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## Class Ambassadors

Inspired by the words **'If we're kind and polite, the world will be right'** as said by Aunt Lucy to Paddington, the whole Paddington Green community is currently practising improving the skills associated with politeness and respect further. In assembly last week, Katarine Deeks launched a new scheme to develop class ambassadors, which is common practise in other Ark schools. Each class ambassador must be able to model exemplary manners, confidently greet visitors and explain the learning take place in a lesson, as well as expressing appreciation on trips. The children are working hard to use the words *please, thank you, excuse me* and *sorry*, but also to give compliments and improve the quality of our morning greetings and end of day farewells. The whole staff team will be observing the children over the coming weeks to decide which child in each class should be offered the honour of being the class ambassador.



## Home Learning Workshops

The tables in the next column show the attendance of parents and carers at our Home Learning Workshops and Parents' Evenings this month. The APG team work hard to ensure these meetings are well planned, provide families with regular updates on children's progress and offer useful recommendations and guidance on how best to support children to make progress. Thank you for the fantastic turnout at both events and your enduring commitment to the children's education. It has been a real boost for the APG team to receive gratitude and positive feedback on the impact of changes that parents

and carers have made at home. It is a special feeling when the communication between school and home is so strong that children are able to excel.

### Home Learning Workshops

Parent/carer attendance		
Year Group	% attendance	
Year 6	45/46	98%
Year 5	24/26	92%
Year 4	34/34	100%
Year 3	27/27	100%
Year 2	29/30	97%
Year 1	20/20	100%
Reception	26/26	100%
Nursery	27/27	100%

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Year 6	45/46	98%
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## Paddington Bear illustrations

To mark Michael Bond's memorial, the children have explored the styles of the different illustrators that have drawn and painted Paddington. Look out for some of our Art teacher, Mariam Rahim's favourite creations. This wonderful illustration was created by Jemimah in Y1.



