



# Ark Globe Academy Primary



## Stars of the Week

**Newton Class**  
Lucas

**Pascal Class**  
Azari

**Thales Class**  
Maryam

**Da Vinci Class**  
Aleeyah

**Pythagoras Class**  
Harley

**Archimedes Class**  
Ilyas

**Copernicus Class**  
Ifraz

**Euclid Class**  
Fareedah

**Gauss Class**  
Amina

**Blackwell Class**  
Parisa

**Lee Brown Class**  
Nuriyah

**Tobias Class**  
Feerozah

**Banneker Class**  
Hamid

**Bhaskara Class**  
Talha

**Fibonacci Class**  
Tajrin

**PE Stars**  
Joshua - Year 4  
Anah - Year 5

**Well done everyone!**  
**You have had a great week**

**Autumn Term 2021**

**Monday 4 October 2021**

## Message from Ms Colburn

We are now just over halfway through this term and all of our pupils have settled well. We had a small number of new pupils start last week—if you are one of our new families—welcome to the Ark Globe community!

The majority of our pupils arrive to school on time and before 8:30am. Please be reminded that our lessons start from the minute our pupils enter the classroom—our younger pupils engage

in their Phonics and our older, KS2 pupils start their maths or grammar lessons. Even a few minutes late, can make pupils feel uneasy, especially when it is repeated. Please know that if your child has 90% or less attendance for each year over 10 years, they will have missed one whole year of learning! Please do ensure your child is on time every single day. Thank you.



## Water bottles

Please can we ask that all pupils have their own, named water bottle. Our preference please is the ones that can be repeatedly used as these are better for our environment.

Pupils should fill them up before coming to school so they don't miss any learning time if they haven't done it. Thanks.



## Year 6 Parents

Thank you very much for attending our Golden ticket assembly today—it was great to see so many of you and I am delighted with the number of golden tickets already completed. This means that your child is now guaranteed a place in our Secondary School in September 2022 and you do not need to complete the online admission form.

If you were unable to attend and would like to complete this golden ticket, a letter with a golden ticket is being sent home today —this must be returned by Friday 8 October to secure the place.

## Winter Coats

Please can I remind you all to make sure that your child is appropriately dressed for the colder weather which also includes waterproof coats, preferably with a hood.

Pupils spend over an hour outside at playtime and lunchtime and unless it is very cold or raining they will always be outside.

Names should be in every item of clothing please—without a name it makes it very difficult to reunite them.



## Diary Dates 2021–2022

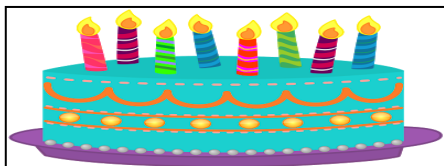
<b>Monday 4 October 2021</b>	Year 6—Year 7 Meeting—Pentagon—8:45am
<b>Wednesday 6 October 2021</b>	Phonics Workshop—Reception, Year 1 and 2 parents—8:45am
<b>Wednesday 13 October 2021</b>	Year 6 SATs meeting — 8:45am
<b>Thursday 21 October 2021</b>	Pupils finish for half term
<b>Friday 22 October 2021</b>	INSET Day—Academy closed to pupils
<b>Monday 1 November 2021</b>	All pupils return to Ark Globe—8:30am
<b>Friday 19 November 2021</b>	INSET Day—Academy closed to pupils

### Pupil Birthdays

Happy birthday to the following pupils this week:

Tianna	Year 5
Mohammad	Year 4
Bilal	Year 4
Ramai	Reception
Myah	Year 2
Ouel	Year 2
Baasil	Year 5
Karissa	Reception
Harper	Year 2
Josiah	Year 3
Ibrahim	Year 5

**We hope you  
have a lovely day celebrating!**



### Extra-Curricular Clubs

We now have our club list for the Autumn term and I am delighted with how many are now on offer. Clubs will run from 3:30–4:30pm and pupils will be able to be collected from the front playground at **4:30pm**. Confirmation letters will be sent out this week ahead of the clubs starting from Monday 11 October 2021. If you have any questions about the clubs, please speak to Mrs Ratnatunga.

<b>Mondays</b>	Reception	Crafts	Ms Emma
	Year 1 and 2	Reading	Ms Sophie
	Year 2	Colouring	Ms Latchford
	Year 4	Multi Skills	Mr Malachi
	Year 5	Film	Mr Hetherington
<b>Tuesdays</b>	Year 1 and 2	Homework	Ms Daisy
<b>Wednesdays</b>	Reception	Reading	Ms Carpenter
	Year 1	Computing	Ms Richmond
	Year 1	Singing	Ms Acton
	Year 2	Multi Skills	Mr Malachi
	Year 3	Film	Ms Breen
	Year 4	Mindfulness	Ms Leach
<b>Thursdays</b>	Reception	Lego	Ms Shah
	Year 3	Reading	Ms Demirci
	Year 4	Drama	Ms Craigie
	Year 5	Crafts	Ms Watts and Ms Lola
	Year 6	Multi Skills	Mr Malachi

### EYFS and KS1 Phonic Workshop

For parents of  
pupils in



Reception, Year 1 and Year 2, we are holding our first Phonic workshop for all parents on **Wednesday 6 October 2021 from 8:45–9:30am**. The workshop will be led by Mrs Ratnatunga and is designed to support your child at home with their phonics and will provide you with key skills to share with your child. Please do come along—refreshments will be available. Thank you.

### Black History Month

Last Friday marked the start of Black History Month which is celebrated from 1 October through to the 31 October. Black history month celebrates the history, achievements and contributions of black people in this country and around the world. It has taken place in the UK in October for the past 40 years. Over the next few weeks, pupils will learn about famous black people and their contributions to history.



### PE Days

Please be aware of the days when pupils should wear their PE kits to school:

Day of the Week	Year Group or Class
<b>Mondays</b>	Nursery, Year 1 Pythagoras, Year 2 Archimedes, Year 3 Gauss Year 4—Swimming Kit needed
<b>Tuesdays</b>	Year 3—both classes, Year 5—both classes, Year 6—both classes
<b>Wednesdays</b>	Year 1 Da Vinci, Year 2—both classes, Year 5—both classes
<b>Thursdays</b>	Reception—both classes, Year 2 Copernicus, Year 3 Euclid, Year 4—both classes
<b>Friday</b>	Year 1—both classes, Year 6—both classes

