

# ASH GROVE ACADEMY

## ASPIRE

### ***Events from last week w/c 13/1/20***

*\*Ash Grove Academy was named as the highest performing school in Macclesfield by Reach PLC. The article ran in last week's Macclesfield Express.*

*\*Miss Lucas launched our UNICEF Rights Respecting Initiative to the whole school in an assembly on Monday.*

*\*Tim Davies a local artist worked with Year 5 and 6 to create artwork, which will feature on a display at Macclesfield Railway Station.*

*\*Thank you to everyone who attended the SEND Breakfast event organised by Mrs Sherratt and Mrs Lisle.*

*\*Year 3 visited Macclesfield Library and thank you to all of the grown up helpers who joined us for the visit.*

*\*Year 4 had a great time at the Multi Skills Event organised by Macclesfield Academy.*

**Please check out the Ash Grove twitter feed @ashgroveacademy for updates and photos from all classes across the week.**

### **What's on in this week w/c 20.1.20**

#### **Monday**

Year 4 attending a Healthy Workshop at Macclesfield Town

#### **Tuesday**

Spelling Challenge in aid of the Christie in Macclesfield Assembly

Y5 and Y6 Netball Event at TMA

Reception Class Presentation 3pm

Football Club Starts

#### **Wednesday**

UNICEF Rights and Refreshments Workshop  
9am

#### **Thursday**

Open the Book Assembly 10am

Year 3 swimming

#### **Friday**

Change4Life SEND Event Tytherington

### **London and Madrid**

There are a number of outstanding payments due for the residential trips to London and Madrid, which are taking place in June. Although this may seem a long way off, we do need payment in advance so that we can secure the accommodation. Please do keep up to date with your payments, as this will help the office staff manage the financing of the trips. Also, please check your passports. Children will need to travel on their own passport. Make sure passports are valid for at least 6 months or apply now for a new passport. Ash Grove staff are happy to certify the children's passports and photographs. Please do not leave this until the last minute since it may mean your child cannot travel.

### **Rights and Refreshments**

Please join us in school at 9am on Wednesday for breakfast snacks. During the time, the children will be talking to you about their plans for Ash Grove to be a Rights Respecting School. The children are excited to share this with you.

### **Teacher Clubs**

There has been an amendment to the start of teacher clubs. These will start on **Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January** and will run throughout the term. On Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February, there will be a Valentines Disco from 3.30-4.30pm.

### **Parent Morning and Afternoon**

We will be holding a parents feedback morning on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> February from 8.30am and on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February from 3pm. Please do come into school on these dates to learn more about what your child has been learning about in school.

### **Parent Council**

The next meeting of the parent council will be taking place at 5.30pm on 29<sup>th</sup> January. Please do contact the representatives if you would like to raise anything general for discussion.

Beth Leech, Laura Jennings, Joanne Rimmer, Rebecca Marshall Clark, Casey Harrison, Jessica Alcock and Kirsten Hill.