Archibald News

Archibald Primary School – "Believe and Achieve"

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Welcome back to Summer Term 2025.

The Summer term is always a very busy term in school and this year is no exception.

In May we will be holding our regular **Democracy Week**. In addition to learning about the British Value of democracy, pupils will put this into practice as they vote for their new School Council representatives.

May is also **KS2 Assessment Week** for our Y6 pupils. KS2 SATs start on Monday 12th May
In June we have two classes represented at the **Shakesphere Festival**. Y3 puils from Class 8 and Y1 pupils from Class 4 will join with other primary and secondary schools to perform Macbeth at the Acklam Green Centre in June.
Also in June Y1 pupils will complete the **Phonics Screening Check** and Y4 pupils will complete the **Multiplication Tables Check**.
Many Y4 pupils will also be participating in their residential at **Carlton Adventture** in June.

Later in the term we will be holding our **Health and Fitness Week** which once again will include our **Archibald Sports Days.** Throughout the term we will aslo be sending sports teams to complete in competitions and festivals with other Middlesbrough and Tees Valley Primary Schools

Transition Day will take place in July - pupils will spend the day in their new class ready for September.

The PE focus this week is **self-belief.** PE teachers will be looking to reward pupils in PE lessons this week.

STARS of the WEEK

Congratulations to the following pupils who were awarded Golden Rule Awards in our Star of the Week Assemblies before Easter. The theme was '5 Golden Rules' for pupils who always follow all five of our Golden Rules.

Nursery - Renesmae
Class 1 – Rayyan
Class 2 – Aleeza
Class 3 – Isabella
Class 4 – Ollie-James
Class 5 - Fatimah
Class 6 – Grace
Class 7 – Zyva
Class 8 - Mohid
Class 10 – Haniya
Class 11 – Jasmine
Class 12 – Freddie
Class 13 - Hanaw
Class 14 – Wania
Class 15 – Louie
Class 16 – Darius
Class 17 - Tabin
Class 18 – Mayomi

Congratulations to all the stars!

This week our Friday Key Stage Assemblies will be looking forward to all the great things happening in school this term. Information will be shared with parents/carers on SeeSaw

Archibald Primary School Safeguarding Leads: Mrs E Verheyen , Mrs A Jefferies

magic breakfast | Ofsted Good Provider 2022 | MUSIC MARK | BIG | ARTS COUNCIL ENGLAND | Artsmark Alliance Platinum Award | RSC ROYAL SHAKESPEARE COMPANY

Attendance & Punctuality

School attendance Wb 7.4.25	**93.5%**
Class with the highest attendance wb 7.4.25:	12 100%
Attendance for the school year to date:	**93.3%**

Attendance Aces Challenge

100% Attendance Class Winners wb 7.4.25

EYFS – Class 2 with **83%** of pupils with 100% attendance.
KS1 – **Class 6** with **87%** of pupils with 100% attendance.
KS2 – **Class 12** with **100%** of pupils with 100% attendance.
Our Attendance Aces Challenge for Spring Term has concluded. Before Easter we had 70 pupils in our Attendance Aces Club who were rewarded with a scavenger hunt activity around school on the last day of term.

In addition we held our half termly 100% prize draw on the final day of term, with 12 pupils who had 100% attendance for at least one week last half term being drawn out to receive a prize.

If you need help or support with getting your child into school on time, or with anything attendance related, please contact our Attendance Officer – Details below

MOMENTS MATTER, ATTENDANCE COUNTS.

Mrs Lisa Davies	Mr S Cowgill
School Attendance Officer	School Attendance Champion

Attendance Hotline:
☎ 01642 804 101 option 1

Archibald Primary School Attendance League Table

Wb 7.4.25	week	*cum.
Class 1	88.9%	89.8%
Class 2	96.3%	91.9%
Class 3	95.9%	95.2%
Class 4	96%	93.9%
Class 5	94%	92.2%
Class 6	94.7%	93.5%
Class 7	86.9%	93.8%
Class 8	96%	94.2%
Class 9	76.7%	83.6%
Class 10	83.3%	90.8%
Class 11	88.9%	94.2%
Class 12	100%	95.8%
Class 13	94%	92.7%
Class 14	94.1%	93.5%
Class 15	92.7%	95.6%
Class 16	90.8%	85.6%
Class 17	97.9%	96.3%
Class 18	98.1%	96.2%

*Cumulative from 4.9.24

<90%	90% -95%	95%+

Bank Holiday Reminder:
School will be clased for the **Bank Holiday** on Monday 5th May
The half term holiday starts at the end of the school day on Friday 23rd May.

