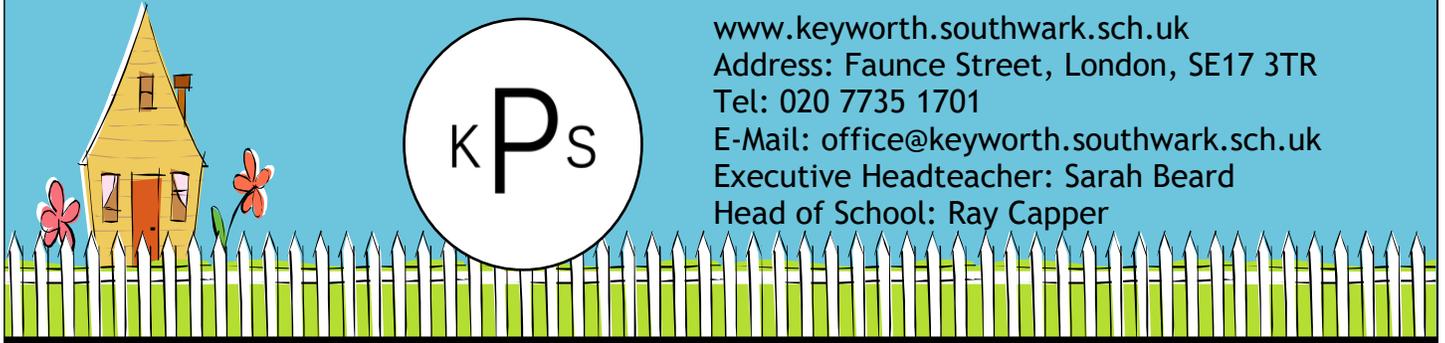


KEYWORTH PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Celebrations

Class	Star of the Week	English Expert of the Week	Mathematician of the Week
RCC	Skailar	Anniya	Ashley
RSP	Malik	Erick	Jeremiah
1CT	Noah	Sumayah	Nora
2PH	Javel	Omobolaji	Erin-Rose
2TA	Mohammed	Meriem	Stephanie
3JG	Adjoa	Suleyman	Daybel
3BH	Annabel O	Sara	Gabriella
4JA	Shayla	Ezekiel	Nathaniel
4MV	Seham	Aya	Jeremiah
5JB	Isatu	Gracie	Nicolas
5CS	Soumya	Eliab	Charley
6JA	Adam S	Eliana	Georgia
6MK	Nibras	Franklin	Taheem

Google classroom attendance awards

Congratulations to our 3 medalists. Which class will have the best *Google classroom* attendance next week?



1CT



6MK



5CS

Latest News

Half-term

A reminder that Keyworth closes today for half-term. This is for both the remote learning and in-school provisions; both of which will resume on **Monday 22nd February**. We look forward to seeing you again then.

Tutorial Day - postponed

On Keyworth's *term dates* document, it shows that we had originally planned to hold a *Tutorial Day* on Thursday 25th February. As a result of the current situation, we will be rearranging this for another time later in the year meaning that Keyworth will now be open on this date to children who are accessing in-school provision.

Fun in the snow

It has been a cold week, but the children were able to at least have some fun in the snow.



Express Yourself

Last week, we were raising awareness of mental health with the message of encouragement for individuals to “express yourself”. It is really important that we all continue to implement some of the ideas and strategies discussed during *Children's Mental Health Week* and all take care of both our physical and mental wellbeing. As a part of the week, we wanted to create a community video of children, staff and parents/carers expressing themselves in different ways. I am pleased to reveal Keyworth's community expressing themselves and expressing themselves some more...

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qHwjNzWLWlQ&feature=youtu.be>



Further information about managing our mental health can be found on the links below:

- <https://maudsleycharity.org/familiesunderpressure/> (South London and Maudsley);
- <https://www.annafreud.org/on-my-mind/self-care/> (self-care resources and activities);
- https://advice.actionforchildren.org.uk/?gclid=Cj0KCQiAyJOBbDCARIsAJG2h5eIEyaqN4X7Ze54w9uzYzckLnX0W_3Hfp6iVFqD1yObY_MXPWRwMaAug7EALw_wcB (talk to a family support worker).

Improving our local area - KS2 activity

Last year, Keyworth's *School Council* worked with *Sustrans* (a walking and cycling charity) to think about ways to make the local area more child-friendly. This included designing their dream child-friendly streets and accompanying representatives from Sustrans around the local area to discuss what it is like living here. During the upcoming half-term, the charity have asked for Keyworth children in KS2 to provide further ideas. Attached to this email is the 'Child-friendly Newington - half-term challenge' document. Sustrans have asked the following of the children:

Please complete the **Half Term Challenge** with your parent/carer over the half-term break and send to Annie at annie.miller@sustrans.org.uk by **Friday 26th February**.

Be as imaginative and creative as you like when thinking about how the streets could be different. Thank you for your help! We look forward to seeing your thoughts and ideas!

Thank you to our Faunce Street neighbours

As I have mentioned previously, our neighbours on Faunce Street have made frequent donations of food items and other essentials to the school for us to distribute to some of our families who have needed support during lockdown. We wanted to thank them:



Safer Internet Day

On Tuesday, it was *Safer Internet Day*. In these times of mass remote learning, it is even more important that children and their parents/carers are well-informed in relation to how to keep safe online.

Below you will find information aimed at parents/carers:

- <https://www.internetmatters.org/schools-esafety/parent-online-support-pack-teachers/>
- <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>

Below you will find interactive resources aimed at children:

- <https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/>
- https://beinternetawesome.withgoogle.com/en_us/interland

Southwark Libraries - reminder

Southwark Libraries have some bookable public events for families during the coming weeks:
<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/o/southwark-libraries-31301049255>.

Unicorn Theatre - reminder

During the Covid-19 pandemic, the *Unicorn Theatre* is proud to support primary and secondary learning with digital theatre and teaching resources, free to access online.

- [Anansi the Spider Re-Spun](#) for Reception - Year 2 (available until 31 Mar 2021)
- [Philip Pullman's Grimm Tales](#) for Year 4 - Year 7 (available until 31 Mar 2021)
- [Huddle](#) for Nursery - Year 1 (available until 31 Mar 2021)
- [Roald Dahl's The Twits](#) for Year 2 - Year 7 (available until 3 Mar 2021)

I would like to wish all of the staff, children and families of Keyworth a safe and wonderful half-term. Thank you again for all of your support of the school.

Ray Capper
Head of School



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