

KEYWORTH PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Friday 16th July 2021

Important dates for the diary - 2021

Summer Term 2		Autumn Term 1, 2021-22	
07.06.21	Children return	01.09.21	INSET day
15/16.06.21	School photos	02.09.21	Children return
21.06.21	Festival of Sport	21.10.21	Last day of term
01.07.21	New uniform on sale	22.10.21	INSET day
07.07.21	Year 5 parent/carer workshop	01.11.21	Children return
12.07.21	Festival of Music		
22.07.21	Last day of term		

Celebrations

Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Reader of the Week
RCC	Isa	Elise	Jake	Luky
RSP	Zahara	Elise	Zahara	Adam

Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week
1CT	Camelhi	All of 1CT	All of 1CT
2PH	Shay	Omobolaji	Lillie
2TA	Maddie	Naiyah	Lucas
3JG	Kenza	Jawdan	Suleyman
3BH	Gabriella	Lucretia	Sara
4JA	Zainab	Nathaniel	Maryama
4MV	Cecilia	Zineddine	Shanitah
5JB	Domenica	Emilia	Bryony
5CS	Emelia	Antonio	Darijus
6JA	Suud	Danisile	Mikel
6MK	All of year 6	Josh	Nibras and Hawyer

This week's gem winners are....	Sapphires
This week's treasure chest winners are...	2TA and 3JG

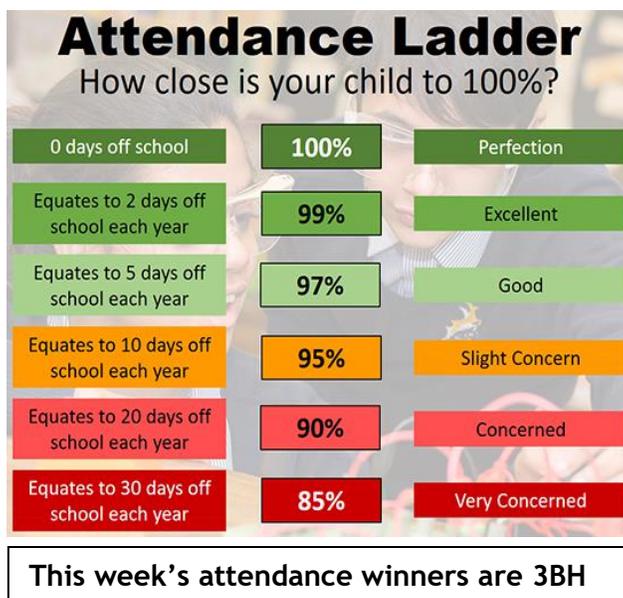
Attendance

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/ren attend school as regularly as possible.

Class	Attendance
1CT	93.8%
2PH	84.47%
2TA	92.05%
3JG	94.66%
3BH	97.37%
4JA	97.35%
4MV	96.89%
5JB	96.86%
5CS	90.87%
6JA	94.89%
6MK	92.63%
Whole school	93.96%
School target	96%



Latest News

Staffing 2021-22

On Tuesday you will have received your child/ren's report/s as well as being informed of who their teacher/s will be in September. Below you will see our full teaching staffing for September:

Senior Leadership Team	
Executive Headteacher	Sarah
Head of School	Ray
Deputy Headteacher - Teaching and Learning	Jaime
Deputy Headteacher - Inclusion	Kristin
Assistant Headteacher - Years 3 and 4	Miri
Assistant Headteacher - Years 5 and 6	Jason

Class	Teacher	Support Staff
Little Stars	Laura and Rebecca	
Nursery	Tina	Corriene
RCC	Chloe	Anna, Esther and Liv
RSP	Shan	
1CT	Claire	Michelle, Yasmin, Dorett and Yolanda
1AJ	Abbie	
2PH	Phoebe	Jaz and Donna
3MK	Miri	Moynul and Kath
3CS	Carolina	
4JA	Jo	Marcia
4MV	Melissa	
5JG	Jason	Demi and Sandra
5BH	Beth	
6JB	Josh	Luigi
6JA	Javi	

On Monday, the children will be given the opportunity to meet their new teachers and support staff.

Goodbye to staff

As the end of the school year approaches, I must share with you several Keyworth goodbyes.

