



March Newsletter 2023

Wednesday 8th March 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

While this is an extremely short term, we still have a lot going on in school. **Please read all** of the following information carefully.

Strike Action

School will be closed to ALL classes on Wednesday 15th and Thursday 16th March, due to industrial strike action. If your child is entitled to a Free School Meal, you will be able to collect a packed lunch on the day. Please complete the google form, using the following link <https://forms.gle/vNZ6sUW5zWHyCtSn7> by 12:00 on Friday 10th March.

Red Nose Day



On Friday 17th March all children are invited to come to school 'Dressed for Joy' to support Red Nose Day and wear something that makes them and everyone at school smile. Your child can pick a theme, don the best home-made costume ever, go red from head to toe or simply dig out their brightest socks. Donations will be payable on School Spider. Based on results from the recent parent survey, which we only had 85 responses to, we will not be selling Red Noses this year.

Easter Celebrations

Assemblies:

Monday 27th March 09:00 Y3 – Y6 Performance 1

Monday 27th March 14:30 Nursery – Y2 Performance 1

Tuesday 28th March 09:00 Nursery – Y2 Performance 2

Tuesday 28th March 14:30 Y3 – Y6 Performance 2

There will be 80 tickets available for each performance, restricted to 2 per family regardless of how many children you have in the performance. Parents/carers will be allowed to attend one performance only and can only book 2 tickets in total. Tickets will be available to book on School Spider from 6.00pm on Monday 20th March. A reminder email will be sent on the day.

Please ensure you are able to access your School Spider account before this. If you have any problems please email admin@abbott.manchester.sch.uk



IT IS VITAL THAT YOUR CHILD ATTENDS SCHOOL – PLEASE REMEMBER THAT NO HOLIDAYS ARE TO BE TAKEN DURING TERM TIME. **NO** AUTHORISATION WILL BE GIVEN UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES



Easter Bonnet Competition:

All children are invited to join in with our Easter Bonnet competition, which will be held on Friday 31st March. There will be prizes for the best bonnets!

Easter Raffle:

Raffle tickets will be available to purchase from Monday 20th March, for your chance to win some amazing Easter Hampers. You can buy tickets in cash from Janet, or buy through School Spider. £1 for a strip.

Parents' Evening Meetings:

Parents' Evening meetings will be held on Tuesday 11th and Wednesday 12th April. Appointments must be booked through School Spider. Bookings will open on Monday 27th March.

School will close at 13:30 on Friday 31st March for the Easter Break and we will reopen Tuesday 11th April.

If you have any questions related to ongoing activities, or your child's learning, please email their class teacher directly.

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Mrs Fishwick: g.fishwick@abbott.manchester.sch.uk

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School Office – Miss Melling: admin@abbott.manchester.sch.uk

Yours Sincerely,

Miss Stokes