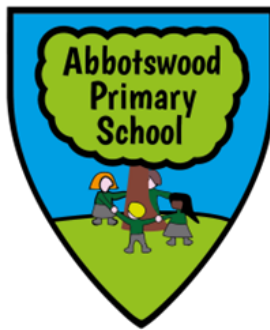


Newsletter

Week ending : 19th July 2025

Term 6 - Curiosity

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Aim High, Believe and Achieve

OUR VALUES

Responsibility
Empathy
Sense Of Pride
Perseverance
Enthusiasm
Curiosity
Teamwork

Wow, what a year we've had! We've seen so much effort, hard work and progress in all areas of the school and the icing on the cake was our successful Ofsted inspection which confirmed that we are still an amazing school and have made even more improvements since our last inspection in 2019. Huge thanks to every one of you— children, parents and staff – for all helping to make our school great.

To our Year 6's: What a joy it's been watching you grow, laugh, and absolutely smash it this year. We've loved our time with you and thoroughly enjoyed your brilliant performance of 'School of Pop' this week—who knew we had so many stars of the stage in one year group! Now you're off to new adventures. We're so proud of you, and we'll miss you. Good luck with your next steps and remember to always 'Aim High, Believe & Achieve'.

To everyone: we hope you all have a well-earned break—relax, laugh, and enjoy every minute of summer. We're already excited for September and another brilliant year ahead, ready to learn, explore, and make more memories together.

Wishing you a fantastic summer,

From Everyone @ Abbotswood.

*****SAFEGUARDING IS EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY*****

6 weeks is a long time for us not to see our children and make sure everyone is safe and well. The safeguarding of children is everyone's responsibility. If you are concerned about any child, please call the Access & Response Team at the Local Authority on 01454 866000 to share your concerns. This can be done anonymously if needed. We do look at our parent emails at points during the holiday so please continue to contact us if needed but it's unlikely you will receive a quick response so please do not rely on it for safeguarding concerns.

Last day of term

Last day of term is **Tuesday 22nd July**. All children need to be collected at **12.15pm**. We will **NOT** be serving lunch on this day.

Inset Day

Monday 1st September 2025 is an INSET day so there will be no school for your child. Term 1 starts on Tuesday 2nd September 2025.

Drop off at Breakfast Club

Please can we ask that you don't park in the staff car park when dropping off at Breakfast club. Please pull into the turning circle and drop off there. That way we can keep the traffic moving and the staff spaces clear for staff to park. If for any reason you think you will need longer to drop off please park outside and walk your child in.

Thank you for your continued co-operation.

IMPORTANT INFO

Access to classrooms in September

We have been advised by Health and Safety to change the way we access the school grounds so as from 2nd September you will no longer be able to access KS1 classrooms via the staff car park. All children who come to school via the main gates will need to enter the playground through the gates in KS2 and walk around to their classrooms in KS1. This may take a little bit longer for some so please make sure you give yourself enough time. The top gate leading into KS1 playground will still be open as normal.

Please leave all bikes, balance bikes and scooters in the bike shelter located just inside the KS2 gates. Please DO NOT ride in the playground as it is dangerous. This includes adults and younger children too. If your child comes to school on their own please make sure they know.

Naming your child's belongings!

You were recently given 5 free labels by Stikins. More labels can be ordered online by visiting www.stikins.co.uk or by calling 01270 668076 and quoting fundraising number **58**. You can have any name of your choosing, it doesn't have to be the same as the original labels you received.

All orders placed earns Abbotswood 30% commission (you must quote our number 58 for this to happen).

Please make sure ALL of your children's belongings are named before they come into school. There is more chance of lost items finding their way back to you if they have a name in. We have nearly 400 children all wearing similar clothing so as you can imagine it is a near impossible task to reunite items with their owner without a name.

Pre-loved uniform

We have lots of good quality, clean, pre-loved uniform at school just 50p or £1 an item. Please pop into the office and have a look. If your child has outgrown their uniform please feel free to exchange it for a bigger size. All we ask is that it is in good condition and has been washed.

We hope to continue this throughout the school year so are happy to take donations in September if you have a sort out in the Summer.

MyClothing
No Deadlines
Fully Stocked - We've got you covered
Use code **'SUMMER25'** at checkout*
Valid from 18th - 31st July 2025
*Offer excludes bundles, events hoodies and clearance items.

10% OFF

www.myclothing.com 0800 059 0594

The advertisement features a dark blue background with a photo of children in school uniforms on a playground. A blue starburst graphic contains the text '10% OFF'. The MyClothing logo is at the top left.

Trousers From £13.00
Skirts From £12.00
Sweatshirts From £11.00
Fleeces From £15.00
Cardigans From £11.00
Book Bags £7.00
Polo Shirts From £7.00
3 Pack from £30
Bundles from £27.99

Great Offers on Packs

MyClothing

The advertisement displays various school uniform items including trousers, skirts, sweatshirts, fleeces, cardigans, book bags, and polo shirts. A blue starburst graphic is present. The MyClothing logo is at the bottom left.

Attendance

TARGET 96%

LAST WEEK 95.4%

THIS WEEK 95.7%

Attendance Ladder

Equates to:



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FREE bus travel for kids

That's summer sorted

19 July – 5 September

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Things you may have missed recently.....

