

Keyworth Primary School Newsletter



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Important dates for the diary

Autumn Term 1		Autumn Term 2	
12.10.21	Parents Evening 1	01.11.21	Children return
13.10.21	Parents Evening 2	09.12.21	Early Years Celebration Day
21.10.21	Last day of term	17.12.21	Last day of term
22.10.21	INSET day	20.12.21-03.01.22	Full-term
25.10.21-29.10.21	Half-term	04.01.22	INSET day

Celebrations

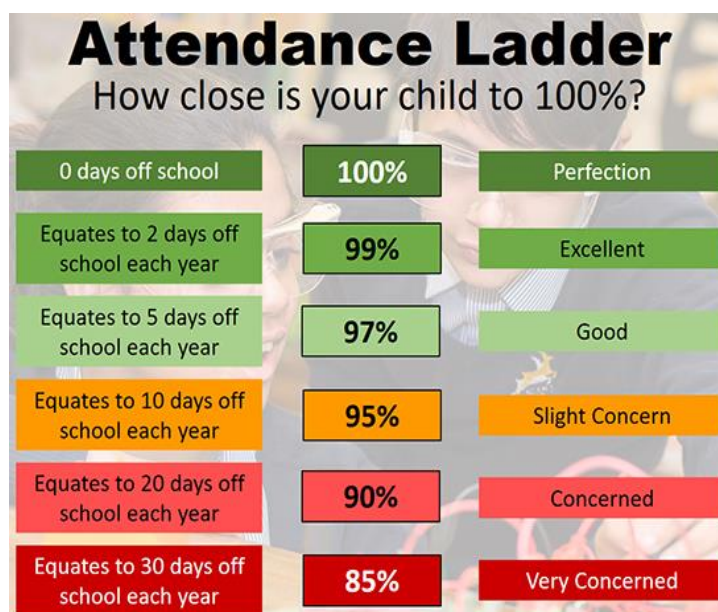
Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Reader of the Week
RCC	Sebastian	Nasir	Neveah	Davena
RSP	Freya	Sade	Yaqub	Ryan

Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Presenter of the Week
1CM	Nate	Zahara	King	Matias
1AJ	Naila	Jeremiah	Yasir	Jake
2PH	Amira	Kieron	Jahmorei	Nora
3MK	Mohamed	Tyler	Alev	Angel
3CS	Sheray	Sammy	Kevin	Ridwaan
4JA	Qhalil	Kiara	Mahdi	Lysander
4MV	Suleyman	Taqwa	Kenza	Dylan
5JG	Nathaniel	Yacine	Shayla	Leah
5BH	Benite	Sara	Zach	Cecilia
6JA	Barkat	Beyonce	Duan	Jayden
6JB	Harvey	Teyo	Chloe	Lexie

This week's gem winners are....	Rubies
This week's treasure chest winners are...	1CM, 5BH and 6JB

Attendance

Class	Attendance
RSP	97.31%
RCC	96.33%
1CM	89.9%
1AJ	97.96%
2PH	92.86%
3MK	93.75%
3CS	98.49%
4JA	96.98%
4MV	93.91%
5JG	97.58%
5BH	99.07%
6JA	97.61%
6JB	96.93%
Whole school	95.71%
School target	96%



This week's attendance winners are 5BH

Latest News

Safeguarding - mobile phones in school

While we discourage children bringing mobile phones in to school, we know that sometimes they need them to contact family members when arriving to and leaving school. Children are not allowed to use their phones in school, including the playground, as this is a safeguarding concern with them potentially putting themselves and other children at risk. We have reminded the children in school that phones should be switched off and then handed in to their class teacher.

This term, I have seen some inappropriate content on WhatsApp and Roadblocks either viewed by children or written/shared by children. What has been encouraging is that on each occasion other children have reported this to the school, although I am certain that there is far more of this content that has not been reported. Please continue to check your child/ren's phones and social media content, as well as reminding your child/ren to report to you should they see inappropriate material.

If you do see any inappropriate material, please report it to the school and one of our safeguarding leads will look into the matter further - all of us as a school community have a duty to keep the children safe.

Further support for parents/carers:

- <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>
- <https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/>

Parents Evening - reminder

Our Parents Evenings for most classes will take place on **Tuesday 12th and Wednesday 13th October** (not 4JA or 6JA - to be rearranged). If you have not booked an appointment yet, please do so on *Magicbooking* or by contacting the school office.

Reception Celebration Days

Reception would like to say a big thank you to all the parents/carers that contributed food for Keyworth's *Ourselves and Others Celebration Day* - the event was a success and all the children enjoyed themselves! We would also like to thank those parents/carers that read a story or sang a song in another language with the children.



Drop off and collection - smoking and dogs

A few requests:

- If smoking, please do so well away from the school gates so that the children and other parents/carers do not have to inhale passive smoke.
- If you bring your dog on the school run, please be mindful that not everyone loves dogs and some children are scared of them, so again please stay well away from the gates.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Mary Farley - retirement

Today, we formally said goodbye to Teaching Assistant Mary, who is retiring after almost 27 years working at Keyworth. We would like to thank Mary for all of her efforts with the children over the years and wish her an enjoyable retirement.



Parent workshops - reminder

As a reminder to all parents/carers, our senior leaders have been working hard to prepare virtual workshops for you with key information about school and how you can support at home. Please take time to look at the relevant workshop/s (all year groups will have been updated and sent to you by half-term) and contact your child/ren's teacher/s

should you have any queries or questions. You can access all workshops on our school website and by following the link below:

<https://keyworth.southwark.sch.uk/parent-workshops/>

Baby news...

