



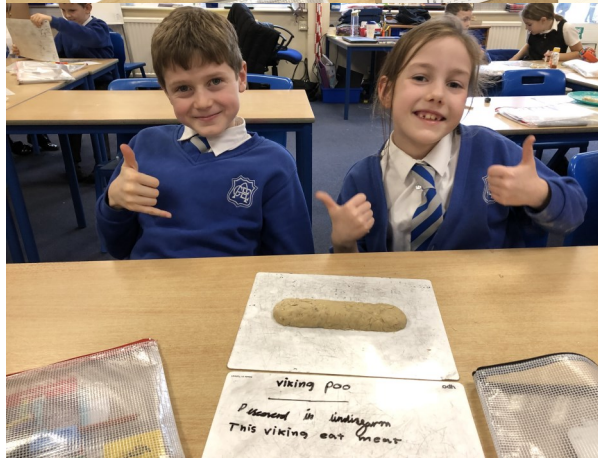
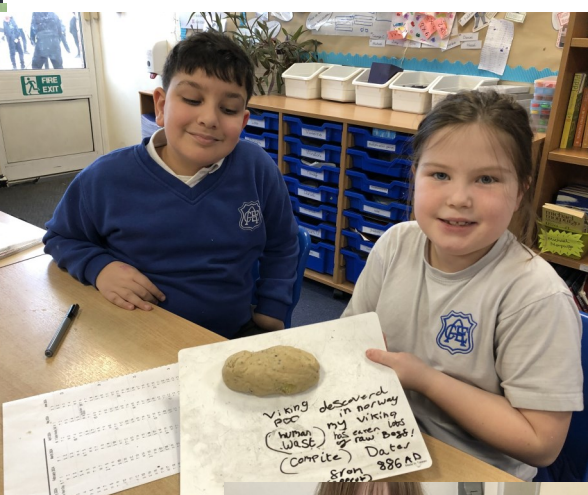
The Creativity of Year 4

THERE's some interesting learning taking place in Year 4 at the moment. In their Art lesson the children have been colour mixing paints to create tints and shades to give a three-dimensional effect



when painting

They continued using their creative skills during their lesson about the Vikings. The children recreated 'Viking poo' to understand how historians use evidence from the past to build a picture of what life was like in Britain more than a thousand years ago. Coprolite (fossilised poo) can inform us about ancient diet, environment, health, disease and



Dates for the diary

- 2nd February— PTA Movie night
- 6th February— Safer Internet Day
- 6th February— Year 6 SATs Parents Meeting 2.30pm
- 9th February— Gold Award Worship 9am
- 9th February— end of first half term—**SCHOOL CLOSURES NORMAL TIME**
- 12TH—16TH February—Half term **SCHOOL CLOSED**
- 19th February— Children return to school
- 29th February— Parents Evening— **SCHOOL CLOSURES EARLY**
- 1st March— Year 4 Science Museum Trip

Man of the Match!

WE continue to celebrate our children's achievements outside of school and this week we are delighted to share with you that Connor from Zebra class was awarded Man of the Match from



his Spelthorne football team. Well done Connor! Don't forget to let us know what you have been doing outside of school and you too could feature in future ACE's Highlights.



THIS year our Sports Day is planned for a little earlier than usual. Please put the date in your diary so that you don't miss out!

Thursday 23rd May

Spotlight on a Subject

DON'T forget to check your emails or the school website to read the latest 'Spotlight on a Subject'. Find out what your child is learning in Maths and how you can support them.

<https://www.ashford-primary.surrey.sch.uk/docs/curriculum/Maths%20Spotlight%20on%20a%20subject%20Spring%202024.pdf>

Strictly No Parking or Stopping

RECENTLY we gently reminded you to refrain from parking on the zig zag lines outside of school. This week we have witnessed cars stopping and pulling up directly outside of the school gates. This is not only dangerous for our children but also in doing this you are breaking the highway law.

Please drive and park safely and legally.

CARS ARE NOT PERMITTED TO PARK ON ZIG ZAG LINES OR DIRECTLY OUTSIDE OF THE SCHOOL GATE.



It's Birdwatch Weekend

THIS weekend is when the RSPB ask us to count birds in our garden. Get involved at: <https://www.rspb.org.uk/whats-happening/big-garden-birdwatch/submission>. The children in the Infant Art and Craft Club have been marking the occasion with some amazing artwork. Big thank you to Liz Dean from our PTA for all of her support with this club.



