

Archibald News

Archibald Primary School – “Believe and Achieve”

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“Believe and Achieve.” “Věř a Dosáhnout” “Uwierz i osiągnij” “Crede și atinge” “انجازوايمان” “相信与实现”



Every School Day Counts

Our attendance target is 96%.

School attendance for last week was just below target at 95.3%. Well done everyone! Attendance for the whole of Autumn 1 term was above target at 96.4%. Well done!

Roary's Attendance Challenge 100% Attendance

Class Winners wb 22.10.18.

EYFS – Class 2 – 90% @ 100% attendance

KS1 - Class 4 - 90% @ 100% attendance

KS2 – Classes 10, 13 & 19 each with 100% @ 100% attendance – Well done!

All pupils with 100% attendance are automatically in **The Roary Club**.

The Roary Club treat for Autumn 1 will take place on Monday 5th November. There are 233 pupils in the Roary Club.

The next Roary Club treat will be in January 2019 when pupils with 100% attendance between November 5th and December 21st will be rewarded..

World War 1 Week 2018

This week we will be holding our final World War One Week. This year we will be celebrating 100 years since the end of World War One. Throughout the week pupils will be learning about the war, about what started the war, what happened, and different ways in which it is remembered.

On Thursday 8th November we will be holding a special **Music Hall Celebration Event**. All pupils will be performing on the stage as we aim to recreate the celebrations held at the end of World War One – 100 years ago.

As part of this Celebration Event we are asking **pupils to come to school dressed in clothing that would be worn in music halls in 1918**. Please see pictures later in the newsletter for some ideas but you are welcome to be as creative as you can to create the look. Please do not go to the expense of buying outfits or hiring them – the look, or something very similar, can be created quite easily with a bit of creative thinking.

We are hoping to have a video of the Music Hall Celebration available to share with parents and carers later in the term.

On Friday 9th November we will be holding a special **Remembrance Assembly** in collaboration with Macmillan Academy. As part of the assembly pupils will watch a special broadcast video introduced by Mr P Latham, CEO of Endeavour Academies, and containing a short film of Y5 Archibald pupils filmed at Beamish Museum. This video will also be broadcast throughout Macmillan Academy.



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



Diary Dates

THIS WEEK

Monday 5th November

Start of World War 1 Week 2019

Thursday 8th November

World War 1 Music Hall Celebration (see below)

Friday 9th November

Endeavour Trust Remembrance Assembly (see below)

Final day for Y4 swimming

NEXT WEEK

Monday 12th November

Start of Anti-bullying Week 2018 – see below

Y1 and Y2 'Magic Mindfulness' Workshop NEW EVENT

Tuesday 13th November

RCS Performance – Comedy of Errors at Macmillan Academy

Konflux Theatre Group to work with selected KS2 pupils

Wednesday 14th November

RCS Performance – Comedy of Errors at Macmillan Academy

Friday 16th November

BBC Children in Need - Come to school in PJs £1
NHS Flu Immunisation, YRec – Y5 – Details to follow

Tuesday 20th November

Y5 & Y6 NSPCC Workshops – NEW EVENT

COMING SOON

Wednesday 28th November

Autumn Fayre 2018

Friday 14th December

Christmas Jumper Day 2019- NEW EVENT

Monday 17th December

End of Term Performances: Y1:2.30pm; Y5:3.30pm

Tuesday 18th December

End of Term Performances: Reception: 1.30pm,
Y3:2.30pm; Y4:3.30pm

Wednesday 19th December

End of Term Performances: Y2:2.30pm, Y6:3.30pm

Thursday 20th December

Christmas Party Day: Reception, Y5, Y3

Christmas Lunch Served

End of term Pantomime – All pupils Reception – Y6

Friday 21st December – End of term

Christmas Party Day: Y1, Y2, Y4 & Y6

School Closes for Christmas Holiday

Monday 7th January 2019

School opens for Spring Term 2019

Friday 11th January

School closed to pupils PD Day 3. Teachers will be in school working with our School Improvement Partner on developing our teaching of vocabulary.