ATTENDANCE CHALLENGE

At the end of last term 100% attendance tokens were distributed again . All **326** pupils who attended school all week received a token. This is 95 more than the previous week – well done!
Tokens will continue to be given out each Friday to pupils who have attended school all week.
The prize draw wiill take place at the end of this half term.

Attendance Challenge Prizewinners Spring 2 2025

Congratuilations to the following pupils:

KS2
Ruta, Perrie, Eshan, Jacob, Grace, Zak

KS1 & EYFS
Alori, Jimmy K, Hazel, Harleen, Denyah, Jacob

Diary Dates

THIS WEEK

Monday 28th April
Start of Summer Term
Y3 Class 7 Swimming every afternoon for 2 weeks (until Friday 9th May)

Tuesday 29th April

Rhyme Time
FOR PARENTS OR CAREERS WITH CHILDREN FROM BIRTH TO 2 YEARS

Friday 2nd May
ECOSHOP
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open from 2.15pm

NEXT WEEK

Monday 5thMay
Bank Holiday – School Closed

Tuesday 6th May
Y3 Class 7 Swimming continues every afternoon for 2 weeks (until Friday 9th May)
8.45am Rhyme Time – Dining Room

COMING SOON

Monday 12th May
KS2 SATs Week – Y6

Friday 23rd May
School Closes for Half term Holiday

Monday 2nd June
School Reopens - Summer Term 2
Y3 Class 8 Swimming every afternoon for 2 weeks (until Friday 13th June)

Monday 9th June
Y1 Phonics Screening Check
Y4 Multiplication Table Check

Wednesday 11th June
Y4 Carlton Adventure Residential (until Friday 13th)

Friday 13th June
NEW Y5/6 girls Cricket at Marton Cricket Club

Monday 16th June
NEW Y1/2 quad kids athletics and Y3/4 quad kids athletics at Middlesbrough Sports Village

Tuesday 17th June
NEW Y5/6 Middlesbrough Athletic Championships at Middlesbrough Sports Village

Wednesday 18th June
NEW KS2 Athletics festival at Middlesbrough Sports Village

Monday 23rd June
NEW Y3/4 boys plate cricket at Middlesbrough Cricket Club

Friday 18th July
Final day of term – School Closes for Summer Holiday

Monday 1st September
School closed to pupils PD Day 1

LUNCH MENU THIS WEEK

MIDDLESBROUGH SCHOOL MEALS

Week 2	Main Course	Dessert
M	• Chicken Alfredo • Pizza wrap (V) served with oven roasted wedges	Steamed Eves pudding and custard
T	• Homemade Cottage pie • Quorn burger In a bun (V) with roasted potatoes	Jam shortbread fingers
W	• Toad in the hole served with mashed potato • Macaroni cheese served with crusty bread (V)	Beetroot chocolate brownie
Th	• Minced beef and Dumplings served with mashed potato • Curry and rice (V) served with naan bread	Pear crumble and custard
F	• Battered fish or Fish portion and chips • Cheese and Tomato crustless Quiche (V)	Homemade biscuits
Available Daily	Jacket potato with choice of filling (cheese, tuna mayo) Daily Vegetable Selection Sliced Bread	Fresh Fruit Fruit Jelly Cheese & crackers
	Assorted fresh sandwiches and wraps Fresh salad bar options	
	All meals are freshly cooked on the premises each day. *Menu subject to change depending upon supplies and deliveries.* **Did you know?...** Our lunch menu rotates on a three-week cycle You can check out the full menu on our school website. Click HERE	

Climate Action Club

Climate Action Club meets on a Wednesday at the end of school. On 2nd April the Executive Member for Environmental and Sustainability from Middlesbrough Council - Councillor, Peter Gavigan, came to the club and joined in a litter pick activity. He was so impressed with the children's knowledge about sustainability and how enthusiastic they were about tidying up the local community.

Y3 Geography Showcase

In the final week of last term our Y3 pupils hosted a Geography Showase Event. Parents, carers and friends were invited to come into school to see the great geography work that the Y3 pupils had completed during the term as part for their Spring Term Geography Topic - **Rocks, Relics and Rumbles.**

Throughout the term, the children have learnt about the features and characteristics of The Earth's layers, including a detailed exploration of volcanic, tectonic and seismic activity.

Information Shared on behalf of Newport Community Hub

Cooking on a budget

Free *2 session practical course led by Samia from* ***Middlesbrough Environment City***

Session 1 May 7th 12.45-2.45pm 2025*-*
'Fakeaway' healthy and cost effective takeaway style food.

