



Amber-lines

12th July 2024

Dear Children,

It seems impossible that another year of learning and playing with you all has flown by and I will be turning four during the Summer holiday. Today we will be issuing school reports to you all. These should come home in a sealed envelope. Teachers take a long time writing the reports and I hope that you and your parents can recognise the year you have had and your social and academic achievements. There is a slip that should be completed to say your parents have received your report and to make any comments. This needs to be returned to the office by the end of term. If parents live at different addresses and cannot exchange reports, the report will be sent after school, by post, to the address the child is not returning to tonight. For any child who is not in today the report will be held in school until Wednesday and then be sent by post.

Summer Reading Challenge

It is really important to keep practising our reading so that we get better. The children in Dog Club have been teaching me a new word - 'wave'. If I keep practising, I'll hopefully master it for when I see you again in September. Every year Addlestone Library runs a reading challenge where children earn rewards and a certificate for reading at least six books over the Summer. Last year, Ongar Place had the third highest number of participants out of the schools in the area. It would be wonderful if we could do even better this year.



School Day

There will be a slight change to our school day from September and we will be starting five minutes earlier. Mrs Good has sent out a separate letter to your parents with more details.



Here are some of the exciting things coming up in our final week of school

Sunday 14 th July	Grange Park Opera visit
Monday 15 th July	Year 6 cinema trip and disco
Tuesday 16 th July	Nursery assembly
Wednesday 17 th July	Leavers' assembly
Thursday 18 th July	Year 6 Pool party
Thursday 18 th July	Rocksteady concert
Friday 19 th July	Last day of term – school finishes at 1.30pm (Nursery finishes at 3.00pm)

Amber RULES!

Approach me calmly from the front

Stroke my back with one hand only

Make sure I never have more than three hands on me

If I move away, leave me be

Only feed me dog treats that an adult has given you

Voting Adventures

It has been a very exciting time across the country over the last few weeks with the election and now a new government. I didn't understand everything but I enjoyed having a fuss made of me at the polling station from all of the people who had come to vote.

Dog Club

I have had a great time practising recall and playing games like hide and seek this term. The children have been very good at grooming me and even did some muzzle training with me, so I won't be scared if I ever need to wear one.

Have a wonderful Summer full of exciting adventures with your families and I look forward to seeing you all back in September.
Love from Amber

