

Keyworth Primary School Newsletter



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Friday 24th May 2024

Term Dates 2023-2024

September 2023						
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School Holidays

INSET Days

Tutorial Day

Bank Holidays

Polling Day

Important dates for your diary

Summer 2 - provisional			
03.06.24 - 14.06.24	Year 4 multiplication check	18.07.24	Workshop for Nursery to Reception parents at 2:45pm
10.06.24 - 14.06.24	Phonics screening week	18.07.24	Reception "stay and play"
18.06.24	Early Years sports day (in school)	19.07.24	Summer Fair
19.06.24 - 20.06.24	Reception "meet and greets"	22.07.24	Year 6 graduation at 9:10am
21.06.24	KS1 and KS2 sports day (Kennington Park)	23.07.24	Awards assembly at 9:10am
28.06.24	Reception parent workshop for parents new to Keyworth (9:30am)	23.07.24	Year 6 BBQ from 3:30pm to 5:30pm
10.07.24	Year 1 "stay and play" at 3:30pm	24.07.24	Class parties
15.07.24	Year 6 production at 5:00pm	25.07.24	Last day of term at 2:00pm
17.07.24	Carnival at 2:30pm		

Celebrations

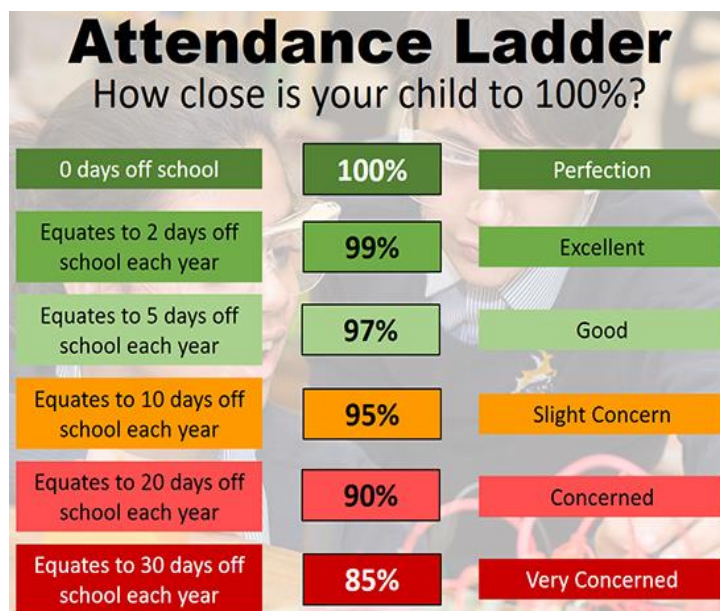
Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Reader of the Week	Presenter of the Week
RCJ	Zayd	Marwan	Bethania	Cormac	
1AJ	Thomas	Michelle	Alex	Raed	Jolade
1HE	Olamilekan	Emily	Nicole	Savannah	Erovre
2PH	Matilda	Ava-Maria	Ryan	Ibrahim	Alice
2ER	2ER	Sonnie	Lyla	Jasmine	Aidan

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3MR	Jamelia	Abib	Munira	Mariam
3GC	Ashley	Yussef	Jeremiah	Jayda
4AB	Nora	Zaynab	Yahya	Amy Alba
4EB	Samet	Hamja	Nubiali	Eymen
5BH	Kaycee	Meriem	Abdul	Stephanie
5AA	Manuella	Kevin	Zehra	Mohammed
6MV	Matias	Jawdan	Tate	Nicholas
6CS	Abdul	Oliver C	Randa	Mahdi

This week's gem winners are....	Emeralds
This week's treasure chest winners are...	1HE 4EB

Attendance

Class	Attendance
RCJ	89.58
1AJ	90.63
1HE	99.38
2PH	98.00
2ER	93.46
3MR	90.00
3GC	94.69
4AB	98.00
4EB	90.53
5BH	97.36
5AA	91.92
6MV	95.42
6CS	91.92
Whole school	93.48
School average (year)	94.77%
National average (year)	93.1%
School target	96%



This week's attendance winners are 1HE

Classes with the best attendance this term so far...

1 st 2PH 95.95	2nd 4AB 95.74	3rd 1HE 95.33
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Latest News

Last day of half-term

Please note that the last day of this half-term is **today**. The children will return to school on **Monday 3rd June**.

