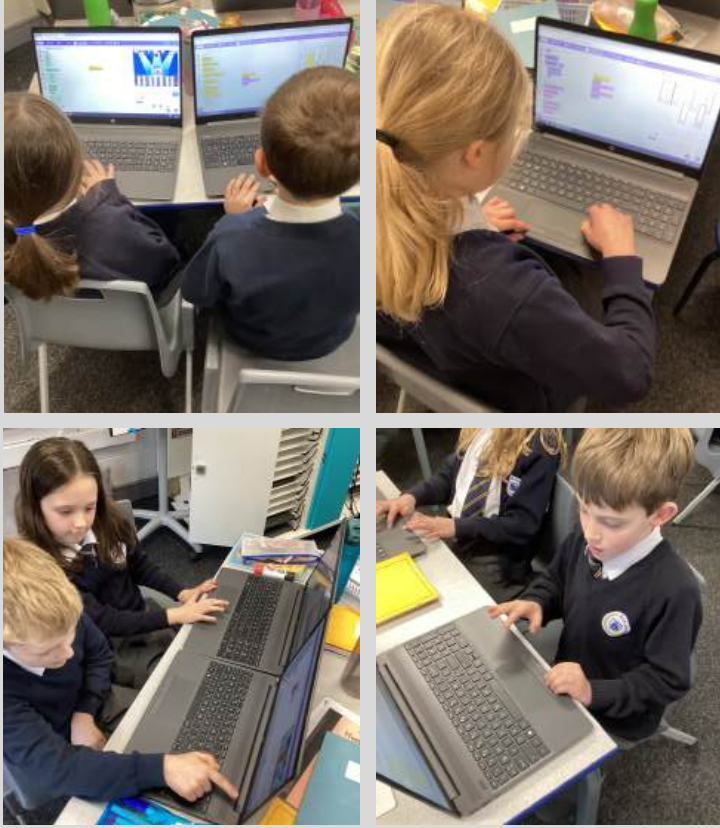
Year 2



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This Week In Pictures

Year 3



Year 4



Year 5



Year 6



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Attendance	
RB	99.3%
★ RG	100%
1H	98%
★ 1SH	100%
2C	98.7%
2G	97.7%
3B	97%
3H	99.3%
4C	98.1%
4I	93.9%
5AG	96.3%
5B	97.2%
6R	97.5%
6RG	98.4%



Attendance

Update

Our attendance target is 97%. We all need to work together on ensuring children are in school EVERY day and not missing any learning.

Our attendance for the week is:

98%

Our attendance for the year to date is

97%



Well done **RG** and **1SH** on their perfect attendance last week!



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Reading Leaderboard

READING LEADERBOARD

Ashdene

<p>Year 3</p> <p>James F Alice S Emily B Freddy G Leonard O Cole W Henry G Neve Ava P Han C Maggie M-S Willow M-W Henry W Rosie D Sophia D</p>	<p>Year 4</p> <p>Reeva P Darcie B Isla T Oliver E-C Kingston H Francesca M-S Dario B Rose E Yeddy G Ella-Daisy R Violet F George G Thomas H Jessica S Felix C Tasper F Teddy G Marcy C Michael M Natalya W Henry D</p>	<p>Year 5</p> <p>Olivia B Georgina K Harry T Lia T Lucy J Austin S Clara C Georgia L Harry T Bay W Edward W William C Teodor K Fox T-G Toby F Gennie L Asate M Nicolas S</p>	<p>Year 6</p> <p>Ronan F Megan F Harper K Elliot S Poppy T Henry E Sophia B Amy M Anna P Amelia S Lucy C Seb S Eliza W</p>
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PE Days for HT4

Please see below for the PE days for HT4. On these days, children should come to school wearing their PE kit.

Year Group	PE days
Reception	Tuesday and Friday
Year 1	Monday and Thursday
Year 2	Wednesday and Friday
Year 3	Wednesday and Friday
Year 4	Monday and Tuesday
Year 5	Monday and Thursday
Year 6	Wednesday and Friday



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Goodbye and Good Luck

On Friday, we will be saying goodbye to Miss Irvine. We wish her good luck as she moves on to teach at another school after half term. We will be welcoming Miss Eavers back from maternity leave as the teacher for 4I.

Parents who wish to contact Miss Eavers can continue to do so via the class email: 4I@ashdeneschool.net

Year 2 Music Concert

Please note that the Year 2 music concert will now take place at 3pm on Tuesday 17th June. This a change to the original time of 9am shared at the start of the year.



Parent Lunch

If you would like to attend the **Year 1** parent lunch on **Thursday 27th March at 11.30am**, please complete the booking form using the link below

<https://forms.office.com/e/7ZZFrhag5p>

(Please note this is an invite for parents to experience the new school meal provision; there is no charge.)

The deadline for booking a place (**1 parent per pupil**) is Wednesday 12th March at 4PM - no orders can be accepted after this date.



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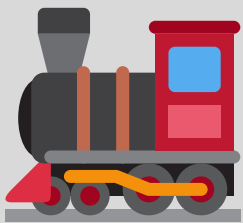
STEM Topic Visitors

Children in EYFS to Y5 are currently completing their STEM (science, technology, engineering and maths) topics.

