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A Message from the Principal Jason Marantz

Time flies...



Dear Parents and Carers

I am writing this message to you the day before our end of term assembly. By the time you read this, we will have come together to celebrate the term, and give you, our dear parents and carers, a chance to see Ark Swift in action.

Over the past few weeks there has been a great deal of learning happening. Children have learned maths, English and many items in the foundation subjects. They have also learned from the many special events we have had including fundraising days, class assemblies, special visits and today's assembly.

There is a social aspect to learning as well. We need to sit together, study together but also become a community – a learning community. Building the swift community is one of my main aims.

Time continues to fly by. Can I take this opportunity, on behalf of all of us here, to wish you a wonderful holiday. I look forward to seeing everyone back after the holidays, ready to keep learning.

Have a great weekend and a great holiday.
Mr Marantz
Principal

ATTENDANCE NEWS

Winners of this week's attendance awards were:

1 st place:	Bristol – Year 6	99.3%
2 nd place:	Trinity – Year 6	98.6%
3 rd place:	Bangor - Year 5	97.4%

Our whole school attendance for this week was:

92.6%

Our attendance for the year to date is **95.1%** and our target for this year is **96%**, so we need to keep working towards this. Please send your children to school, **every day and on time.**

**Remember,
good attendance is linked to good progress.**



We are on a mission to get over 300 'likes' on our Facebook page.

Visit the Ark Swift Primary Academy Facebook Page

@ArkSwiftPrimary

Check out our latest news.



Fundraising for Red Nose Day

Last Friday, Ark Swift celebrated Red Nose Day in style, and raised £187. Red Nose Day is committed to stopping poverty and injustice in both the UK and Africa.

Well done Ark Swift!



Dates for your diary

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| 18 th April | Staff Training Day – NO SCHOOL |
| 19 th April | First Day of the Summer Term |
| 1 st May | Bank Holiday – No School |
| 8 th May | Edinburgh Class Assembly, 3pm |
| 8 th May – 12 th May | Year 6 SATs Week – all year 6 children must be in school |
| 29 th May – 2 nd June | Half Term |
| 7 th July | Staff Training Day – NO SCHOOL |

