

Aberford CE Primary

Weekly Newsletter

16th January 2026

Message from Mrs Crossley

This week, children in classes 2, 3 and 4 have completed their second HSBC- Smart Money zoom lessons where each class focused on age appropriate money skills. These sessions supplement our PSHE scheme and really get the children thinking about money in a fun and exciting manner!

Class 1 children enjoyed a movement training session led by a specialist who came in to work alongside the class 1 teaching team, providing advice for classroom and outdoor provision. In Collective Worship, we are thinking about spirituality and our ACE committee and leading a project to collate the school community's ideas and understanding about this and will then be working collaboratively to embed a whole school understanding of what spirituality means to us at Aberford.

Message from the Office

Please could you ensure that the school has at least two current and up-to-date contact telephone numbers for your child. This is very important so that we are able to contact you promptly in the event of an emergency or if we need to discuss your child during the school day.

If you have recently changed your telephone number or email address, please update your contact details as soon as possible via the Arbor app. Keeping this information accurate helps us to maintain effective communication with parents and carers.

If you experience any difficulties updating your details on Arbor, please contact Mrs Goddard by sending a message on Dojo, who will be happy to assist you further.

Dates this half term:

Thursday 29th January
Friday 13th February
Monday 23rd February
Tuesday 24th February
Wed 25th February
Thursday 5th March
Thursday 12th March

Young Voices concert in Sheffield
School closes for half term
School reopens
C4 Big Dance Off
Parents Evening
World book day
C3 Skipping Competition

Attendance this week

Whole School	98.46%
Class 1	97.60%
Class 2	98.89%
Class 3	98.15%
Class 4	99.18%

Christian Values Award

C1	Zachary	For displaying our half term's value of Peace 
C2	Raffy	
C3	Jessica	
C4	Chloe	

Star of the Week	
Freddie	Jacob
Trying hard to write the first letter of his name	Excellent maths finding 1 more and 1 less
Sophie	Lexi
A fabulous start back after Christmas	A super start back after Christmas
Harriet GB	Rory
A super attitude to learning this week and trying her best	Thoughtful contributions in all subjects
Sophia	Ben
Trying really hard in English and focusing on her task	Always making excellent contributions in class discussions

Housepoints

	This week	Running total
Becca	108	47
Lotherton	73	32
Parlington	119	42
Hazlewood	94	29