As part of this, we would really like the children to have the opportunity to hear from people who work in STEM-related jobs.

If you (or someone you know) work in an industry with links to any of our topics and you would be happy to come and talk to the children, please contact the school office or your child's class teacher.

Year group	STEM Topic
Reception	Things with wings – transport and animals
Year 1	Fairgrounds – materials and computer coding
Year 2	Boats - materials
Year 3	Trains – forces and magnets
Year 4	Formula 1 cars - electricity
Year 5	Hovercrafts - forces



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Fundraising Fun

A big thank you to Seb Brice (2C) who raised and donated money to school by putting on a show for his family, hand making bookmarks and singing songs on request.

He has also been recognised by the Finance Leadership Team and will be featured on their notice board showing his funds raised added to the overall tally.



KS2 Disco

The PTA disco will be taking place this Thursday.

Drop off for the KS2 Disco is at 5:30pm and children should enter the school through the external door to the 4C classroom.

Collection at the end of the disco is at 7:00pm from the following collection points:

Year 5 - The entrance to the playground from the KS2 hall nearest the school building

Year 6 - The entrance to the playground from the KS2 hall nearest the gate

Year 3 - School office main entrance

Year 4 - 4C classroom door to the car park



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Ashdene Teacher Training



Thinking of teaching?

JOIN US

Train with an outstanding school who pride themselves on excellence.

We are hosting four dates for you to meet our SCITT team and find out further information about our Initial Teacher Training programme.

ONLINE

6th February at 5:30pm

27th March at 5:30pm

IN PERSON

26th February at 10:30am

19th March at 10:30am

We include a tour of the school as part of our in-person visits.



Please book your place by e-mailing admin@ashdene.cheshire.sch.uk or calling 01625917335

If you have any queries, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

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AFTER SCHOOL FOOTBALL REGISTRATION FORM



BOYS AND GIRLS OF ALL ABILITY WELCOME!

Players will need to wear kit suitable for all weather with shin pads, football boots and trainers. To book your child onto the relevant course, complete the form below and return it to the school office with correct payment. Please note all groups are mixed apart from our girls only training groups highlighted below.

FEB - APRIL 2024				
SCHOOL	SCHOOL YEARS	DAY & TIME	DATES	PRICE
ASHDENE	Reception to Year 6	MON 3.20 - 4.30	24th Feb to 31st Mar	£51.00
FULSHAW ST. ANNE'S	Reception to Year 6	MON 3.20 - 4.30	24th Feb to 31st Mar	£51.00
GORSEY BANK	Reception to Year 6	TUES 3.20 - 4.30	25th Feb to 1st Apr	£51.00
MOBBERLEY	Years 1 to 6	TUES 3.20 - 4.30	25th Feb to 1st Apr	£51.00
LINDOW	Year 2 to 6 Girls Only	WED 8.00 - 8.45 am	26th Feb to 2nd Apr	£45.00
ASHDENE GIRLS	Year 2 to 6 Girls Only	WED 3.20 - 4.30	26th Feb to 2nd Apr	£51.00
WILMSLOW ACADEMY	Reception to year 6	WED 3.20 - 4.30	26th Feb to 2nd Apr	£51.00
LACEY GREEN	Year 2 to 6 Girls Only	WED 3.20 - 4.30	26th Feb to 2nd Apr	£51.00
GORSEY BANK	Year 2 to 6 Girls Only	THU 8.00- 8.45 am	27th Feb to 3rd Apr	£45.00
LINDOW	Reception to Year 6	THU 3.20 - 4.30	27th Feb to 3rd Apr	£51.00
LACEY GREEN	Years 1 to 6	FRI 3.20 - 4.30	28th Feb to 28th Mar	£42.50

e: erik@academyfootball.co.uk t: 07792 791 382



ALL BOOKINGS ARE NOW MADE ONLINE

To sign up to one of our after school clubs simply complete the online form with payment and your child will automatically be added to our register for this terms sessions!

Discover more and book your place now at:

WWW.ACADEMYFOOTBALL.CO.UK/PLAY-FOOTBALL/AFTER-SCHOOL-CLUBS



Online registration for WFA's Afterschool Football Sessions for next half term (February to April) is now open.

Please click on this link to register on the WFA website and follow the instructions.

<https://www.academyfootball.co.uk/play-football/after-school-clubs/>



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Bricks4Kidz

Delve into the history and mechanics of favourite amusement park rides in this imaginative unit. Students will construct a Carousel Swing, Tilt A Whirl, Loop De Loop ride, Swing Boat ride and Merry Go Round.

Lessons will incorporate principles of physics, described in a way children can understand, such as “G-Force” inertia and momentum, as well as concepts such as “there are 360 degrees in a circle”. These engaging lessons will give students an understanding of the physical forces they experience every day

For information see

<http://go.bricksnotts.com/ticket2ride>

To book please follow

<https://booking.bricksnotts.com/bookings/course-info/753>



Computer Xplorers

Explore the world of Minecraft with different fun activities each week to complete! Build a rollercoaster, an aquarium or an underground bunker the choices are endless. No previous experience required.

