



Welcome back to the second half of the autumn term and we hope that you have enjoyed a healthy and happy half term.

PTA Firework Display

The firework display is taking place on Sunday 7th November. The gates open at 4.00pm, blast off is at 6.00pm. Discounted tickets are available online, please see attached flyer for more information.

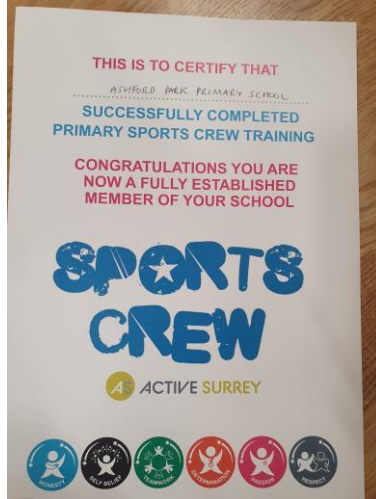
Safeguarding Hotspot

Mrs Tarrant, Mr Goulden (Vice Chair of Governors) and Mrs Woods (School Business Manager), 'virtually' met with Councillor Denise Turner-Stewart, to discuss the ongoing complaints raised by local residents about the perceived inconsiderate parking by **some** parents / carers of the children who attend APPS. Communications will be continuing with Surrey Police, Surrey Highways and the school, as we endeavour to work in positive partnership in keeping our children safe on arriving and leaving our school if transported by car.

Year 5 Sports Crew

"Your children did amazingly well at the Sports Crew training

session yesterday and were so well behaved and respectful, we were so impressed 😊"



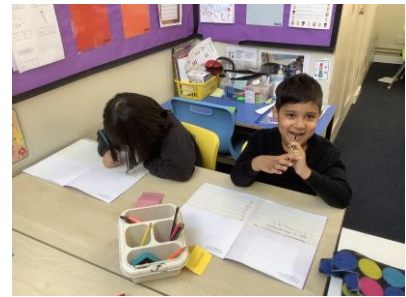
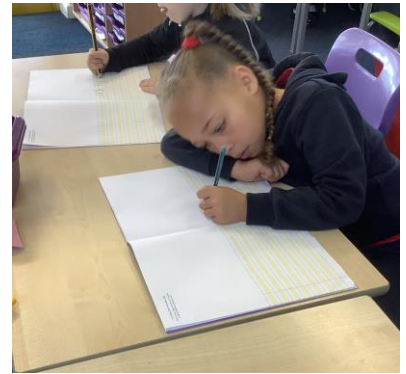
Year 1 Learning



In Year 1, we have been using colourful semantics to help us build and structure our sentences.



We have been writing sentences about Goldilocks and the Three Bears, using adjectives to describe the characters.



Covid 19 Testing

Please be reminded of the guidance regarding testing and isolation:
• Anyone with COVID-19 symptoms - high temperature, a new, continuous cough and a loss or change to sense of smell or taste - should get a PCR test as soon as possible and

isolate. <https://www.nhs.uk/ask-for-a-coronavirus-test>.

• **All parents**, staff, and secondary school aged children should be doing twice weekly symptom free testing on a lateral flow device.

• Anyone testing positive on a lateral flow device should get a confirmatory PCR test and isolate until the result is received. If the PCR test result comes back negative and the test was taken within 48 hours of the positive lateral flow, isolation can end. Those with positive confirmatory PCR results must isolate for 10 days.

Twitter Communications

Please be advised that we also communicate through Twitter and have weekly thoughts / news / activities for your information. Working in partnership with our friends from Jigsaw this week we asked:

Q. What makes you proud?

Q. What are you good at doing?

Remembrance day - Uniformed groups

Cubs / Brownies / uniformed groups are invited to wear their uniforms on Thursday 11th November to commemorate Remembrance day.

WOW! Let's walk to school -Living Streets

Please find attached information regarding Living Streets. More information can also be found on the link below; <https://www.livingstreets.org.uk/products-and-services/projects/wow>

Family Learning

Enrolments for ONLINE courses starting in November and December are now open. We have plenty of courses to help support families. All Family Learning courses are FREE and can support:
Parenting
Wellbeing
Managing anxiety
Understanding children's behaviour
Getting to grips with maths and phonics
English for parents/carers as an additional language

Spaces are limited so we do encourage parents and carers to sign up early. There is further course information on our website. Family Learning courses are government funded and free for parents and carers who would most benefit from tailored courses.

www.surreycc.gov.uk/familylearning

Anti-Bullying Week - Odd socks day 15th November

Children are invited to wear odd socks on Monday 15th November to raise awareness of anti-bullying.

Achievement

MAC – Making Attendance Count

Whole School Attendance 95.2%

Congratulations to the Top Ted winners last week being Deer Class with 97.6%. Congratulations to the Top Dog winner being Red Kite Class with 99.4%. Fantastic!

Pobble

The class Pobble authors for this week are:
Blake W, Albie S, Charlie L, Ayva K, Owais M, Aarohi S, Mia P, Alfie W, Aryan S, Milly C, Abigail C and Areeka Z.



INSET Days 2021/22

1st July 2022

4th July 2022

November

7th – PTA Fireworks night. Gates open at 4.00pm, blast off at 6.00pm

10th – Year 6 Height and Weight checks

11th – New to EYFS Parent Tours at 6.00pm

11th & 12th – Flu vaccinations, whole school

15th – Odd Socks Day, £1 donation would be appreciated (anti-bullying)