



Ashdon Primary School

Newsletter

8th November 2024

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Class 1

Beautiful Presentation

7/11/24
Adding by counting on

		5	+	1	=	6	✓	
		7	+	2	=	9	✓	
		4	+	2	=	6	✓	
		5	+	1	=	7	✓	
		8	+	2	=	10	✓	
		9	+	2	=	11	✓	
		11	+	1	=	12	✓	
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7

7/11/24
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5	+	1	=	6	✓				
7	+	2	=	9	✓				
4	+	2	=	6	✓				
7	+	1	=	8	✓				
8	+	2	=	10	✓				
9	+	2	=	11	✓				
11	+	1	=	12	✓				
9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	9
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7/11/24
Adding by counting on

5	+	1	=	6	✓
5	+	5	=	10	✓
5	+	6	=	11	✓
5	+	4	=	9	✓
5	+	4	=	9	✓
5	+	5	=	10	✓
5	+	2	=	7	✓

Class 2 Beautiful Presentation

Handwritten mathematical problems on grid paper. The page is divided into two columns. The left column contains problems 7) through 12), and the right column contains problems 3) through 6). Each problem involves a diamond-shaped arrangement of numbers with a central plus sign. Red checkmarks indicate correct answers.

6 11 24
L.O.: See yesterday
Starter:

1) 4 ✓
2) 7 ✓
3) 4 + 10 + 5 = 19 ✓
4) 12 + 11 ✓
5) 10 + 8 - 7 = 11 ✓

6 6
+ 27

33 ✓

8 2
+ 1

9 ✓

4 8
+ 4

12 ✓

4 2
+ 20

24 ✓

6 8
+ 30

36 ✓

4 6
+ 20

24 ✓

20 + 3 = 23 ✓

Monday 4 November
L.O.: To use a dictionary to discuss understanding of a poem themes

keen means eager
love means, on its own
bay means a deep hollow or grot.
Life means hit someone with a hard
bid means to stay
wild means not tamed
neek means gift and obedient
sleek means smooth and shiny

Extra: (smiley face)

(Worked with a partner)

Wednesday 6th November
Starter:
Noun
Adjective
beautiful ✓
cute ✓
tall ✓
big ✓
terrible ✓
dragon ✓
sun ✓
enormous ✓

L.O.: To discuss and record ideas
Animal: Hamster
personality: little, quick, cheeky, friendly and cute.
Appearance: small, adorable, nice.

Class 3 Beautiful Presentation

Handwritten student work on grid paper showing subtraction problems with number lines and column methods.

6 8.21 - 7.65 = 0.56 ✓
 +0.35
 7.65 8.00 8.21

7.946 - 7.82 = 1.64 ✓
 +0.08
 7.92
 +0.1
 8.0
 +1
 9
 +0.46
 9.46

6.35 - 3.83 = 2.52 ✓
 +0.17
 3.83 4.00
 +2
 0.35
 +0.17
 0.52

2 - 5.85 = 0.35 ✓
 +0.15
 5.85 6.0
 +0.2
 6

5/11/24
 L.O. To subtract numbers with up to 2 decimal places by counting on from the smaller number to the larger number.

① 1.82 - 1.26 = 0.56 ✓
 +0.18
 1.82 2.00
 +0.37
 2.37

② 5.67 - 5.53 = 0.14 ✓
 +0.33
 5.67 6.00
 +0.14
 6.14

③ 3.20 - 1.78 = 1.42 ✓
 +0.22
 1.78 2.00
 +1.20
 3.20

④ 8.21 - 7.69 = 0.52 ✓
 +0.31
 7.69 8.00
 +0.21
 8.21

⑤ 7.09 - 6.73 = 0.36 ✓
 +0.27
 6.73 7.00
 +0.09
 7.09

⑥ 4.10 - 3.65 = 0.45 ✓
 +0.35
 3.65 4.00
 +0.1
 4.10



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Ashdon Primary School PTA's Upcoming Events



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Thanks to all!



Everyone at Uttlesford Foodbank would like to thank the children, parents and staff of Ashdon Primary School for your very generous Harvest Festival collection which weighed 85.6kg. This is enough to provide around 180 meals! How fantastic is that?

Every month we hand out on average 5 tonnes of food which is the same as 10 baby elephants! Without the support of children and schools like yours and our amazing community, we couldn't do the work that we do. Harvest donations are so important to keep our shelves topped up after a busy summer and keep us going until all the Christmas goodies come in.

