

ACKLAM WHIN PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

Welcome back! We have had a great start back for all our children with lots of fun, memorable learning for them all. Thank you for your continued support, all our children look so smart in their school uniforms and have settled brilliantly back into their new year groups. We are also so pleased to welcome our new Nursery and Reception children-you have all been fabulous! There were some tired but very happy Reception children by Friday, last week. 😊

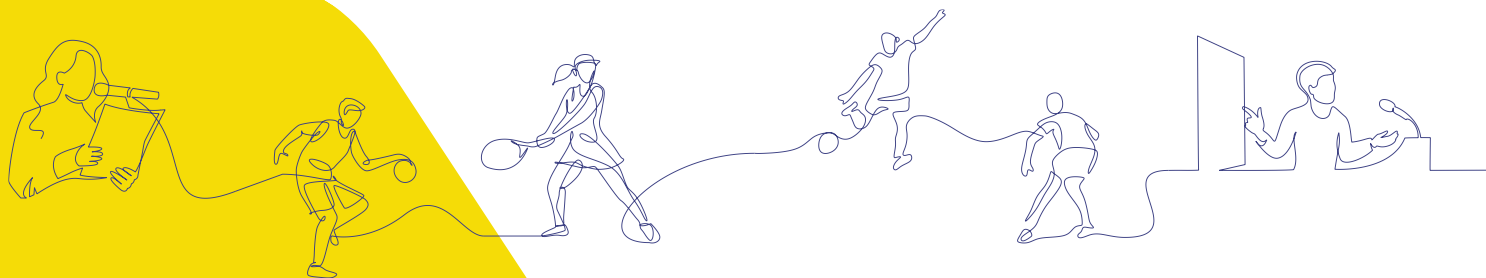


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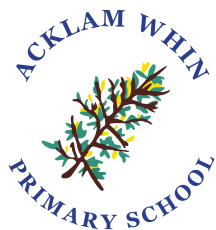
As you may have seen on X this week, we were very proud to have been awarded a Platinum Award from School Games Mark. This is a very prestigious award which can only be achieved after demonstrating many years of school's positive engagement to sport, physical activity and being active. Acklam Whin were one of only 4 schools to be awarded this Platinum Award in Middlesbrough. Many thanks to Mr Jackson and all the staff for ensuring that all our children develop their competence in a range of physical activities and are given the opportunity to engage in competitive sports and activities throughout the school year.

After school clubs/Sports clubs

Information has been sent via our app about the PE morning and after school clubs that have already started/ or will be starting from next week. TT Rockstar Clubs have started and more details about other clubs will follow shortly. Next week will see our Year 6 girls and boys taking part in a football competition and so another busy week ahead!



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Academy Update

I just wanted to give you a further update on regard to Acklam Whin becoming an academy. The consultation period for Acklam Whin to covert to become an academy and join The Legacy learning Trust ended on 3rd July. The governing body met after this date to consider any feedback and views received during the consultation from the letter shared with stakeholders in June and the outcome from the consultation was that all stakeholders are in support for the conversion to proceed. There are regular ongoing meetings with the Department of Education as the legal part of conversion process continues but I will keep you informed of any new information but please do contact me if you have any further questions about the conversion.

PD Days

Friday 25th October

Monday 6th January

Monday 21st July

(One more PD Day -date to be confirmed)

Important dates

Wednesday 2nd October-Friday 4th October- Y6 residential to Robin Wood

Friday 27th September- Break the Rules Day

Friday 18th October -Show Racism the Red Card Day- children can wear red on this day

W/B 21st October -Harvest Week- - Harvest food collection for Middlesbrough Food Bank

Tuesday 22nd October & Wednesday 23rd October-Parents Evenings

Week of 4th November-Remembrance Week

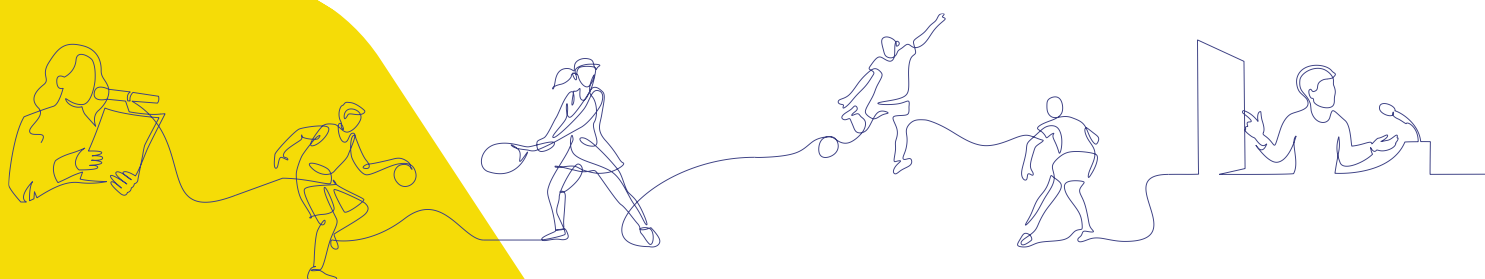
Tuesday 12th November -Anti-Bullying Odd Socks Day -children can wear odd socks

Friday 15th November -Children in Need

Thursday 28th November- Christmas Fayre

Have a great weekend.

Mrs Prince



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