



Dear Parents/Carers, students and staff,

Welcome to this week's newsletter! Can you believe it's already October? Time flies when you're having fun, and we've certainly had a fantastic week here at ABP! Keep reading to discover all the exciting highlights and updates from our team!

Wow Day – Year 4 – Vikings (History): Our Year 4 students had an amazing time during their Viking-themed Wow day! Dressed as fierce Vikings, they dived into history with the help of our special guest, a knowledgeable historian. The children listened closely as they learned all about the Viking invasions of Britain—where they came from, when they arrived, and how they carried out their conquests.

They explored real artefacts, played an exciting Viking board game, and worked together to complete a quiz about their new knowledge. Enthusiasm was high, and the students were eager to participate in every activity. They even picked up a few Norse words that they might remember for future discussions!

It was a day filled with learning and fun, and we're proud of how engaged and curious our Year 4s were throughout the experience.



Year 1 WOW Day – 1950s Theme (History): To kick off their exciting 1950s topic, the children had a fantastic WOW day where they dressed up in clothes inspired by the era. They fully immersed themselves in activities from the decade. The highlight of the day was looking at old photographs and experiencing a "blast from the past." The children had an amazing time "going back in time," sparking curiosity and excitement for learning more about this fascinating era! Stay tuned for more updates as year 1 dive deeper into the 1950s!

National Teaching Assistants Day – 27th September 2024: Last Friday, we had the pleasure of celebrating National Teaching Assistant Day here at ABP! Our wonderful Learning Support Assistants (LSAs) received thank you cards and delicious cake as a small token of appreciation for their hard work and dedication. We are incredibly grateful for everything they do to support our students and school community. Thank you to all our LSAs for your tireless efforts – you truly make a difference every day!





Good luck Mrs Casal: We are excited to share that Mrs. Casal has now started her maternity leave as she prepares for the arrival of her first child. We wish her and her husband the very best as they embark on this wonderful new chapter. We look forward to hearing the happy news and wish them all the joy and happiness that comes with welcoming a new addition to their family!

Safeguarding at ABP: Parent/Carer Online Safety Advice: I would like to take this opportunity to share a fantastic resource aimed at supporting parents and guardians in our efforts to keep children safe online. The website, Skips Safety Net (www.skipssafetynet.org), offers valuable guidance and tools to help you navigate the complexities of internet safety. We highly recommend exploring the site for helpful tips and advice.



As always, if you have any questions or concerns related to safeguarding or any other school matters, please do not hesitate to reach out to us. Your feedback and involvement are essential in maintaining the safety and success of our school community.



Keeping children safe online

Parent Guides to Online Safety



A Parent's Guide to Social Media



A Parent's Guide to Sharing Pictures



A Parent's Guide to Gaming



A Parent's Guide to Online Grooming





A Parent's Guide to Live Streaming



A Parent's Guide to Online Influencers



A Parent's Guide to Fake News



A Parent's Guide to Privacy Settings






Online safety is when young people know who they can tell if they feel upset by something that has happened online.

A Big Thank You to Benems: We are thrilled to extend a big THANK YOU to Benems, a local family-owned company, for their generous donation to our school. Benems has kindly gifted us two brand new rugs, which will be used to enhance the comfort and atmosphere in two of our classrooms.



These beautiful rugs will make a big difference to the learning environment, providing a cozy and welcoming space for our students. We are incredibly grateful for their support and commitment to our school community. Thank you, Benems, for your generosity!

Congratulations – Out of school achievements! A huge congratulations to the following children for their amazing achievements outside of school:

- **Congratulations to Jonty and Kaine!** Both boys have successfully passed their recent karate grading, earning their next colour belts. In addition to this achievement, they each received a trophy in recognition of their outstanding sparring abilities. Well done, Jonty and Kaine!
- **Well done to Marley and Stanley!** Marley and Stanley have completed their first aerial climb and bravely conquered “The Ledge.” Your courage is truly inspiring—keep it up!



As always, If you would like your child's accomplishments outside of school celebrated, please send an email to the school office at admin.abp@osborne.coop, and we will do our best to include them in future newsletters.

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