Our Play Therapist Jessica Swift will be heading back to university to complete a Masters Degree in family therapy. Theresa Appleby will be leaving to take on a new role in another school as a class teacher and Maths Coordinator. I would like to wish them every success in the future and to thank them for their efforts throughout their time here at Keyworth.

Reception bubble

All children and staff in Reception will be able to return to school on **Monday 19th July**.

Next week's activities/events

Please find below a summary of next week's key events:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Children to meet their new staff.	New Reception classes 2021 'stay and play', 3:45pm.	Winning gem park trip a.m. Class parties p.m. Year 6 graduation (2:00pm) Year 6 BBQ (3:30pm - 5:30pm) New Reception classes 2021 'stay and play', 3:45pm.	Annual prize winners' assembly Last day of term (normal finish)

Festival of Music

This week was our *Festival of Music*. The children developed their knowledge and skills around musical appraisal, instrument types, famous artists, music from around the world and body percussion.



Nursery enjoying their music workshop.

Year 4 music project - Eastside

This term, year 4 have been working on a singing project with *Eastside*. You can find their full performance by clicking on the following link:

<https://www.eastside.org.uk/southwark-creative-schools-celebration-webpage/>

Southwark's Summer of Food and Fun

During the summer holiday, Southwark Council will be hosting *Southwark's Summer of Food and Fun*. They are partnering with local holiday club providers across the borough to provide an exciting programme of meals and activities for children and young people in the local community.



Free places are available for children between the ages of 4 and 16 years, who are eligible for free school meals.

The programme wants to give local families access to free, healthy food and fun activities over the summer holiday. Each programme will provide:

- Free, healthy and tasty food;
- Fun physical activity sessions;
- A wide range of other activities to suit different ages and personalities;
- Opportunities to learn more about food and nutrition for children and families.

Details about the programme are available at www.southwark.gov.uk/foodandfun.

Please note that Southwark Council will also be running holiday clubs during the Christmas school holidays. You can visit the website above nearer the time to find out more.

Food vouchers for the summer holiday

We have just received details from Southwark Council that they are going to fund food vouchers to families entitled to benefits-related free school meals during the summer holiday. Please look out for details of this in an upcoming email.

Keyworth's Google Reviews - HELP NEEDED!

Something that has been irritating me for some time are the reviews of Keyworth on Google. If you were to type in to Google our school name and click on the reviews, you would think that this is an appalling school that is terrible at teaching children and does not care about its families. There are of course several lovely comments which I am grateful for, but overall I do not feel that the reviews provide a fair reflection of our school and I am sure that almost every family at Keyworth would agree with me, or else their child/ren would not be sent here.

These reviews have meant that Keyworth is sometimes not considered as an option as a school for some families. We are continually trying to raise the profile of Keyworth in the local community to make everyone aware that Keyworth is doing great and should be considered as an option for anyone looking for a primary school.

In regularly speaking to parents/carers, I hear lots of amazing things about our school, which gives me a lot of pride about working here, and all I ask is that our online profile matches the reality of what is being said at the school gates. If anyone could take the time and is willing to add these comments to the review section of Google, I would really appreciate it.

Southwark Presents

This summer in Southwark, there are many activities and events taking place that you can take part in. For further information, click on the link below:

[Events - Southwark Council](#)

Family room - FREE art workshops

At the end of this newsletter, you will find further details of artist-led art workshops for families.

School packed lunches

In the table below, you will see the days next week when children will be provided with a packed lunch. On all other days they will be provided with a hot lunch. A reminder that you can find the hot lunch menu on the school website.

Packed lunches provided by the school – w/b 19.07.21					
Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
12:00 – 12:30	Year 2	Year 1	Year 2	Year 1	
12:30 – 1:00	Year 4	Year 3	Year 4	Year 3	
1:00 – 1:30	Year 5	Year 6	Year 5	Year 6	



Keyworth Primary School stands against racism and all forms of discrimination.

Wishing you a lovely weekend!
Ray Capper
Head of School

Free artist-led, drop-in
workshops for families
— come and get drawing!

Saturdays
and Sundays
10^{am} — 1^{pm}

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FAMILY STUDIO

MEERA SHAKTI OSBORNE	Sat 17 — Sun 18 Jul
AMY LEUNG	Sat 24 — Sun 25 Jul
RITA EVANS	Sat 31 Jul — Sun 1 Aug
HALIMA AKHTAR	Sat 7 — Sun 8 Aug
JOY YAMUSANGIE	Sat 14 — Sun 15 Aug

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