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NEXT SCHOOL HOLIDAY: **MONDAY 22ND OCTOBER 2018 - FRIDAY 26TH OCTOBER 2018**

CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL ON MONDAY 29TH OCTOBER

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT HOLIDAYS SHOULD NOT BE BOOKED IN TERM TIME

Events happening after Half Term

Mon 29 th Oct	-5 students from KAA school will be here all week completing 'Work Experience' -Mayan workshop for Y6 children at school
Tues 30 th Oct	
Wed 31 st Oct	-Forest School for groups of children in Reception classes -Workshop for Nursery Parents on PSED (Personal, Social, Emotional Development) at 9.00am
Thurs 1 st Nov	-School Nurse in with Y6 children measuring height and weight -Forest School for children in Nursery – Willow am and Elm pm -Daisy's Y4 Class Assembly: 2.55pm. All parents/carers of her class are warmly invited.
Fri 2 nd Nov	

News and Reminders

CONGRATULATIONS

Emma's Y3 class presented their learning about the Iron Age and The Stone Age for their parents in assembly this week. We were amazed by all the facts that they had learnt this half term and how confident they were in their delivery. Well done to you all and thank you!

BAKE SALE

Thank you to all of you who supported our bake sale today – either by bringing in goodies to sell or buying your treats to take home. There was a great response and it was certainly very busy! Special thanks to our committee of parents who organised the sale with good humour and positivity- we raised £208.19 Which is great news. Well done everyone!

HAPPY HALF TERM

I can't believe that we are at Half Term already. What a busy term and how quickly children have settled into their new year group and routine. I have been lucky enough to attend lots of exit points this week; and have thoroughly enjoyed hearing children from Nursery to Y4 describing different aspects of their projects to their parents and friends. These were a real showcase of how hard everyone has worked and just how much knowledge children can take in when they are motivated and excited by a project.

Thank you to everyone as always for your support. I do hope that your children will read and complete their home learning next week; but I also hope that you manage some rest and fun! Wishing you a happy half term- we look forward to seeing you all again on Monday 29th October at 8.50am.

EXTENDED CLUB

A reminder that our extended club will begin after Half Term; and any interested parents should book their places via this email: clubs@apsafederation.com Please speak to Kay Kolios or Michael Madden if you are unsure about anything. Please note that after the Half Term, we will no longer be providing the walking bus service to St Clement and St James Playcentre.

LATE PICK-UP

Please ensure that you are on time every day to collect your child. If you are running late please telephone the school office on 0207 727 7727.

From Monday 29th October, if a child is not collected (and the office have not been notified), he or she will be sent to our new after school club and parents will be required to pay £3 up to 4.30pm and £6 up to 6.00pm.

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE 08/10/2017 – 12/10/2018

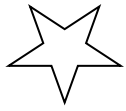
The overall figure for the school for last week was **96.5%**, which was **above** our target of **96%**

The classes in each Key Stage with the best attendance were:

Niamh's Year 1 – 98.8%

Connor's Year 3 – 99%

Please keep this up



Stars of Week



A huge well done to you all!

Nursery children	Well done to all of our Nursery classes for their wonderful exit points, we loved looking at all your work and listening to you talk about all of your learning.
Stephanie's Reception	RILEY – For always trying his best to follow our classroom promises and being a marvelous mathematician!
Kripali's Reception	RETAJ – For being such a wonderful role model and always following our classroom promises. You always speak so clearly and with such great confidence – keep it up!
Alexa's Year 1	KASHAI – For impressing us with your Math's assessments this week! You are using lots of super mathematical vocabulary
Niamh's Year 1	MAYA – For always being so patient and being a good role model in Year 1
Katie's Year 2	ADNA – For such phenomenal progress in your English speaking skills. You are becoming a confident speaker and we are very proud of you
Laura's Year 2	THE WHOLE CLASS – For such sensible behaviour during our assessments – you are all superstars, well done
Emma's Year 3	THE WHOLE CLASS - For their sensible behaviour on our trip to the Chiltern Open Air Museum. You were amazing and we were so proud!
Connor's Year 3	RAYYAN - For impressing all the adults with his motivation and work ethic in maths
Nick's Year 4	YOUSIF – For a simply fabulous attitude all week long!
Daisy's Year 4	HOWARD – For being an enthusiastic and focused addition to our class!
Julia's Year 5	THE WHOLE CLASS – For an excellent class assembly! You all spoke confidently and clearly and sang your hearts out!
Francesca's Year 5	LEENA – For the most spectacular English learning this week. You have included multiple checklists numbers and created a fantastic myth full of atmosphere and description
Tim/Mary's Year 6	AYLA – For the fantastic effort you are putting into all of your learning – especially reading
Russell's Year 6	SALWA – For some funny and very creative biography writing. I would read Cardi 'B's biography if you wrote it!

“IN IT TO WIN IT” ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY AWARD

THE WINNER FOR LAST WEEK

Erta –Niamh's Year 1 class

Ibrahim – Julia's Year 5

PARENT GOVERNOR VACANCY

We currently have a vacancy for a **Parent Governor** on our Governing Body. If you:

- have a child in our school
- are interested in education – and in particular education at our school
- would like to play a part in developing our school
- are able to give about 20 hours per year to attend meetings/training

Then please read the attached leaflet and speak to Kay in the office.