



### Attendance

This week's attendance figures show that we have had another good week of attendance here at Abbey Mead. The table below shows attendance Monday to Thursday

Class	Average(%)
1FI	94.17
1PP	94.21
1SH	94.58
2EB	97.50
2NF	98.33
2SP	98.33
3AA	95.87
3IB	96.67
3SR	94.80
4JA/GH	97.92
4KO	98.33
4KR	95.83
5CC/CH	98.75
5HF	98.33
5MB	94.63
6NK	98.39
6RT/SC	99.19
6ZE	94.63
FMC/CR	92.98
FOL	78.23
FZM	94.17

Well done to 2SP and 2NF who are our joint KS1 winners and 6RT/SC who are our KS2 winners this week.



## OFSTED REPORT - OUTSTANDING

### Inspection of Abbey Mead Primary Academy

109 Ross Walk, Leicester, Leicestershire LE4 5HH

Inspection dates: 5 and 6 March 2024

It is with immense pride that we are now able to share the incredible achievements of our pupils, staff and community that are captured within our most recent OFSTED Inspection.

The report truly reflects life here at Abbey Mead and is something that each and everyone of us can be proud to be a part of.

#### Overall effectiveness

The quality of education  
 Behaviour and attitudes  
 Personal development  
 Leadership and management  
 Early years provision

#### Outstanding

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There is a culture of aspiration based on the very highest expectations for all in this school. Dedicated and caring staff at all levels collectively share a commitment to excellence. Together, they have carefully developed an exceptionally rich and ambitious curriculum for all pupils, including those with SEND. In every subject, knowledge has been clearly identified so that all staff know precisely what pupils should learn. Beginning in the early years and throughout key stages 1 and 2, subject curriculums are sequenced very well so that pupils build knowledge and make connections as they progress. Pupils learn subject-specific vocabulary so that they can discuss and make sense of what they are learning.

The curriculum provides many opportunities for pupils to broaden their cultural understanding. For example, in history and geography, pupils learn about migration and how it is relevant to their local community. In English and art, pupils study writers and artists from a wide range of different cultures and backgrounds. Themes of equality and diversity are thoughtfully embedded across the curriculum. Learning is further enriched by trips to museums and theatres as well as other interesting locations.

The full report can be read at:

[50244334 \(ofsted.gov.uk\)](https://www.ofsted.gov.uk/50244334)

Such an Outstanding achievement would not have been possible without the incredible commitment of your Abbey staff who dedicate countless hours to ensure that your children achieve the very best. In the coming weeks, we look forward to celebrating this success alongside the children.

If you would like a paper copy of the report, please contact the school office.

Please do feel free to share this report far and wide!





## Eid Celebrations



We all had a wonderful time celebrating Eid. The celebrations began on Friday with our special Eid themed school lunch. This was followed by amazing performances at the Eid show on Wednesday.

Our wonderful year 3 and year 5 children did an amazing job with talented singing and acting to teach us all about Eid!





## Upcoming Dates

- Mini Marathon charity walk—**Friday 26th April**
- Bank Holiday (May Day) - **Monday 6th May**
- F2 African Dance Workshop—**Tuesday 14th May**
- Year 2 trip to Beaumanor Hall— **Thursday 17th May**
- Half Term Holiday begins—**Monday 27th May 2024**
- School re-opens after half term—**Monday 3rd June**
- Year 3 trip to Botanic Garden—**Wednesday 5th June**
- F2 trip to the Farm—**Monday 17th June**
- School closes for the Summer break—**Friday 12th July**
- School re-opens—**Thursday 29th August 2024**



## Book Fair

The Book fair is coming back!

The fair will run from Friday 3rd May to Wednesday 9th May in the library.

This is a wonderful opportunity for children to explore books and extend their reading skills.

More information about the book fair will be sent out in the coming days.



## Mini Marathon

Miss Ingham and her team have organised a mini marathon for the whole school on Friday 26th April. Staff and children are all taking part in the mini marathon to raise money for Loros.

Please send your child to school in P.E kits on Friday 26th April with a £1.00 donation for Loros on the day.





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## This week @ Abbey

