

Ashbrook Infant and Nursery School

6th March 2026

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Diary Dates

March

Monday 9th Bring in chocolate donations

w/c 16th Parents Evenings, 2.00—
5.30 pm

Monday 16th Willow Tree

Tuesday 17th Elm Tree

Wednesday 18th Oak Tree

Thursday 19th Hazel Tree

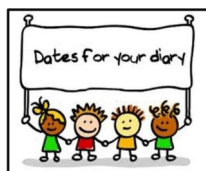
Friday 27th Chocolate Raffle Draw

Break up for Easter holidays

April

Monday 13th Return to school

Monday 20th Tigers AGM 5:15 pm



Job Advert—School Crossing Patrol

Derbyshire County Council continue to advertise the vacancy for a School Crossing Patrol on Victoria Avenue: [School Crossing Patrol - \(South Derbyshire\)](#). Please send the link to anyone you know who may be interested.

- Grade 3 £12.65 per hour
- Part Time 7 hrs, 5 mins per week—38 weeks per year (paid throughout school holidays)
- Permanent contract

No formal qualifications needed.

Easyfundraising



Fundraise for our school every time

you shop online by registering with <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk> Select Ashbrook Infant and Nursery School as your cause.

If you book a TUI holiday using this website before 31st March 2026, you will raise £125 for our school.

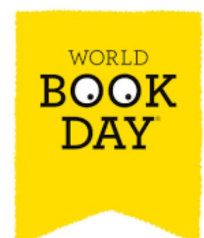
Chocolate Raffle

Student Council are raising money for resources and we need your help! We are looking for chocolate donations, which will be made into hampers as raffle prizes. Please could donations be brought in on **Monday 9th March**. Look out for raffle tickets coming home next week for you to purchase. The draw will take place in the Celebration Assembly on 27th March.



World Book Day

World Book Day has been a wonderful celebration of stories, imagination, and the joy of reading. The children arrived dressed in clothes that make them feel relaxed and comfortable when reading. Throughout the day, they enjoyed a range of activities inspired by books and storytelling. It's been a lovely reminder of how reading opens doors to creativity, curiosity, and a lifelong love of learning.



Class Attendance

Class	Weekly Attendance W/C 23.02.26	Weekly Attendance W/C 02.03.26	Attendance for Year to Date
Oak Tree	95%	100%	97.07%
Willow Tree	90.87%	98.07%	95.44%
Elm Tree	97.39%	99.52%	97.07%
Hazel Tree	92.22%	93.83%	93.88%

The class with the best attendance this week went to

OAK TREE

CONGRATULATIONS!



Attendance Matters



Reception and Key Stage 1 Celebrations!

During assemblies we are giving certificates to our children who have been chosen by their teachers for a variety of reasons. Congratulations to last week's children:

Lunchtime Superstars: Lea C, Max F, Phoebe, Izzy



We Care and We Learn: The whole of Elm Tree Class; Stella, Pearl, Eliza-Grace, Oscar G.

Since our last newsletter we have given out books to:

Olivia, Jagveer, Olivia-Rose, Harper, Jaden, Gabriele, Freddie, Izzy, Connor, Maxwell, Alfie and Rosie.

Congratulations and Happy

Reading!



Attendance Ladder



Term dates

Term dates for 2026-27 will be released to parents on Tuesday 24th March.

Parents Evenings

Parents evening letters are coming home today for children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. They will be in your child's book bag. Please contact the School Office if you did not receive one and another copy will be sent home with your child.

Student Council

Our student council is made up of six students from Year 1 and 2, who work with Mrs Hardwick on making our school a better place to learn and have fun!

Ashbrook Tigers



It's that time of year where Ashbrook Tigers appoint a new Voluntary Management Committee (VMC) from parents/carers who use the club. If this is something you are interested in, the committee roles and how to apply are below. Please let Lynne know if you need Tigers childcare in order to attend the meeting.




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13 February 2026

Dear Parents/Carers

Mark your calendars! The Ashbrook Tigers Annual General Meeting (AGM) is set to take place on Monday, 20th April, 2026 at 5:15 pm in the Nursery building at Ashbrook Infant and Nursery School.

 Tigers Needs You! 

It's that time of the year to appoint a new Voluntary Management Committee (VMC) from parents/carers who use the club. Your attendance is crucial as we require your input to keep the club thriving. **Without a VMC, our operations cannot continue.**

 Time Commitment:

Fear not! Being a part of the VMC won't consume much of your time. We meet once a term for about an hour to discuss ongoing matters and make decisions about the club's operation. If you are unable to attend in person we can set up a Teams call for the meeting.


During meetings if you need childcare then please bring children 3-11 years with you and we can pop them into our Tigers provision whilst at the meeting.

 Your Say Matters!

You don't have to take on a named role; you can simply be a parent/carer representative and actively contribute to shaping how the club is run.

 AGM Details:

Tigers will be available for use throughout the AGM from 5:15 pm to 6:00 pm. Complete the form below or reach out to Lynne for any queries.

Let's make a difference together! Looking forward to a successful AGM and seeing all of you there. Your participation is the key to our continued success! 

Swim Assessment Day

Saturday
21 March

Not sure what stage your
child needs to be in?

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