



ASHCROFT INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL

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Newsletter

Friday 7th November 2025

Attendance

Whole school attendance for the week was 96.7% A huge well done to Hedgehog class who achieved 100% attendance. They will look after Attendance Ted next week.

Class of the Week

Well done to Fox class who had the most raffle tickets this week! They will have some extra playtime and will keep the Class of the Week trophy next week.

Children in Need

We will be raising money for Children in Need on Friday 14th November. This year’s fundraising theme is challenge yourself so we will spend the day completing some fun challenges. We are asking the children to wear something spotty and/or Pudsey themed. A link to donate will be on ParentPay next week.



Admissions to Reception and Junior School.

If your child is due to start Reception in September 2026 all applications need to be submitted online on the Staffordshire school admissions website.

Please be aware that if your child is currently attending our school nursery you will still need to apply for a place. If your child is currently in Year 2 and due to start Junior School in September 2026 all applications need to be submitted online.

Admissions for Reception and Year 3 open on 1st November and close on 15th of January 2026.

The link for admissions will be live between these dates.

<https://www.staffordshire.gov.uk/Education/Admissions-primary/Apply/Overview.aspx>

Dates for your diary

November 2025	
Tuesday 11 th	Year 1 Phonics and Reading Parent Workshop - 9-10am
Thursday 13 th	Reception Maths Parent Workshop - 9-10am
Friday 14 th	Children in Need — online donations welcome
Friday 21 st	FOA non-uniform in exchange for a bottle donation for the bottle tombola at the Christmas Fayre
Tuesday 25 th	Year 2 Phonics and Reading Parent Workshop - 9-10am
Thursday 27 th	Year 1 Maths Parent Workshop - 9-10am
Friday 28 th	FOA Christmas Fayre - 3.15pm - 4.45pm
December 2025	

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Monday 8 th	Year 1 and 2 Christmas Nativity 9:30am
Tuesday 9 th	Year 1 and 2 Christmas Nativity 9:30am
Wednesday 10 th	Christmas Stay and Play activity 9:30am – Nursery and Reception (details to follow)
Wednesday 17 th	Christmas Jumper Day – donations welcome for <i>Save the Children</i> Christmas Lunch Day (menu details to follow closer to the day)
Thursday 18 th	Christmas Party Day (in school) – children to wear party clothes
Friday 19 th	Break up for the Christmas Holiday

LUNCHTIME AT ASHCROFT INFANTS

Week Two

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Option One	Cheese & Tomato Pizza (v)	All day Breakfast	Roast Chicken with Stuffing & Gravy	Chicken Curry	Fish Fingers
Main Option Two	Mac & Cheese (v)	Vegetarian All day Breakfast (v)	Roast Quorn with Stuffing & Gravy (v)	Vegetable Curry (v)	Quorn Nuggets (v)
Veggies & Sides	Croquette Potatoes, Sweetcorn	Baked Beans, Peas	Mash & Roast Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli	Steamed Rice, Sweetcorn	Chipped Potatoes, Peas, Baked Beans
Light Bite	Beans on Toast Selection of Sandwiches	Tomato & Basil Pasta Selection of Sandwiches	Jacket Potatoes Selection of Wraps	Spaghetti on Toast Selection of Sandwiches	Tomato & Basil Pasta Selection of Wraps
Dessert	Vanilla Shortbread	Jam Sponge & Custard	Ice Cream	Chocolate Traybake	Chocolate Krispie Cakes

Allergen information for all of our dishes can be obtained by contacting the school office - 01827 213760
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