



# Ark Globe Academy Primary



## Stars of the Week

### Newton Class

Josiah

### Pascal Class

Isiah

### Thales Class

Dylan

### Da Vinci Class

Karemata

### Pythagoras Class

Kenzo

### Archimedes Class

Bueze

### Copernicus Class

Anas

### Euclid Class

Harvey

### Gauss Class

Isam

### Blackwell Class

Hibbah

### Lee Brown Class

Alexis

### Tobias Class

Natara

### Banneker Class

Hudaifah

### Bhaskara Class

Mohebullah

### Fibonacci Class

Lin Xi

### PE Stars

KS1—Amelia—Year 2

KS2—Lee Brown class

### Art Star

KS2—Alexis—Year 4



Summer Term 2021

Tuesday 4 May 2021

## Message from Ms Colburn

I hope you all had a lovely and long bank holiday weekend! As you are all aware, last week, we received very sad news about one of our Year 8 pupils. It goes without saying that we send our condolences to the family in the coming days, weeks and months at what is a very difficult time for them all. If you feel that your child has been affected by what has happened, please let me know so that we can support them in school.

Coming to the end of the second week of the summer term, it finally feels like we have returned to some resemblance of normality despite the current COVID-19 restrictions. We have been able to return to extra-curricular clubs, our children have received workshops in school, class photos have been taken and we have had the very gorgeous chicks in school. We have also given out more 'golds' than ever

before—over 70 pupils received a Principal lunch reward on Friday which kept our catering staff very busy over lunchtime! Well done to those pupils who received them. In the next couple of weeks, lots of our pupils will be celebrating Eid. If your child will be one of them, please ensure you keep us informed so we can record the absence correctly.



## Budding Thespians!

Last week, our pupils in Year 4 took part in a brilliant 'West End In Schools' workshop to support their study of Shakespeare's A Midsummer Night's Dream. It was a virtual workshop that led the children through some performance-based activities to bring the story to life. The artists were so impressed with our pupils, they wrote an email to us: 'It was a pleasure to visit (virtually) such a friendly and welcoming school. Thank you for all of your energy, your enthusiasm and your willingness to join in. You are lucky to have such brilliant role-models in your teachers'. Well done Year 4!

Tianna said: "I liked how we were walking around the room, acting like one of the characters as if we were on a real stage performing."



## Amazing Artists!

Every week, our pupils from Nursery to Year 6 are able to be taught by our amazing Art teacher –Mrs Sanders. The skills and quality of work produced by all the children is extremely high and we are very proud of them all. Take look at the fantastic David Hockney-esque work our Year 6 pupils have completed. What a talented group of children we have! Thank you Mrs Sanders for all of your work.



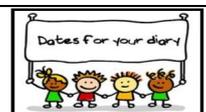
## Diary Dates 2020—2021

Friday 28 May 2021

Pupils finish for half term holiday

Monday 7 June 2021

Pupils return to school at 8:30am / 8:45am



## Harper Road

Please can I remind all parents to park safely when dropping off and collecting pupils to school. At the moment, there are parents who are turning their cars around in front of the school and this is dangerous for the children and parents –it is also causing issues for other road users. Please also remind your child how to cross the road safely too so that there are no accidents.



## Pupil Birthdays

Happy birthday to the following pupils this week:

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| <b>Martin</b>    | <b>Pythagoras</b> |
| <b>Usiah</b>     | <b>Thales</b>     |
| <b>Maryam</b>    | <b>Copernicus</b> |
| <b>Mohsin</b>    | <b>Pascal</b>     |
| <b>Nimra</b>     | <b>Euclid</b>     |
| <b>Elizabeth</b> | <b>Euclid</b>     |
| <b>Isam</b>      | <b>Gauss</b>      |

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



## Extra-Curricular Clubs

Our clubs (all 19 of them!) were finally able to re-start last week and I hope your child enjoyed their club. Please see below for when they are:

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| <b>Monday:</b>    | Year 5 Multi-Skills Club<br>Year 6 Multi-Skills Club  |
| <b>Tuesday:</b>   | Reception Eco Club<br>Year 1 Reading Club<br>Year 2 Homework Club<br>Year 3 Reading Club<br>Year 4 Dance Club<br>Year 6 Athletics Club                |
| <b>Wednesday:</b> | Year 1 Games Club<br>Year 1 Singing Club<br>Year 2 Multi-Skills<br>Year 4 Film Club<br>Year 5 Arts and Crafts<br>Year 6 Chess Club<br>Year 6 Art Club |
| <b>Thursday:</b>  | Year 2 Reading Club<br>Year 3 Computing Club<br>Year 3 Multi-Skills Club<br>Year 5 Games Club<br>Year 6 Secondary Transition programme                |



**Reception and Year  
1 and 2 Clubs  
3:30–4:15pm**

**Year 3, 4, 5 and 6  
Clubs  
3:45–4:30pm**

## Chick Updates!

Week 2 of our gorgeous chicks saw 6 eggs hatch in the Early Years. The children have had a great week, watching them grow and earning all about them. They have now been collected from school and taken to a farm where we will be sent regular updates on how they are getting on. We still hear from our chicks that we had back in 2018 so we know they are going to a great place!



## Year 6–Year 7 Transition programme

I am delighted to share with you an exciting and brand new transition programme for our year 6 pupils who will be attending our Globe Secondary school in September 2021. The expectation is that **all** of our Year 6 pupils going to Globe attend so that they can be fully prepared for the next step of their education with the aims being;

- Introduce new Year 7 students to the culture of Ark Globe Secondary Academy.
- Minimise any impact of the disruption they have had to their learning over the last year, as well as traditional challenges encountered during the transition.
- Develop confidence and awareness of the differences between our primary and secondary academies.

Pupils will take part in 8 sessions over the course of 8 weeks:

**Week 1**—Welcome to Ark Globe Secondary Academy:  
Culture and Routines

**Week 2**—How do we become great readers at Globe?

**Week 3**—What happens if...?

**Week 4**—How do you solve a problem?

**Week 5**—How can you stay healthy?

**Week 6**—Where in the world...?

**Week 7**—How do you express yourself?

**Week 8**—How do you work as part of a team?

**Sessions start on  
Thursday 6 May  
and will be from  
3:40–4:15pm.  
Letters have been  
emailed to our  
Year 6 parents.**

