

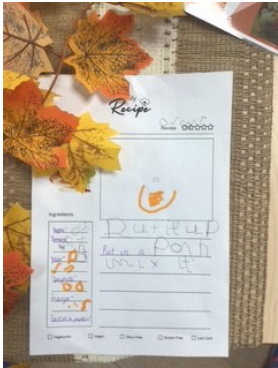
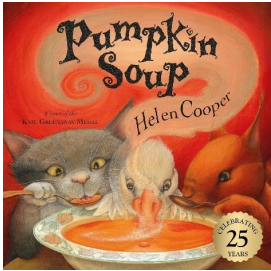


With the season of pumpkin spice here, what better way to celebrate than sharing the ingredients that we have exploring this month at Abbots Green.

Our youngest chefs in Early Years have been exploring and creating their very own Pumpkin Soup. As the story suggests, with stirring and slicing and pimpkins of salt, we have enjoyed creating our very own Abbots Green soup to enjoy with our peers. As growing writers, we have even been producing our own recipes to follow and try at home.



From rustic orange pumpkins to the rations of World War 2, this week our Year 6 historians have embarked on a World War 2 cooking challenge.



Initially, far from impressed with little sugar, eggs and simply carrot, water and flour- our Year 6 veterans learnt that with team work and an open mind, Carrot Cookies were surprisingly delicious! Immersed in their learning, pupils reminded one another, that not eating rationed goods could even result in imprisonment!



Winter Uniform

As we reach Autumn half term, please respect the Uniform Policy. Shorts are no longer acceptable school uniform until after Easter. As well as trousers, please can we ensure that skirts that are worn are an acceptable length with tights or knee high socks.

<https://abbotsgreenacademy.co.uk/uniform>

Team Shoe Box

As a Rights and Respecting School, this week in assembly we have learnt about the Teams 4u shoe box appeal . Please feel free to get involved by either bringing in an item to support our class shoeboxes or even creating your own. Details on equipment can be found attached to this weeks newsletter.

As a school, our Safety Squad have already started preparing our shoeboxes for delivery.



Toys

It has been brought to our attention that many pupils are deciding to bring toys such as fidgets and football cards into school. We do not expect children to bring in any items from home other than those that are required for a school day. Not only are these distracting but also bring a risk of being lost or swapped.



A TASTE OF AUTUMN AT ABBOTS GREEN



The most lavish of flavours however, have been spotted in New Zealand, Singapore and Portugal. As lovers of Greek food, pupils have enjoyed trying new flavours and textures as they created their own Mezze Bowls. Not only are these packed full of flavour and nutrition but an ideal opportunity to eat a rainbow! Why not try and create your very own over the half term break.

<https://healthyfamilyproject.com/recipes/rainbow-buddha-bowl/>



With Autumn creating such a stir throughout our school, it seems timely to recognise the joy that we have all found exploring our grounds during the season of change.

As a school, we're

proud of the outdoor learning experiences that our children have, working collaboratively with nature to extend our learning beyond the classroom.

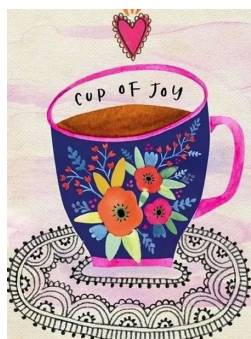


With bulbs now planted in preparation for the Spring, we can look forward to the extra hour that we all need as the clocks change this weekend.

With our first half term complete- let's now rest and enjoy a cup of hot chocolate, similar to the one that our outdoor learners have enjoyed this half term.

Not just a cup of chocolate, but the warmth, joy and reflections of the ingredients that we have all enjoyed here at Abbots Green.

Have a wonderful, restful half term break!



Attendance

As we reach half term our school attendance is 96.7%- this is above the National Average. Israel class are our current champions with 98.1%- Wow!



Anti Bullying week

After half term we will be joining together to share the importance of Anti Bullying week. As an Abbots Green tradition this is recognised by wearing odd socks for the week! Mrs Morrison will be launching this in assembly on Monday 10th November- feel free to jump on board.



Children in Need

We have an action packed first week back including Children in Need on Friday 14th November. With a spot themed tuck of 50p each (more info to follow)

children will also be invited to wear non uniform or Pudsey merchandise.



Think Pink

You may have spotted many of our staff members wearing pink today! As a staff team we have come together to support Breast Cancer Awareness, fundraising through pink non uniform and a pink sweet treat to celebrate the end of term with pride.



If you would like to make a donation please visit

https://www.justgiving.com/page/emily-sadler-mum?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=WA

We look forward to welcoming you back to school on Monday 10th November!