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Friday 3rd May 2024

Dear Parents and Carers

KS1 and KS2 SAT weeks are looming and everyone is focused and working hard. It is great to see our values making a real difference across school as children and staff tackle learning challenges with resilience, growing confidence and enthusiasm.

It has been lovely to see the sunshine finally, so that children can enjoy our fantastic school grounds during lunchtimes.

I hope you have a lovely long weekend and the sunshine returns!

Best wishes

Ellie Green

Miss E Green - Head Teacher

In this week's newsletter you will find information about the following:

- KPS Values Celebration
- Year 1 & 2 Story Performance and Phonics Workshops
- *Moments Matter – Attendance Counts:*

KPS Values Celebration

**Respect – Confidence – Resilience
Aspiration – Enthusiasm – Kindness**

Congratulations to KPS Values Award winners. It is my favourite moment of the week to hear the teachers talk

so enthusiastically about the amazing achievements and values of our children.

Reception

Aalayah - Enthusiasm

Year 1 & 2

Nevaeh - Kindness

Ryder - Enthusiasm

Darcie - Mae - Confidence

Simeon - Enthusiasm

Olivia - Kindness

Year 3 & 4

Elena - Confidence

Emily - Resilience

Jordan - Respect

Samuel - Confidence

Year 5 & 6

Max - Confidence

Brandon - Kindness

Emily - Enthusiasm

George - Aspiration

I am very proud of you all!

Thank you to all of the grownups and siblings who came along to support today.

Year 1 and 2

Story Performance and

Phonics Workshops

Year 2 Wednesday 8th May 08:45

Year 2 parents/carers are invited to join their child in the classroom on Wednesday morning at drop off to enjoy their performance of "The Papaya that Spoke".

Parents of those children taking the Phonics Screening Check re-sit will be invited to stay after this for a short Phonics workshop. This will be delivered by Mrs Kent, our Phonics Leader, and will provide parents/carers with some practical strategies to help at home.

Year 1 Thursday 9th May 08:45

Year 1 parents/carers are invited to join their child in the classroom on Thursday morning at drop off to enjoy their performance of "The Kiss that Missed". All parents/carers will be invited to stay after this for a short Phonics workshop. This will be delivered by Mrs Kent and will provide all who attend with some practical strategies to help at home in preparation for the Phonics Screening Check next month.

Sports Day – Change of Date

Sports Day was scheduled to take place in SAT week therefore we have changed the date.



**Sports Days will now take place on
Friday 14th June 2024
KS2 in the morning,
KS1 and EYFS in the afternoon.**

Moments Matter – Attendance Counts KPS Celebrate Good Attendance

Week beginning: 29/04/24

Class:	Team Attendance:
RK	94.2%
1L	92.8%
2D	92.8%
2L	92.2%
3M	94.6%
3P	93.5%
4M	97.9%
4W	91.4%
5R	95.0%
5T	97.9%
6C	94.5%
6R	94.3%

**Class 5T have earned the extra playtime next week.
Well Done!**

We are aware that there have been some nasty tummy bugs circulating this week. However, several classes have also been disappointed as they knew their overall attendance has dropped due to classmates taking term-time holidays. Please remember that children who miss school, miss out on vital learning opportunities as well as the chance to socialise and establish solid friendships. Term time holidays cannot be authorised by the headteacher.

**Whole School Attendance since September is
currently 94%**

**We need to work together to improve this and reach
96% at least!**



Special events are featured each week during this half term and we hope that this means all children are excited about coming into school every morning.



**Please see our website for
Summer Term dates**