We have been overwhelmed by the level of generosity. Above all, your thoughtfulness will provide so much hope and comfort to those people who are going through a difficult time and will help them while steps are taken to provide more permanent support.

Please share this with the wider school community

TESCO

We must share some wonderful news! Thank you to the PTA for signing up our school to participate in the Tesco Tokens Challenge. It's fantastic that our school came in first place, earning an impressive £1500 for the PTA's fundraising efforts.

Staff and children at Ashdon are thrilled with this outcome and it's clear the community really came together to support the challenge. Every donation, no matter how small, made a big difference. We therefore want to pass on our sincere thanks to the PTA, parents, and carers for their hard work and commitment. "Every Little Helps" is so true - this is a wonderful example of how a school community can make a real impact through collective effort.

Guy Fawkes' Bonfire Lunch

Remember, remember the 5th of November! At Ashdon Primary School, pupils and staff commemorated the historic events surrounding Guy Fawkes with a specially-crafted "Bonfire Night" lunch, courtesy of their talented school caterer, Mrs. Henry.

Channelling the spirit of the failed Gunpowder Plot, Mrs. Henry whipped up an array of sizzling, flame-themed dishes. On the menu were searing sausages, flaming fries (or "chips" as they're known on this side of the pond), and scorching sweetcorn. To top it all off, she crafted cunningly clever chocolate-covered apples - a nod to the iconic Guy Fawkes tradition.

The Ashdon Primary children raved about the delectable feast, with one child declaring Mrs. Henry to be "the cleverest cook in the world." The fiery flavours and creative presentation had everyone's taste buds doing a celebratory jig.

By infusing the school lunch with festive flair, Mrs. Henry helped the Ashdon community get into the Guy Fawkes spirit. It was a tasty tribute to the historical figure who, despite his daring attempt, ultimately failed to blow up the Houses of Parliament. At Ashdon, the only thing being ignited was the students' appetites!



Stars of the Week!



Wow!! Look at our amazing stars of the week!! They have impressed so many staff by working hard and tackling challenges all week long. We are so incredibly proud of you all. Well done!

Attendance Winners!

1

First Place: Class 2 = 97.8%

2

Second Place: Class 3 = 96.4%

3

Third Place: Class 1 = 96.1%

Well done Class 2. You are our weekly winners. You have earned yourselves an extra 10 minutes playtime on Friday afternoon!

Reader of the Week

Children at Ashdon have two additional opportunities to read to staff. This is in addition to their guided reading sessions, as well as other reading opportunities in class. Ms. Winning and Mrs. Davies run these clubs on Tuesdays and Thursdays! They had so many children that wanted to have additional reading sessions.

Here is the reader of the week:



Well done Reader of the Week! I award you a House Point for working hard on improving your reading!

Important News and Information:

- Monday 11th November @ 10:45-11:10 - Remembrance Day at the War Memorial
- Monday 11th November @ 09:45-14:30 - Class 3 Bikeability (Level 1)
- Tuesday 12th November @ 10:00-12:00 - Class 2 Bikeability (Level 1)
- Tuesday 12th November @12:30-14:30 - Class 3 Bikeability (Level 2) Road through Ashdon is closed today.
- Friday 15th November @ 09:15 - Celebration Assembly
- Friday 15th November - Children in Need Day. Children and Staff to wear Pudsey outfits, yellow or spotty clothing. Parents/Carers can send donations into school or use Scopay if they would like to make an online donation.
- Thursday 21st November @ 14:30-15:15 - Stay and Play
- Thursday 28th November @ 14:30-15:15 - Stay and Play

- Thursday 5th December @ 14:30-15:15 - Stay and Play
- Friday 6th December - Christmas Jumper Day. All Children and Staff to wear Christmas Jumpers or something red and green. No princess or superhero outfits please.
- Friday 6th December @ 15:30-18:00 - Christmas Fair
- Wednesday 11th December @ 11:00-12:30 - Santa Dash
- Friday 13th December @ 10:00 and 14:00 - Christmas Nativity Play (all families and friends welcome)
- Tuesday 17th December @ 10:00-11:00 - Christmas Church Carol Service
- Wednesday 18th December time TBC - PTA Christmas Film Night
- Friday 20th December - Last Day of Term