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# Ackton Pastures Primary Academy

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**'Children at the heart; Inspiring futures'**

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Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had a wonderful week in school. This week we have welcomed our governors into school to see the fantastic learning that is taking place. The children were welcoming and very enthusiastic to share their learning! It has been wonderful to see the children using our new mud kitchen and sand pit on the playground this week. Thank you to everyone who has donated buckets, spades, pots and pans. We are still on the look out for any kitchen utensils like wooden spoons or large metal spoons and would be very grateful for any more donations!



## **Reception Outdoor Area**

Please can we politely request that children are not allowed to play in the reception outdoor area at the end of the school day. The reception team work hard to ensure that the resources are stored safely and are ready for the next day and they are finding that resources are being damaged and broken by children playing with them at the end of the school day.

## **Mrs Whalley**

Thank you to all our parents who came to our celebration assembly to say goodbye to Mrs Whalley, she will be greatly missed. Miss Volland's will be taking on the role of RWI leader within school and Miss Bartle will support Miss Volland's phonics group in order to allow her to fulfil half termly assessments.

## **School Census Day**

Next Thursday is school census day, the level of funding we receive as a school is set by the data collected that day. If your child is entitled to a free school meal, either funded or universal please can we ask that you order a dinner. This will greatly help us as a school.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs Mason  
Headteacher

The Headteacher is the designated person for all child protection issues

<i>Attendance this week</i>	
<i>Reception – Miss Boon</i>	<i>91%</i>
<i>Reception – Miss Lopez</i>	<i>95%</i>
<i>Year 1 – Mrs Turfrey</i>	<i>97%</i>
<i>Year 1/2 – Miss Vollands</i>	<i>95%</i>
<i>Year 2 – Miss Blakeway</i>	<i>94%</i>
<i>Year 3 – Miss Binns</i>	<i>98%</i>
<i>Year 3/4 – Miss Holding</i>	<i>95%</i>
<i>Year 4 – Mrs Longoni</i>	<i>85%</i>
<i>Year 5 – Miss Lynch</i>	<i>94%</i>
<i>Year 5/6 – Miss Gibbins</i>	<i>91%</i>
<i>Year 6 – Miss Woodhouse</i>	<i>92%</i>

### **Dates For Your Diary**

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> October – School Census day - Space themed lunch**

**Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> October – Children’s flu vaccinations**

**Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October – Break up for Half Term**

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November - Back to school**

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> November – Reception open evening 3:30pm – 4:30pm**

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November – Odd Socks Day**

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> & Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November - Parents evening (details to follow)**

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November - Children in Need**

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> December – Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day**

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December - Break up for Holidays**