Year 4 multiplication check

Children in year 4 will complete a multiplication check **during the weeks of 3rd and 10th June**. This will be completed online with the children being given questions for all times tables up to 12 x 12 - 25 questions in total. To support your child/ren with this, you should encourage them to use Times Tables Rockstars at home. Additionally, any times tables practice at home would be helpful.

Times Tables Rockstars

Goodbye Dorett

After approximately 20 years of love, dedication and commitment to Keyworth, Dorett will sadly be leaving us on Friday 7th June. We are incredibly sad that she will no longer be with us but we are thankful for all that she has done for the children and families of Keyworth in her time as a significant part of the fabric of our school. Look out for Dorett at the morning gates during the week of 3rd June as I know that many of you will want to offer your thanks and best wishes in person.

Southwark SEND survey

Are you a parent or carer of a young person with SEND?

The Southwark SEND and Inclusion Strategic Partnership Board want to hear from you to understand how to work better together to support young people with SEND. The survey closes on **Friday 21st June**. Please complete the survey by clicking on the link below:

[Southwark SEND survey](#)

Please email SEN@southwark.gov.uk if you have any questions.

Year 4 artwork

In Year 4, children deepened their knowledge of Benin sculpture and explored the ways in which 'Benin-style' has influenced other contemporary African artists and sculptors. They then created their own artwork inspired by the different artists discussed during the unit of lessons. This is work by Ava and Gibril.



Mental Health Awareness Week

The children in year 1 have been celebrating Mental Health Awareness Week by wearing green for 'wear it green day' and taking part in some activities outside that are good for their mental health.

Walk to School Week - message from Miri

This week was Walk to School Week and Keyworth was definitely up for the challenge! Working in collaboration with the local authority, this week was all about celebrating the benefits of walking to school, with regard to our physical and mental health, and doing our bit for the environment. Each day, the children completed their Walk to School diaries, which will be entered for a multi-school competition across Southwark. Well done everyone!

Keyworth visits Bessemer!

On Wednesday, the KS1 children went on a trip to Bessemer Primary School as part of their Science learning. They took part in an 'energy live' science show from the Royal Institution of Science. The show was jam-packed with experiments, explosions and hands-on participation by the children.



Year 1 ZooLab workshop

Year 1 children took part in a special workshop this week when they were visited by animals that can be found in the different layers of the rainforest.



Football tournament

We were so proud of year 6 on Wednesday when they took part in the Mentivity x Goldman Sachs Football Tournament in Burgess Park. They competed against 16 other local schools and did Keyworth proud! Especially, the saves made by our goalie and the goals scored.

The children also got to meet Arsenal star Reiss Nelson...



Year 5 visit the Science Museum

Last Friday, Year 5 went on a trip to the Science Museum as a part of their learning about 'Earth and Space'. They embarked on an activity trail around the 'Exploring Space' gallery, looking for a range of items from Tim Peake's Soyuz capsule to a coke can. Following this, they were given time to engage in a variety of hands-on activities and experiments at the Wonder Lab.



Year 6 transition - TfL workshop

As part of their transition into secondary school, the children in year 6 took part in a Transport for London (TfL) workshop. They learnt about how to be a good pedestrian, travelling on public transport, how to use their Oyster Card responsibly and about general safety when travelling between home and school.



Now Press Play **golden headphones** winners

At Keyworth, we use Now Press Play, an award-winning immersive audio resource, engaging primary school children in the curriculum through sound, story and movement.

In Now Press Play Experiences each child is given a pair of wireless headphones. Immersed in sound, they become the main character in a story, meeting people, discovering places and solving problems on an educational adventure they'll never forget. From climbing through rainforest canopy in the Amazon, to fighting a woolly mammoth in the Stone Age, the audio adventures increase engagement, extend life experiences and inspire children to produce quality writing.

