

Keyworth Primary School Newsletter



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Friday 5th May 2023

Keyworth Term Dates 2022-2023

September 2022						
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August 2023						
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School Holidays

Inset Days

Bank Holidays

Tutorial Day

Other Closures

Important dates for your diary

Summer 1		Summer 2	
17.04.23	Children return to school	05.06.23	Children return
02.05.23	KS1 SATs begin (whole month)	05.06.23-16.06.23	Year 4 multiplication check
05.05.23	Class photos	12.06.23-16.06.23	KS1 phonics check
09.05.23	KS2 SATs begin	21.07.23	Last day of term - 2:00pm finish
26.05.23	Last day of the half term		

Celebrations

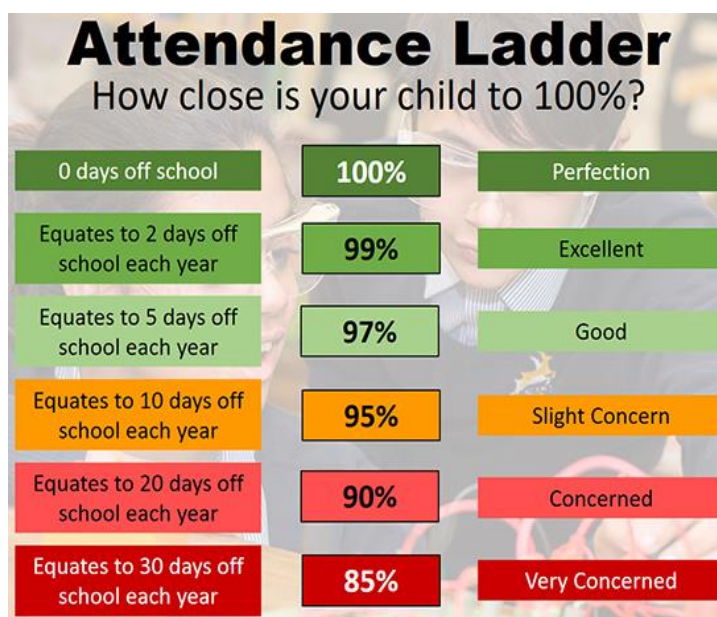
Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Reader of the Week	Presenter of the Week
RCM					
1AJ	Yasmina	Freya	Shahid	Fedor	Fatima N
1HE	Noel	Diana	Ryan	Avianna	Jaime
2PH	Mawaddah	Monica	Munira	Idris	Ronit
2CS	Sebastian	Anniya	Lily-Mai	Kamron	Jamelia

Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Presenter of the Week
3MK	Hamira	Ava	Frankie	Aardhya
3AB	Nora	Amy	Amira	Keyla
4MV	4MV	Mohammed	Forry Forry	Naviah
4EB	4EB	Lillie	Sheray	BJ
5BH	Sara	Yalda	Kiara	Honyar
5JA	Oliver	Jay	Jhesica	Michelle
6MO	Maryama	Sam	Kiahya-Rae	Chloe
6JG	Leah	Zack	Abdul	Janet

This week's gem winners are....	Emeralds
This week's treasure chest winners are...	2PH 4MV

Attendance

Class	Attendance
RCM	87.27
1AJ	95.33
1HE	95.45
2PH	100
2CS	93.21
3MK	96.08
3AB	88.89
4MV	100
4EB	93.48
5BH	98.08
5JA	94.02
6MO	96.19
6JG	98.67
Whole school	95.12
School average (year)	93.34%
National average (year)	92.6%
School target	96%



This week's attendance winners are **2PH 4MV**

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

1st	2nd	3rd
6JG 96.01%	5BH 94.83%	6MO 94.01%

Latest News

Year 6 SATs

Next week, children in year 6 will be completing their SATs. For your reference, the timetable is below:

Date	Test
Tuesday 9 th May 2023	Grammar and Punctuation test - 45 minutes Spelling test - 20 minutes
Wednesday 10 th May 2023	English reading test - 60 minutes
Thursday 11 th May 2023	Mathematics Arithmetic (Paper 1) - 30 minutes Mathematics Reasoning (Paper 2) - 40 minutes
Friday 12 th May 2023	Mathematics Reasoning (Paper 3) - 40 minutes

- