

Ashdon Primary School

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Wedding Bells Ringing in Ashdon...and South Africa:

Before the Easter holidays, the staff and children from Ashdon Primary organised a fantastical Wedding Celebration for me, before I left for South Africa to get married. I was gobsmacked by all the effort that went into arranging this thoughtful event. Personalised bunting was made by every child in the school, along with loads of balloons in the colours similar to the colours of the wedding that was going to take place in South Africa.

Mr. O'Sullivan, one of the main wedding planners, not only printed personalised napkins and blew up loads of balloons but he also baked a delicious wedding cake for the celebration! Children read lovely speeches; Mrs. Henry made scrumptious wedding biscuits and staff served all the 'guests' during the wedding celebration dinner! The PTA then organised a wedding disco for all the staff and children to boogie the afternoon away. Not many headteachers can say that they received this from their parents, staff and children. I am so incredibly grateful!

Thank you to everyone that made this so incredibly special for me!

We did try to recreate the same standards seen at the Ashdon celebration in South Africa, but we just could not meet the fantastic standards the staff and children created at Ashdon. We tried our best though! I have had lots and lots of children and staff asking what my name will be, going forwards. There is not that much of a difference luckily! I will be known as Mrs. Reynecke-Raybould, but children/parents can call me Mrs. Raybould.

















IMPORTANT DATES AND EVENTS:

- FRIDAY 26TH APRIL @ 09:15 CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY
- · FRIDAY 3RD MAY @ 09:15 CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY
- · MONDAY 6TH MAY ASHDON FUN RUN
- FRIDAY 10TH MAY NO CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY
- MONDAY 13TH MAY KS2 SATS ENGLISH GRAMMAR, PUNCTUATION AND SPELLING (PAPER 1 & 2)
- . TUESDAY 14TH MAY KS2 SATS ENGLISH READING
- WEDNESDAY 15TH MAY KS2 SATS MATHEMATICS (ARITHMETIC PAPER 1 & REASONING PAPER 2)
- THURSDAY 16TH MAY KS2 SATS MATHEMATICS REASONING (PAPER 3)
- FRIDAY 17TH MAY @ 09:15 CELEBRATION ASSEMBLY
- THURSDAY 23RD MAY END OF SUMMER TERM 1
- TUESDAY 4TH JUNE START OF SUMMER TERM 2

Attendance Winners!

First Place: Class 2 (98.9%)

Second Place: Class 3 (97.4%)

Third Place: Class 1 (90.2%)

Congratulations Class 2; you can have an extra 10 minutes playtime next Friday!! Well done!