Congratulations to teacher Javi who has become a father for the very first time. On 2nd October at 4:45am he welcomed Eric Amor who weighed in at 3.1kg (6lb 8oz) - mother and baby are doing well. Here Javi and Eric are alongside another new Keyworth father Jo and his son Ezra who was born a few weeks ago... how cute!



Black History Month

Below you will find events taking place in an around Southwark to celebrate Black History Month:

<https://www.southwark.gov.uk/events-culture-and-heritage/search?c=262>

Parent Zone Local

Parent Zone Local is a new programme that will offer comprehensive and FREE support, advice, and resources to any parents and families that need it in regards to online safety and digital resilience. Using the website link below, you can find out about upcoming parent webinars, explore the resources and parent guides, as well as book an appointment to discuss any specific concerns/questions that you may have about your child/ren being online:

<https://www.pzlocal.org.uk/>

World Mental Health Day

On Sunday it is World Mental Health Day. With that in mind, I thought I would re-share support offered to parents/carers by The *Evelina London School Nursing Service*, which supports families in Southwark and Lambeth with all things related to children's health. You can find further information on the flyer below and/or by clicking on the website link:

Dear Parent/Carer,

We would like to take this opportunity to introduce the Evelina London School Nursing Service.

During these unsettling times, as a parent/carer of a child(ren) at school you may be worried about your child's health and wellbeing and be unsure about how to get the help you need.

School nurses are here to help, we work in teams across Southwark and Lambeth and you can contact us for confidential advice and support on a wide range of issues.

Please let us know if your child has medical or physical and/or emotional health needs that they need support with.

We are able to discuss your child's needs and see children:

- Face to face in school
- Face to face in a health centre
- Text
- Telephone
- Virtually
- Home visit

For advice and support please contact the School Nursing Service:

Text: If you need advice or support regarding your child, you can confidentially text a school nurse on **07520 631 130**. Texts will only be seen Monday to Friday, 9am-5pm (excluding bank holidays).

You can find out more on [w: www.evelinalondon.nhs.uk/parentline](http://www.evelinalondon.nhs.uk/parentline)

**If you are a
parent or carer**

**You can text a
school nurse on
07520 631 130**

We aim to reply to you within one working day and you should get an immediate message back to confirm we have received your text.

If you need help before you hear back from us, contact your GP, nearest walk-in centre or dial 111.

Telephone: You can call the School Nursing Central Hub: **tel: 020 3049 4777**, Monday to Friday, 9am-5pm (excluding bank holidays).

In an emergency, call 999 or go to your local Emergency Department (A&E)

Your information

We might inform someone if we are concerned about your child's safety, or the safety of someone else, but we would usually try to speak to you first. Your information is stored on secure electronic records and can be seen by other healthcare staff who follow the same confidentiality rules.

The School Nursing Service can assist with:

Support with managing medical needs in schools

Bedwetting

Sleep

Emotional health and wellbeing

Weight management

Immunisation advice
www.nhs.uk/conditions/vaccinations/

Healthy lifestyle

Keeping safe

Puberty and relationships

<https://www.evelinalondon.nhs.uk/our-services/community/school-nursing-service/parentline.aspx>

Support for parents/carers

At the end of this newsletter, you will find details of a new peer-led parenting group being run in Southwark: ***Being a Parent - Enjoying Family Life***. It is FREE and aimed at parents/carers with children aged 2-11 years. Details of who to contact/how to apply can be found at the very end of the newsletter.

Word of the Week

This week's *Word of the Week* is **bamboozle**. Please discuss its meaning with your child/ren and encourage them to share what they have learned with their teachers in school to receive gems. Do they know the origin? Can they use the word correctly in a sentence? Can they identify and explain the meaning of alternative forms e.g., **bamboozling**? Can they identify any synonyms or antonyms?

Please find below previous words that we have used in school:

Previous words	euphoric, disclosed, premature, alleviate, gullible
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I would like to wish you a lovely weekend!

Ray Capper
Head of School



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Struggling to cope? Worried about your parenting?

Join our research into a new parenting group for parents of children, aged 2-11, who experience strong emotions and struggle to trust in relationships.

- Learn discipline strategies that work
 - Improve communication
- Meet other parents who share your experience
 - Enjoy family life more

For more information, sign up here:

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Are you a parent who find's it tough to manage strong emotions? Are you worried about your child's behaviour?

Would you be interested in participating in research on a new parenting group?

We are looking for parents of children, **aged 2-11**, who are worried about their child's behaviour to take part in research on a **new parenting group**. Being a Parent- Enjoying Family Life is for parents who may be experiencing **strong emotions** which spillover into their parenting, who may **struggle to trust** in relationships/friendships or may have experienced challenging childhoods or invalidating relationships with their own parents.



We want to test whether BaP-EFL helps parents better than the original EPEC-BaP groups. BaP-EFL and EPEC-BaP are both ran **by parents, for parents**.



If you are interested and eligible for the study, you will receive either BaP-EFL or original EPEC-BaP **parenting groups**. The groups last between **9-10 weeks** for **2 hours** and cover topics such as **managing stress, discipline strategies and communication skills**. A creche will be provided if needed.

Parents will also be asked to complete online questionnaires and an at home interview before, after and 6 months after attending the group. You will receive **up to £85** for your participation in these questions

To find our more and register your interest, please follow this link: https://kclbs.eu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3luWeTjmKHZaKYC

Or scan the QR code with the camera on your smart phone. A researcher will contact you via email or phone to give you more details on the study.

Alternatively, please contact Ellie Baker (PhD student) at ellie.baker@kcl.ac.uk for further information.

Parents/carers can sign up by contacting me directly at ellie.baker@kcl.ac.uk or by completing an online form: https://kclbs.eu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3luWeTjmKHZaKYC