Session 2 May 14th 12.45-2.45pm 2025 *'Slow cookers - soup'*

Kelly, Energy Ambassador from The Hope Foundation, will be joining us on the second session to discuss saving money with energy.

You will need to attend ***BOTH*** *sessions*
Venue *- Newport Community Hub*
St Paul's Road
TS1 5NQ

Please email emma_davisworth@middlesbrough.gov.uk to secure your place. Spaces are limited.

END OF DAY UPDATES

In order to help improve safety at the end of the school day we are making some changes from the start of this term.
School gates at Heywood Street and Ayresome Green Lane will now be unlocked at 2.50pm - 10 minutes before the end of school. Parents and carers should not be on the school site before this time.

In order to improve the safety at the Barnaby Avenue gate, the car park gates will be closed from 2.45pm and will not be reopened before 3:10pm. Any parents/carers parking in the visitors car park before 2.45pm will be unable to leave before the gates are opend at 3.10pm. This change will be implemented form next Tuesday – Tuesday 6th May

We continue to encourage parents and carers to park responsibly and safely at the end of the school day. Cars should not be parked on the yell zig zag lines at eith Barnaby Avenue or the new parking zone at Ayresome Green Lane. This is to keep the area around our school safe for pedestrians and is continuing to be monitorred very closely by parking enforcement officers and the police.

Y3 Craft Club

Here are the children from Miss Lawman's After-school Craft Club showcasing the crafts the made last half term. Craft Club continues this half term with new pupils invited to attend.

FOOTBALL SUCCESS

Here is another fantastic Archibald pupil with an achievement to share! Taman is from Class 13.

Taman's football team are Champions of the League and he is the top goal scorer having scored 60 goals this season.
What great teamwork, personal achievement and a huge trophy! Congratulations Taman!

Cycles and Scooters

Please remember that puils must push scooters and cycles on the school site. Unfortunately we have a number of puils who ignore this request, and have received a number of complaints from parents and carers.
Any pul who chooses not to comply with this request will not be allowed to bring their bike or scooter onto the school site.

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Archibald Primary School – Term Dates and Holidays 2025 - 2026

	AUGUST 2025					SEPTEMBER 2025					
Monday		4	11	18	25	1	8	15	22	29	
Tuesday		5	12	19	26	2	9	16	23	30	
Wednesday		6	13	20	27	3	10	17	24		
Thursday		7	14	21	28	4	11	18	25		
Friday	1	8	15	22	29	5	12	19	26		
Saturday	2	9	16	23	30	6	13	20	27		
Sunday	3	10	17	24	31	7	14	21	28		

	OCTOBER 2025					NOVEMBER 2025					DECEMBER 2025					JANUARY 2026				
Monday		6	13	20	27		3	10	17	24	1	8	15	22	29		5	12	19	26
Tuesday		7	14	21	28		4	11	18	25	2	9	16	23	30		6	13	20	27
Wednesday	1	8	15	22	29		5	12	19	26	3	10	17	24	31		7	14	21	28
Thursday	2	9	16	23	30		6	13	20	27	4	11	18	25		1	8	15	22	29
Friday	3	10	17	24	31		7	14	21	28	5	12	19	26		2	9	16	23	30
Saturday	4	11	18	25		1	8	15	22	29	6	13	20	27		3	10	17	24	31
Sunday	5	12	19	26		2	9	16	23	30	7	14	21	28		4	11	18	25	

	FEBRUARY 2026					MARCH 2026					
Monday		2	9	16	23		2	9	16	23	30
Tuesday		3	10	17	24		3	10	17	24	31
Wednesday		4	11	18	25		4	11	18	25	
Thursday		5	12	19	26		5	12	19	26	
Friday		6	13	20	27		6	13	20	27	
Saturday		7	14	21	28		7	14	21	28	
Sunday	1	8	15	22		1	8	15	22	29	

	APRIL 2026					MAY 2026					JUNE 2026					JULY 2026				
Monday		6	13	20	27		4	11	18	25	1	8	15	22	29		6	13	20	27
Tuesday		7	14	21	28		5	12	19	26	2	9	16	23	30		7	14	21	28
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Sunday	5	12	19	26		3	10	17	24	31	7	14	21	28		5	12	19	26	

Bank Holiday	
School Holiday	
PD Days (School closed to pupils) Monday 1st September Friday 24th October Monday 3rd November Monday 20th July Tuesday 21st July	