



Franklin Times

24th May 2019

Dear Parents

Another eventful half term at Franklin comes to an end...

Spanish day was enjoyed by all yesterday, with all classes participating in Spanish dance workshops and some wonderful outfits on display.



The Foot to Foot is fast approaching on Sunday 9th June, please sign up via the office and use the justgiving link below to get family and friends to sponsor your efforts; help us build a wonderful art studio at Franklin.



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<https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/arkfranklin-artstudio>

Attendance is on an upward trend this half term after a dip in the spring, last week five classes achieved 100%, well done, Sussex, Nottingham, Manchester, Sheffield and Newcastle classes, ice lollies for you all today.

Class	%
Shanghai	97.33
Goldsmiths	93.33
Middlesex	96.55
Castilla	98.00
East Anglia	96.67
Hibernia	98.33
Royal Holloway	99.66
Leeds	96.00
Nottingham	100.00
Manchester	100.00
Otago	96.55
Exeter	97.14
Sussex	100.00
Mandela	95.00
Roehampton	96.00
Oxford	96.82
Auckland	92.96
Liverpool	99.64
Sheffield	100.00
UCL	99.13
Newcastle	100.00
Whole School	97.58

Goldsmiths, Mandela and Auckland need to work on getting above the whole school target of 96%.

Public health warning: measles is highly infectious and can lead to serious complications, there has been a recent rise in the number of cases in north London, please give serious consideration to vaccinating yourself and your child against MMR if you have not already done so.

On a personal note, last December I was asked to write a chapter for a book on developing a positive primary curriculum, the book was published this week, a proud moment (it is available on amazon ☺).



Have a wonderful half term break and we look forward to welcoming you back on Monday 3rd June at 8.30am.

**Warmest regards
Janine Ryan
Principal of Ark Franklin**

Headteacher's thought for the week:

If others can see it as I have seen it, then it may be called a vision rather than a dream.

In memory, Jenine Hull, the mother of one of our children, died three weeks ago, her funeral will be held at St John's on Tuesday 28th May at 12.30pm, followed by a celebration of her life at the William IV.

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