- ◆ Summer Holiday Tennis and Cricket Camps
- ◆ Staying Safe Online Workshop
- ◆ Turtle CYP
- ◆ Bikeability Courses for Summer
- ◆ Year 6 Camp expression of interest letter
- ◆ Bristol Sport Holiday Clubs
- ◆ Free Bus Travel for Children
- ◆ Stagecoach Summer School
- ◆ Yate Heritage Centre Summer Workshops
- ◆ Festival of Summer on Durdham Downs
- ◆ MyClothing discount code
- ◆ Free Adult Learning Courses

Learner of the Week and Respect Award

Barn Owls - Xxavier and Theo S

Tawny Owls - Kolby and Aurora

Hedgehogs - Alfred and Nathan

Squirrels - Olivia and Kai

Foxes - Phoebe and Quinn

Badgers - Tobenna and Issy and Kyla

Rabbits - Esme and Corey

Robins - Renee and Etta

Deer - Amelia D and Oscar

Bats - Zach and Rosie

Woodpeckers - Mikey and Adam

Otters - Liana and Sashah

Falcons - Leo and Aphrodite

Kingfishers - Orpheus and Rueben

Abbotswood Champion

Barn Owls - Lucy P

Tawny Owls - Theo

Hedgehogs - Paynton

Squirrels - Aurora

Foxes - Olivia W

Badgers - Murphy

Rabbits - Woody

Robins - Alaya

Deer - Harrison

Bats - Lily M

Woodpeckers - Josh

Otters - Poppy S

Falcons - Lola

Kingfishers - Liv

INSET DAYS AND TERM DATES

2025 - 2026

Monday 1st September 2025

Monday 20th October 2025





Monday 5th January 2026

Thursday 2nd April 2026

Monday 20th July 2026

Tuesday 21st July 2026

Term	Starts	Ends
Term 1	Monday 1 September 2025	Friday 24 October 2025
Term 2	Monday 3 November 2025	Friday 19 December 2025
Term 3	Monday 5 January 2026	Friday 13 February 2026
Term 4	Monday 23 February 2026	Thursday 02 April 2026
Term 5	Monday 20 April 2026	Friday 22 May 2026
Term 6	Monday 1 June 2026	Tuesday 21 July 2026

WC 7 th Sept, 15 th Sept, 29 th Sept, 13 th Oct, 3 rd Nov, 17 th Nov, 1 st Dec, 15 th Dec, 12 th Jan, 26 th Jan, 9 th Feb					
Week 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main course	Homemade thick crust margherita pizza (V) Oodles of noodles topped with crispy nuggets (V)	Wild west brunch  Veggie power brunch (V)	Roast turkey, stuffing and gravy  Quorn roast (V)	Chicken pie Veggie pie (V)	Fish fingers  Quiche (V)
Side 	Seasonal vegetables	Oven baked hash browns Baked beans	Roast potatoes Seasonal vegetables	Herby diced potatoes Seasonal vegetables	Chips Sweetcorn Beans
Jacket potato option	Jacket potato with cheese or tuna mayo	Jacket potato with cheese or tuna mayo	Jacket potato with cheese or tuna mayo	Jacket potato with cheese or tuna mayo	Jacket potato with cheese or tuna mayo
Dessert	Chocolate crunch	Raspberry crumble slice	Beetroot brownie	Fruit crumble and custard	Apple cupcake

WC 8 th Sept, 22 nd Sept, 6 th Oct, 20 th Oct, 10 th Nov, 24 th Nov, 8 th Dec, 5 th Jan, 19 th Jan, 2 nd Feb					
Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main course	Organic pasta macaroni cheese (V) Tacos (V)	Sausage and mash Veggie sausage and mash (V)	Roast gammon, yorkshire pudding and stuffing  Quorn roast (V)	Tasty chicken korma Vegetable korma (V)	Fish Fingers  Southern fried veggie burger (V)
Side 	Garlic bread Seasonal veg	Seasonal veg	Roast potatoes Seasonal veg	Wholegrain rice Seasonal veg	Chips Beans Seasonal veg
Jacket potato option	Jacket potato with cheese or tuna mayo	Jacket potato with cheese or tuna mayo	Jacket potato with cheese or tuna mayo	Jacket potato with cheese or tuna mayo	Jacket potato with cheese or tuna mayo
Dessert	Cherry flapjack	Sponge cake and custard	Jelly and fruit	Pancakes	Frosting topped carrot cake

Dates for your Diary

2025

Monday 21st July 2025 - Rocksteady Concert - 10am - (for parents of band members only)

Tuesday 22nd July 2025 - Year 6 Leavers Assembly

Tuesday 22nd July 2025 - **School finishes at 12.15pm** - Ice cream van will be outside main gates

Monday 1st September 2025 - INSET

Tuesday 2nd September 2025 - Term 1 starts

Wednesday 10th September 2025 - Year 6 trip to Lifeskills

Friday 3rd October 2025 - School photographer (individual photos)

Monday 20th October 2025 - INSET

Thursday 23rd October 2025 - Flu immunisations

2026

Monday 5th January 2026 - INSET

Thursday 2 April 2026 - INSET

Monday 15th June 2026 - Friday 19th June 2026 - Year 6 camp to Morfa Bay

Monday 22nd June 2026 - Friday 26th June 2026 - Year 5 swimming

Monday 29th June 2026 - Friday 3rd July 2026 - Year 5 swimming

Wednesday 1st July 2026 - Year 6 Transition to Brimsham Green

Thursday 2nd July 2026 - Year 6 Transition to Brimsham Green

Monday 20th July 2026 - INSET

Tuesday 21st July 2026 - INSET

Have a great