Wednesdays 3.30pm-4.30pm for Years 1 - 6.



Please see the link below if you wish to sign your child up.

<https://activities.bookpebble.co.uk/activity/computerexplorers-manchester-ashdene-primary-school-spring-2-explore-with-minecraft-wilmslow-d8b1a8af-310b-4bfa-87f7-f4f398d7e251>



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TAKEHOME



Should we be allowed to travel anywhere we like?



In the news this week

The Nepalese government has announced that, from September, climbers aiming for the world's highest mountain will have to pay just over £12,000 (\$15,000) during the main climbing season. This is over \$4,000 more than the previous permit fee for climbing Mount Everest. There have been concerns that there are too many people climbing the mountain, leaving rubbish and not respecting nature. It is hoped the extra money will go towards protecting the area from tourists.

Things to talk about at home ...

- > Why do you think so many people want to climb Mount Everest? Can you imagine what it feels like to reach the summit?
- > Can you recall some of the places you have visited as a tourist? These could be close to where you live, or further away. Talk to someone at home – where have they visited?
- > What do you think are the advantages and disadvantages of tourism?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

Share your thoughts and read the opinions of others

www.picture-news.co.uk/discuss



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Key Dates

Thursday 13th February - Year 2 Parent Lunch 11.30am

Thursday 13th February - PTA KS1 Magic Party 3.30pm-5pm/ KS2 Disco 5.30pm-7pm

Friday 14th February - School closes

Monday 24th February - School opens for HT4

Wednesday 19th and Thursday 20th March - Parents' Evening online

Thursday 27th March - Year 1 Parent Lunch

Thursday 27th - Friday 28th March - Year 2 Residential

Friday 4th April - School closes for Easter

Monday 21st April - Bank Holiday

Tuesday 22nd April - School opens for HT5



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SPORTS COACHING GROUP
ENJOY IMPROVE ACHIEVE

CHELFORD

FEBRUARY FRENZY

half-term holiday clubs

▶ **10% OFF** Book before January 31!

▶ **WHEN?** February 17-21

▶ **WHERE?** Chelford Primary

▶ **TIME:** 8.45am-3.15pm
(late and early pick-ups available)

- ✓ Football, cricket, archery
- ✓ Nerf fun, dodgeball
- ✓ Arts, crafts, dance

▶ Scan QR code to book

SPORTSCOACHINGGROUP.CO.UK

HOLIDAYZONE

PUTTING THE KIDS FIRST

WHERE?

Wilmslow Prep,
Wilmslow

Bollinbrook Primary,
Macclesfield

WHEN?

Wilmslow Prep
17th - 21st Feb

Bollinbrook
17th - 21st Feb

BRING?

A PACKED LUNCH.
CLOTHES YOU DONT
MIND GETTING MESSY
IN, COMFY SHOES & A
WATER BOTTLE

WHAT TO EXPECT

FUN FILLED DAYS PACKED WITH CRAFTS, GAMES, NEW SPORTS ZONE DAILY, NEW SCIENCE ZONE DAILY, CATCH-UP WITH CURRENT FRIENDS WHILST MAKING NEW ONES, DISCOS, BOUNCY CASTLES, COOKING GARDENING, SEWING, SLIME MAKING, DRAMA WORKSHOP, FOREST WORKSHOP & MUCH MUCH MORE.
FULL ITINERARY CAN BE FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE.

COSTS

£32 FULL DAY
8am-6pm

We accept childcare vouchers

To book online www.holidayzone.org.uk
HAF bookings and info e: manager@holidayzone.org.uk
f [holidayzone](https://www.facebook.com/holidayzone)

Early Years Holiday Camp

OFSTED-registered, creative childcare specifically designed for and catered to children aged 3 to 6 years.

New Location Opening 2025!

Beech Hall School,
Tytherington,
Macclesfield
SK10 2EG

www.littleimaginationcreativearts.co.uk

Comic Con

Wilmslow

FREE ENTRY!

Sat. 22nd February
10am - 4pm

Wilmslow Leisure Centre, Station Rd, SK9 1BU

Character "Meet & Greets" - Cosplay - Photo Op's
Costumers - Cosplay Comp's - Merch Stalls & more



February 2025 Junior Tennis Camp

Monday 17th February
to
Friday 21st February 2025

Limited Places

EXTENDED
HOURS

£20 per junior
member per session
£25 per junior non
member per session

FROM
9am-
1pm

Book online at:
<https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/CroftsideTennisClub>
Go to Coaching - Calendar & Select Dates

For more info & to reserve a place call
Tom Hunt 07506 756589



MULTISPORTS 2025 CAMP

17TH – 21ST FEBRUARY 2025

8:30am-5:30pm
9am-3pm

OFSTED Registered.
Childcare vouchers
accepted.



Visit our website
to **BOOK**, see the
TIMETABLE &
FIND OUT MORE.

www.multisportscouching.co.uk

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