

Message from the Head teacher

Dear Abbotsmede families and community,

"If music be the food of love,
then play on."

William Shakespeare



There has certainly been a lot of love for music this week! We have started our singing assemblies. The students have been learning warm up songs and will move on to longer songs to build excitement and enthusiasm for music. Our halls and corridors have therefore been filled with lots of music!

From November, we will start to learn Christmas songs as we prepare for end of term shows which will happen across the school. We will let you know more about this closer to the time, but it does mean that our end of term will be something special to look forward to!

In recognition for our commitment to music we have also been awarded Music Mark by the Peterborough Music Hub. This is not only an important recognition for all our efforts but also gives our teachers access to some excellent resources.



MUSIC MARK
SCHOOL
2022 - 2023

Attendance Congratulations

Classes with 98 % and above:

4PD and 4RL

Celebrating Punctuality

Lowest number of late marks:

3CO, 4PD, 5AB and 6NS

As a mark of commemoration for Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, we added ribbons to our fence in Reception. Our younger students have added these colourful thoughts across the day.

Mr Kiel Richardson

Headteacher

Absence Procedures

If your child is absent, you must:

Contact the school on the first day of absence and keep us informed thereafter via the absence line, directly at the school office or via the Arbor app.

If your child is due to have a planned medical appointment or procedure/operation, you must notify the school in advance and provide documentary evidence in the form of an official letter or appointment card. Where possible, make appointments outside of school hours.

School Office Opening Hours

Our office team is here to make sure that school runs smoothly on a day-to-day basis. You will be aware that at certain times of the day, it can become very busy and we are considering ways to

improve efficiency. The office is open from 8:30am – 4.00pm for general enquiries. For any enquiries relating to admissions, (including) Nursery, New starters, In-Year Transitions and Secondary school places) please visit us between 09.30am and 2.30pm.

NO NUTS

I would like to remind Parents/cares we are a Nut Free School. Please ensure all food that is brought into School, including snacks, does NOT contain nuts. We have a number of children who have a severe nut allergy.



Celebration Assembly



Celebration Assembly these children have been recognised by their teacher for outstanding work

Top Table



These children were invited to Top Table for lunch with the Headteacher and Deputy Headteacher, they were chosen by their teacher for demonstrating school values. Lunch included a hot chocolate with marshmallows or Sprinkles and whipped cream.