



STARS OF THE WEEK

Harvey Wojcikiewicz
Mason Stobbart
Callan Thorburn
Amelia-Rose McNamara
Charlton
Emma Mudd
Lacey Lowery
Toby Dawson

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK

Our School Target is 97%
LAST WEEK: 98.4%

Nursery (Seahorses)	-96.6%
Reception (Turtles)	-98.1%
Year 1 (Jellyfish)	-100.0%
Year 2 (Puffins)	-99.2%
Year 3 (Sharks)	-98.7%
Year 4 (Penguins)	-96.0%

Well Done Jellyfish!

2021 SCHOOL DIARY

Monday 3rd May	School closed for May bank holiday
Monday 10th May	3pm-5pm—Year 1 Movie Night
Tuesday 11th May	3pm-5pm—Year 2 Movie Night
Wednesday 12th May	3pm-5pm—Year 3 Movie Night
Thursday 13th May	3pm-5pm—Year 4 Movie Night
Wednesday 19th May- Friday 21st May	Rescheduled Y4 residential visit to Robinwood
Friday 28th May	School Closes for Half Term Break (normal time)
Monday 7th June	School Reopens for Summer Half Term 2
NEW Monday 21st & Tuesday 22nd June	Year 3 Parents Evenings
NEW Mon 28th, Tues 29th, Weds 30th June	Nursery, Reception, Y1, Y2, Y4 Parents Evenings
Friday 16th July	School closes for Summer Holiday

PTA MOVIE NIGHTS (Y1-Y4) — NEXT WEEK

Our next Movie Nights are next week (see diary) We've already had lots of bookings and hope that most of the children from each class will be able to come along. The cost is £2.50 per child which includes a drink, hotdog and some sweets.

Bookings can be made by calling school or emailing:
admin@amblelinks.northumberland.sch.uk

On their Movie Night day, the children will be allowed to bring pyjamas/onesies to school with them as well as a blanket or sleeping bag and a pillow (no duvets please!) - these must be brought in ONE NAMED CARRIER BAG. At the end of the school day the children will be able to change into their pyjamas and go into the hall to watch their movie on the big screen with their friends. Children may also bring a small pack of sweets with them in their bags if they wish. Children will need to be collected from their usual doors between 4.55pm and 5.05pm. Parents will still be expected to use our one way system and continue to ensure that social distancing is adhered to during this time. If you haven't already paid please send money for movie night into school in a named envelope on the day.



PARENTS EVENINGS

We've now added provisional dates for parents evenings in the diary above. How these are arranged will be subject to government guidance that is available nearer the time. We hope that these will be face to face (with Covid precautions) but may need to revert to being by telephone or online if need be. We will offer booking slots nearer the time of these.

BOOK TOKEN COMPETITION

Parents might be interested in entering their children's artwork into a competition [HERE](#) to design book tokens. There appears to be lots of prizes on offer!



YEAR 2 TRIP OUT

To introduce their topic of 'Coastline' our Y2 Puffins ventured out of the classroom to spot some coastal features of Amble. The children did an excellent job of identifying the features and explaining if they were physical or human features. Well done Y2 for your excellent behaviour whilst out and about!

WORDS OF THE WEEK

Y1 -clamber (Maisie)
Y2 - melancholy (Cassie)
Y3-postponed (Imogen)
Y4-proximity (Alec)

Our words of the week really support the children in developing their vocabulary!

Relationship, Sex and Health Education (RSHE) Consultation

The consultation about how we deliver RSHE is still open. More information can be found on our [school website](#) which includes a video explaining more and a short form for parents to provide any feedback. Please don't hesitate to get in touch should you have any queries. There's a short video from Jane, our school nurse and the opportunity for parents to provide feedback through a brief online form. Please take the time to read the information available.

LOAN DEVICES FOR ACCESSING HOMEWORK

We have been talking to the children about the devices that they have to access the homework tasks we set each week on Reading Buddy and Doodlemaths. We are aware that some children struggle with this on the devices that they have and some are only able to access home learning via parents' mobile phones which is certainly not ideal. We have a number of laptops in school that we are able to loan out to children in order for them to complete their weekly homework more easily. If your child is struggling to access their homework please get in touch and we should be able to help. Our online homework is designed so that children should be able to complete it with very little adult support (other than encouragement!) and plays a big part in helping catch up for learning lost during lockdowns