Thursday 14th February

KS2 performance – Romeo & Juliet NEW EVENT

Please be aware that these dates and times are provisional and are subject to change.

Our next fundraising event will take place on Friday November 16th in aid of

BBC Children in Need.



The School Council have organised a

PJ DAY!

Pay £1 to come to school I
your PJs and onesies!
Proceeds to BBC Children in Need

Opportunity to get FREE school Uniform or a FREE school Bookbag!

Did you know that if your child is entitled to free school meals the school also receives extra funding?

We use this funding for a variety of things including helping keep class sizes small, providing additional adults to support teaching and learning and to subsidising school visits and residential visits.

We are asking all parents of pupils in Reception, Y1, Y2 or Y3 to check to see if their children are entitled to free school meals. Even if you do not want your child to eat the meals, the school will still receive the additional funding. Once your entitlement is clarified your child will continue to receive free school meals until 2022 – you do not need to apply again. This could save you over £360 a year once they get to Y3.

Checking your child's entitlement is easy. You just need to contact Stockton Borough Council (☎01642 526605) and they will do the check for you. If you need support with this please contact the school office and someone from our admin team will be happy to help.

Any successful applications received by the school during October and November will entitle the child to a FREE school jumper, polo shirt or one of our new school book bags!

Word War 1 Week 2018

Ideas for Music Hall Costumes



Further options for boys could be black/grey trousers with a white shirt or polo shirt, possibly a tie or bow tie and a waistcoat.

Girls could wear appropriate 'party style' dresses.

Staffing Update November 2018

We have a new member of staff joining our front office team this half term. Miss Allanson is joining the administration team and will be the first point of contact for visitors to our school. She will be the person answering the telephone and answering all your enquiries.

Miss Featherstone our PSA has left Archibald to take up a position elsewhere. We are currently in the process of recruiting a new Parent Support Advisor. In the meantime please contact the school office with any concerns or queries and you will be put in touch with the appropriate member of staff to deal with your concern/query. Mr Charlton is the new teaching assistant in Y5 Class 13 as Mr Burns is now the teaching assistant in Y5 Class 14.

Anti-bullying Week 2018

Anti-bullying week starts on Monday 12th November. The theme for our annual Anti bullying week this year is **Mindfulness**.

During this week pupils will be exploring **Mindfulness and Mental Health** during PSHE and Computing sessions.

On Monday 12th November, KS1 pupils will also be participating in a special ' Magic Mindfulness' workshop led by the Konflux Theatre group.

Some KS2 pupils will also be working with Konflux Theatre on Tuesday 13th November on a Play in a Day called Peace of Mind. These pupils will perform their play to Year 3 and 4 at the end of the day.

Reception pupils will be participating in **Relax kids** sessions.

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AUTUMN FAYRE

Wednesday 28th
November

Dining Room
From 3pm
Stalls, Fun, Games

Macmillan Academy & ARCHIBALD PRIMARY
WELCOME THE RSC TO MIDDLESBROUGH



13 & 14 NOVEMBER 2018
EVENING PERFORMANCE 7PM

Staff and student tickets available from
Mrs Blyth and the school office

Community tickets available from
Macmillan Academy reception

ON SALE - 15th October 2018

Tickets: £4

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BBC
**Children
in Need**

Friday 16th November

Come to school in PJs/onesies -
£1/pupil



Save the Children
**CHRISTMAS
JUMPER DAY**

Friday 14th December 2018
£1 per pupil

Cooking on a budget healthy eating course

Come along to our cooking class
to help you to cook on a budget,
learn how to make healthy food
and find out some slow cooker
recipes.

Friday's 1pm - 3pm for 3 weeks.
Starts 25th January 2019. You
must be able to attend all 3
sessions.

All ingredients and equipment is
provided, you just need to turn
up!

Places are limited - please
contact the school office to book