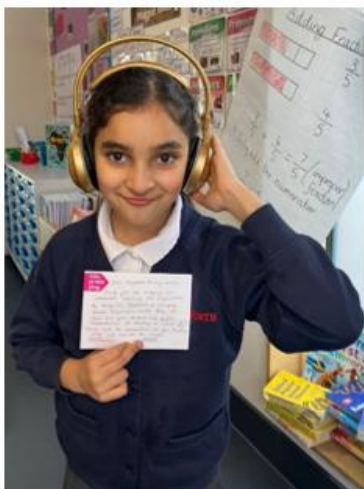
Keyworth won the **golden headphones**...



nowpressplay  @nowpressplay · Apr 25



Very excitingly you have taken part in our **#Experience100** celebration by being the first to do our Materials & Changing State Experience! That means your class will be receiving our brand new stickers & your school, a special pair of golden headphones to display



Understanding the EHCP process - workshop at Keyworth

Join us for an enlightening workshop on **Monday 17th June 2024 at 09.00am** led by Felicie Malla, a representative from the local authority, where we will delve into the intricacies of EHCPs.

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Understanding the EHCP Process: How the panel decides whether to agree to an assessment



Dispelling Misconceptions: A diagnosis doesn't automatically mean a child requires an EHCP



Importance of Reasonable Adjustments: Supporting children with additional needs effectively



School Applications: When and why schools make EHCP applications, including financial thresholds



Realistic Expectations: Why an EHCP doesn't guarantee 1:1 adult support and its potential drawbacks



Transition Planning: Applying for EHCPs for secondary transition by Year 5 and available supports



Alternative Supports: Exploring other avenues to assist SEN children transitioning to secondary



Challenges and Limitations: Understanding the constraints of EHCPs and how to navigate them



Application Guidance: Step-by-step process for parents to apply for an EHCP



Monday 17th June @ Keyworth

9.00

For more details see information in newsletter above

THE PANTRY

ST GILES

WHO WE ARE

Our Pantry offers nutritious and healthy food to families and individuals struggling to feed themselves.

People pay a small weekly subscription of £3.50 and then can choose their food as they would in any other supermarket shop. Enabling people to pay a subscription gives them choice and dignity.

Whilst shopping at The Pantry, expert advice and support is on hand from our Peer Advisors who can help them address any barriers they are facing.

To find out more just visit:

[www.stgilestrust.org.uk/
what-we-do/tackling-poverty/](http://www.stgilestrust.org.uk/what-we-do/tackling-poverty/)

HOW WE WORK

The Pantry is operated by UK charity **St Giles**

Membership costs £3.50 a week and entitles you to one visit per week

Pantry Members can choose up to **ten coloured items**

- Red x 1 item
- Blue x 2 items
- Orange x 3 items
- Yellow x 4 items



SUMMER TIMETABLE

Talks are delivered online via zoom 7pm to 9pm £24 each
Book online at facefamilyadvice.co.uk

FREE - Supporting Healthy Sleep FREE - Cannabis & Ketamine Awareness	27 JUN 30 JUL
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	16 MAY, 11 JUL, 8 AUG
Understanding the Teenage Brain	20 MAY, 15 JUL
Raising Self-Esteem	21 MAY, 16 JUL
Supporting a Child with ADHD	23 MAY, 20 JUN, 18 JUL, 15 AUG
Anxiety Explained	30 MAY, 25 JUL, 22 AUG
Understanding Anger	3 JUN, 29 JUL, 26 AUG
Introduction to OCD	11 JUN, 6 AUG
Improving Family Communication	17 JUN, 12 AUG
Autism: Improving Communication	8 JUL, 5 AUG
What is ACT?	9 JUL
Decreasing Depression	23 JUL
Supporting Healthy Sleep	20 AUG
Today's Teens & Drugs	27 AUG

Support for families 3 - National Autistic Society Coffee Morning

National Autistic Society Coffee Mornings



For parents & carers of autistic children starting on

Friday 7th June

9:30am

Carnegie Library

Herne Hill, SE24 0AG

And the first Friday of every month

Join us at the Carnegie Library to meet other local parents and carers of autistic children over a cup of tea/coffee.

Open to parents & carers of autistic people of all ages in Lambeth and neighbouring boroughs.



Word of the Week

This week's *Word of the Week* is **embarrassed**. 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. **embarrassing/embarrassment**. Can they identify any synonyms or antonyms?

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

Previous words	defensible, corresponded, exaggerated, recommended, determined, hinder, accommodated, controversy, sacrifice, persuade, awkward, thorough, convenient, suggested, harassed, relevant, definite, category, curious, occurrence, conscious, familiar, mischief, apparent, identity, profession, existence, disastrous, interrupt
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I would like to wish you and your family a wonderful half-term!

Ray Capper
Head of School