

# ASH GROVE NEWS

WEEK ENDING 27.02.2026

## What's On?

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| World Book Day - Children may come to school dressed as a book character or in pyjamas | Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> March                   |
| Science Week   | W/C Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> March                 |
| KS1 Reading Morning  | Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> March 8:45am - 9:15am   |
| LKS2 Reading Morning   | Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> March 8:45am - 9:15am |
| UKS2 Reading Morning   | Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup> March 8:45am - 9:15am  |
| Year 1A Inspire Session  | Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> March 2:15pm - 3:15pm |

### STAR OF THE WEEK

Nursery - Finley F  
Reception - Poppy O  
1A - Hunter M  
1/2R - Vincent T  
2B - Alexandra A & Lewis J  
3B - Rares B  
3/4MC - Albert L  
4E - Muhammad Q  
5J - Alexis C  
6W - Freddie W

### ATTENDANCE (TARGET 97%)

**Whole School**

**93.87%**

**Compulsory School Age  
Attendance**

**94.28%**

**Winning Class**

**2B - 96.88%**



## Pupil of the Week

We loved welcoming parents/carers into our assembly today to celebrate the wonderful achievements of our Pupil of the Week. These children have been chosen for a variety of excellent reasons and we are extremely proud of them all.

## Eat Them To Defeat Them

Starting on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> March we are taking part in the Eat Them To Defeat Them campaign that encourages children to eat more vegetables. Last year 82% of parents reported that their child ate more vegetables.

<https://eatthemtodefearthem.com/>

**HOW IT WORKS**

**SCHOOLS**  
The programme starts in schools on the 2nd March with veg lessons and tasting events

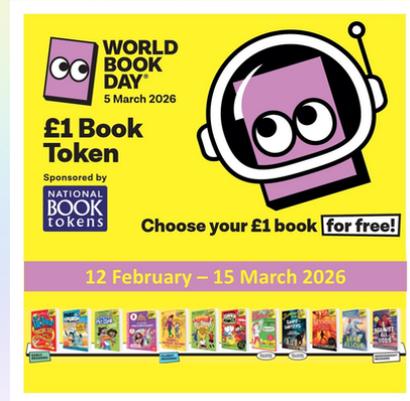
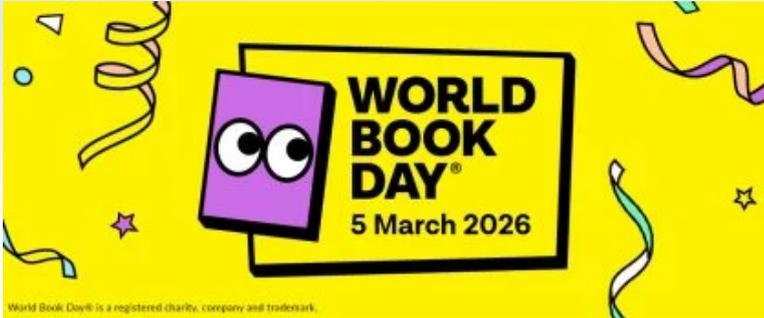
**STICKERS**  
Look out for your child coming home with a sticker when they try veg at school

**FAMILIES**  
Your school will send home a reward chart to help you turn that behaviour into lasting habits.

**CHOMPED**  
**CRUNCHED**  
**MUNCHED**  
**VEG HUNTERS**

# World Book Day

On Thursday 6th March we will be celebrating World Book Day in school. Children may come to school dressed as a book character or in pyjamas.



**FAMILY FRIENDLY WALK/CYCLE**

**DATES (SATURDAYS)**  
FEB 21<sup>ST</sup> 28<sup>TH</sup> MAR 7<sup>TH</sup> 14<sup>TH</sup> 21<sup>ST</sup> 28<sup>TH</sup>

**DAY & TIME**  
SATURDAYS FROM 2-4PM

**LOCATION (TOP CAR PARK)**  
FRICKLEY COUNTRY PARK  
CURLEW VIEW  
WF9 2FG

**BIKES & INSTRUCTORS INCLUDED!**

**FREE**

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The poster features three circular images: a tall, thin, conical sculpture in a park, a path leading through a wooded area, and an aerial view of a large green park. At the bottom, there are logos for Living Streets, Ramblers, F&A, Evergreen Active, and Cycle North.



## School Values

Over the next few weeks, we are focusing on our value of Excellence.

Please talk to your children about the definition of excellence and different ways in which they can demonstrate this value in school.

## **Excellence**

We strive for excellence by never settling for good enough and working hard to achieve wonderful work.

## **Excellence**

"Practice and persistence until it is right."

What does this mean?

Doing it over and over again until it works.

## School Values



Support



Collaboration



Excellence



Innovation

## Ash Grove Safeguarding Team



Mrs Gawthorp - HT  
DSL



Miss Bartle - DHT  
DDSL



Miss Goodwin -  
Attendance Officer  
DDSL



Mrs Maxfield -  
Learning Mentor  
DDSL



Mrs Wolstenholme -  
EYFS Leader  
DDSL



Mr Wilbor - Teacher  
DDSL



Miss Jobson - Teacher  
DDSL



Mrs Scott - SENDCo  
DDSL



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