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WHAT better way to remember your A B C's than with a PE lesson! Zebra Class had a lot of fun this week stretching and shaping their bodies into letters. Can you guess what they are spelling out? Answer at the bottom of the article.



Answer: ACE

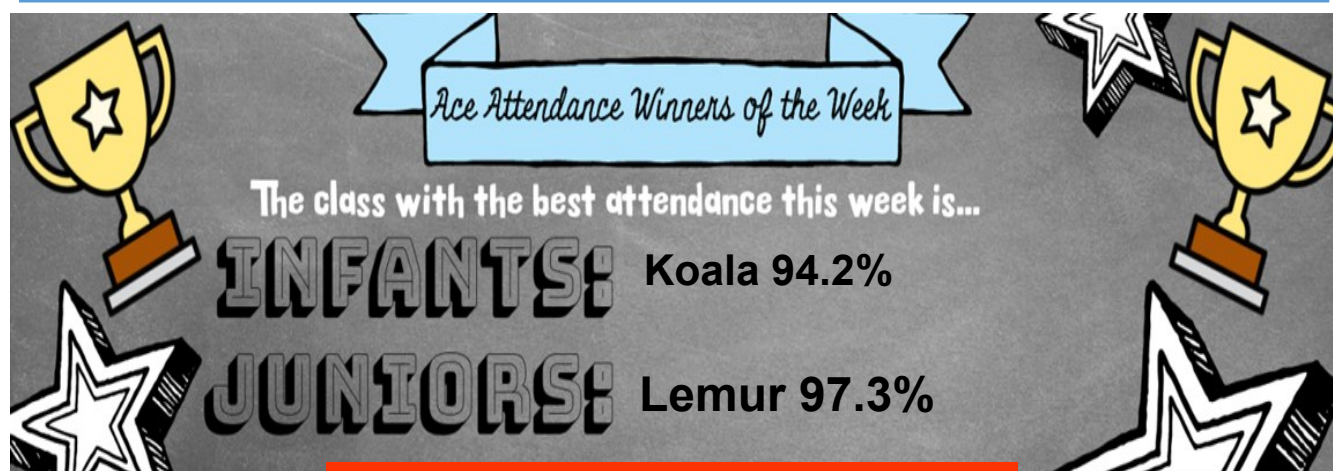
LOOKING FOR OUT-OF-SCHOOL CHILDCARE?

Our Breakfast Club is open from 7:30, with
our After School Club open until 6pm

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Our attendance target is 96%

Our ACE

CELEBRATION STARS OF THE WEEK

	Name	Reason
Koala	Harry SP	For fantastic independent writing
	Pippa C	For always making good learning choices
Kangaroo	Rose	For always being helpful and helping tidy up
	Quinn	For fantastic effort in his reading
Panda	Lennie C	For fantastic effort in Phonics lessons
	Jo Jo	For excellent sound talking and blending during guided reading
Tiger	Betsy B	For having an 'I can' attitude in maths
	Elisha V	For excellent work on number lines in Maths
Giraffe	Scarlett K	For her incredible independent story of the Minpins
	Abdullah	For settling in well to ACE
Zebra	Calvin L	For his amazing effort in English
	Connor W	For his excellent effort in maths
Lemur	Mason M	For his fantastic piece of cave art.
	Jack S	For his excellent contributions to class discussions
Meerkat	Hossein	For his learning attitude in maths and English
	Oakley	For a wonderful piece of English writing
Rhino	Miriam D	For always taking so much pride in her presentation
	George W	For choosing such exciting language choices in his sequel
Elephant	Winston C	For his enthusiasm and focus with his learning
	Michael B	For his fantastic painting in art yesterday.
Llama	Connie B	For her independence and progression in writing
	Abuzar	For his focus and effort in all of his writing
Buffalo	Billy-John	For his fantastic memoir in English
	Lucy Y	For her excellent learning in maths this week.
Leopard	Dennie R	For making a real effort to demonstrate his understanding of the passive voice in his sentences
	Ollie B	For participating well in a maths lesson
Panthers	Logan E	For his fantastic effort in English writing passive sentences
	Harper-Jane	For her positive attitude and perseverance in maths