

Diary Dates

SET DATES

- Monday** - Commando Joe Club (Year 3 and 4)
Weds - Violin and Orchestra
5S Swimming
Thurs - Year 4 Cello
Football Club (Years 5 and 6)
Homework Club (Whole School)
Friday - 5PH Swimming
Year 4 Brass
Multisports Club (KS2)

OTHER DATES

HALF TERM - Children finish on Friday 16th February and return to school on Monday 26th February

27th and 28th March - Parent's Evenings

EASTER HOLIDAY - Children finish on Thursday 29th March and return to school on Monday 16th April



NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the latest edition of our Academy Newsletter.

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Mr Chambers' Academy News

I can't believe we have already been back for two weeks. Christmas seems such a long time ago. I hope that you all had a good break.

I have included the attendance figures for each of the classes for the first 2 weeks back to school. As you will see some classes need drastic improvement. Please work hard to get your child in to school every day and only have a day off if they are really poorly.

Have a great weekend. Look forward to seeing you Monday.

Mr Chambers

Don't forget to follow us on twitter if you are not doing so already! [Twitter at ABPrimary](#)

BEST ATTENDANCE IN KS1 AND KS2 SINCE THE LAST NEWS LETTER

1H - 95.3%
6E - 98.4%

FINAL ATTENDANCE FOR THE TERM

1H	95.3%
1S	93.9%
2W	87.6%
2MG	93.3%
3W	96.7%
3ST	88.9%
4T	96.1%
4E	98%
5S	95.9%
5PH	97%
6RK	95.3%
6E	98.4%

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HEAD LICE

Unfortunately we are having increasing cases of head lice reported in school. Please can you make sure that you check your child's hair, thoroughly and regularly. Children with long hair should have their hair tied up.

PARENTS' EVENINGS

Parent's Evenings this term will be held on 27th and 28th March. This will be an opportunity for you to look at all the children's work and also have a discussion with the teacher. Appointments will be made nearer the time.

SENCO

Miss Edwards will now be available in the afternoons should you wish to see her to talk about anything related to Special Educational Needs or Inclusion. Please give her a call or make an appointment by email. (senco@abprimary.bham.sch.uk)

READING

Please could you support us by reading with your child as much as possible and making sure that books, book bags and reading diaries come into school every day. Children having wider reading experiences was one of our targets after the last Ofsted Inspection. Please encourage children to read as much as possible.

HOMEWORK

I am going to begin conducting a review of homework. I want to look more at the homework that is being set, which homework the children prefer and what is a reasonable amount of homework for the children to be set. I know that you work at home with the children so could you please complete the following questionnaire and return it to the main office.

SHARE A BOOK



From Monday we will be operating a Share a book scheme. This will be an opportunity for children to bring good books in that they recommend that they have finished with and swap them for a book that another child recommends to read. We will keep all the books by the main office. This will be organised by our prefects. Please bring in any good books that you think other children would like to read