



Principal's message

I welcomed the Principal of a local secondary school to Ambleside yesterday, and was so proud to show him around our school. He commented on our high expectations; on the quality of our children's work; on how focussed and calm the atmosphere is; and on the vibrant and creative environment.

We know that the education of so many of our pupils was considerably disrupted during the Covid lockdown period, and we are working hard as a school community to ensure all our pupils achieve the very best outcomes in all subjects.

We started the week with a fun Halloween parade, and have ended with an explosion of colour!

I wish you all a safe and enjoyable Bonfire weekend.

Ms Bromley

Forthcoming Events

The book fair will be in school next week, please see the schedule for when your child will be able to spend their pocket money.

We have World Science day on Thursday.

Remembrance Day is on Friday - we will have some Poppy Appeal items for sale.



Phenomenal Phonics

We had a great turnout at this week's early reading workshop for parents of Year 1 and 2 pupils, and look forward to welcoming you into school to observe your children's phonics sessions on Tuesday mornings.

Ambleside Academy 2022 Results

Early Years Foundation Stage Profile (Reception cohort)

72.3% of our 83 pupils reached a Good level of Development (GLD).

Key Stage 1 Assessments (Year 2 cohort)

70.5% of our 88 pupils reached expected standard (EXS) in reading, writing, and maths combined.

Reading EXS	75%	Reading GDS	26.1%
Writing EXS	72.5%	Writing GDS	10.2%
Maths EXS	79.5%	Maths GDS	39.8%

Key Stage 2 Assessments (Year 6 cohort)

34.8% of our 82 pupils reached expected standard (EXS) in reading, writing, and maths combined.

Reading EXS	50%	Reading GDS	8.5%
Writing EXS	38.6%	Writing GDS	4.8%
Maths EXS	57.3%	Maths GDS	7.3%

Art Attack!

In the Stay and Learn sessions, some of you will have helped your children create portraits in the style of the artist illustrator Rob Biddulph. Well, the Year 2 teachers sent the work to the man himself, and he's going to publish on his social media page. Fame at last!