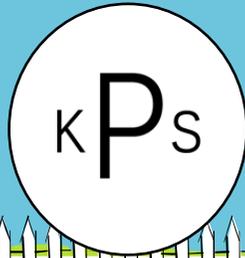


KEYWORTH PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Friday 15th November 2019

Important dates for the diary - Autumn Term 2019

Autumn Term 1		Autumn Term 2	
18.09.19	Reception reading and phonics workshop	28.10.19	Children return to school
24.09.19	Year 6 secondary school transfer meeting	05.11.19	Years 3 and 4 English workshop
25.09.19	KS1 English/Phonics workshop	07.11.19	Individual child photos
26.09.19	Reception only - Early Years Celebration Day	06.11.19	Years 5 and 6 English workshop
30.09.19	Years 3 and 4 Maths workshop	07.11.19	Early Years Celebration Day - Maths
01.10.19	KS1 Maths workshop	11.12.19	KS2 concert at 2:30pm
02.10.19	Years 5 and 6 Maths workshop	12.12.19	School closed - Polling Day
03.10.19	Reception Maths workshop	13.12.19	Winter Fair at 3:30pm
15.10.10	Parents Evening and art exhibition	16.12.19	Reception nativity at 9:45am
16.10.19	Parents Evening and art exhibition	17.12.19	KS1 concert
18.10.19	Last day of school	18.12.19	Nursery Sing Along at 9:15am
Half Term - 21.10.19 to 25.10.19		19.12.19	Last day of school (2:00pm finish)
		Full Term - 20.12.19 to 03.01.19	
		07.01.20	Children return to school at 8:55am

Please note, while we try our best to ensure that the above dates are accurate, they may be subject to change so please ensure you refer to the school website, letters sent home and the weekly newsletter. Or, contact the office.

Celebrations

Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week
1PH	Forry Forry	Alev	Stephanie
1BH	Ismail	Naiyah	Zainab
2MV	Oliver	Joshua	Lysander
2TA	Majid	Ama	Glenn
3MB	Sophia	Nihal A	Nhal J
3KW	Shayla	Kiahya-Rae	Shanitah
4JB	Keira	Ximena	Emilia
4CS	Issa	Adam	Aisha
5JA	Jordan	Kymani	Rawda
5JG	Valentinne	Annabel	Hawyer
6JA	Ayelen	Daniel W	Tyreese
6MC	Mehrun	Khalil	Albert

This week's gem winners are....

Emeralds

This week's treasure chest winners are....

2MV and 6MC

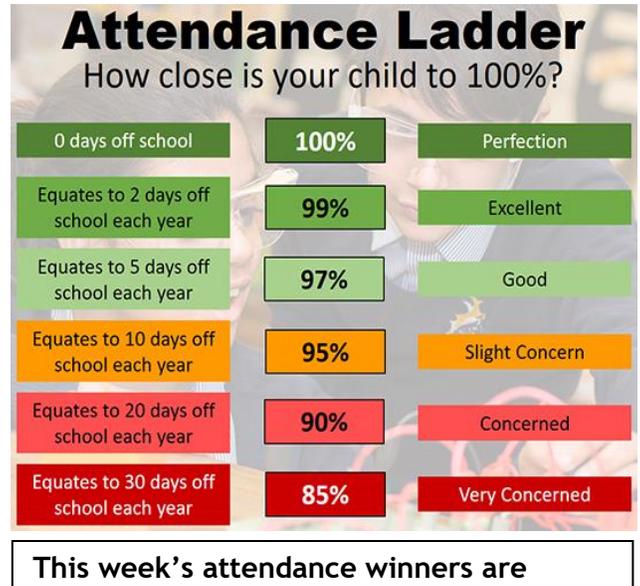
Attendance

A child's attendance to school has an enormous impact on their learning.

The Department for Education (2016) found: "*The higher the level of absence from school the lower the likely level of attainment (children's grades).*"

Please ensure that your child/children attend school as regularly as possible.

Class	Attendance
1PH	96%
1BH	95.98%
2MV	92.79%
2TA	96.89%
3MB	98.49%
3KW	97.22%
4JB	98.41%
4CS	95.9%
5JA	98.87%
5JG	95.11%
6JA	95.41%
6MC	96.58%
Whole school	95.53%
Target	96%



Latest News

The Sun newspaper - FREE books for school

Schools across Britain have been signing up for *The Sun* newspaper's **Books for Schools Initiative**. *The Sun* newspaper are giving away 12 million books to schools. Keyworth Primary has now registered but we need parents help to collect 3,500 tokens from the *The Sun* and *The Sun on Sunday* between November 23rd and January 18th 2020 to claim the free bundle of books. The titles are from the Big Cat book scheme which is the one we predominantly use in school. Each delivery contains 105 brilliant fiction and non-fiction titles. This amount of books would usually cost the school over £700. Please look out for newspapers and please help us collect the tokens. We will put a token box in the school office for you to drop your collected tokens in to. Thanks for your support.

Book Fair reminder

The book fair will be visiting Keyworth from **Tuesday 19th November to Monday 25th November**. You can visit the fair in the lower hall between **3:30pm and 4:00pm**. The school receive a selection of FREE books depending on how much money is raised by the book fair.

Nursery Sing Along

Nursery will be holding their own sing along performance this year on **Wednesday December 18th**. This will be held in the Nursery classroom and will start after drop off at 9.15am.

If your child attends the afternoon session they are invited to come to the morning session and can be picked up at lunch time.

A reminder will go out from Nursery staff nearer the time.

New federation website

We have created a new *Bessemer and Keyworth Federation* website. This includes updated class pages, school policies and resources. You can access the website using the following email address:

<http://bessemerandkeyworthfederation.co.uk>

Spelling support

If you would like to further support your child's spelling at home, the following websites have interactive activities that can be used on a desktop or tablet:

<https://spellingframe.co.uk/>

<http://www.ictgames.com/mobilePage/lcwc/index.html>

Year 4 times table test

As we have previously mentioned, all children in year 4 will need to complete an online times table check in June 2020 for times tables up to 12x12. Times table recall is essential for all children in KS2 to do well in Maths. More information can be found on the website below:

<https://www.theschoolrun.com/new-primary-school-times-tables-tests-explained>

The following website has some useful, interactive games:

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/7-11-years/times-tables>

Wishing you a lovely weekend!

Ray and Sarah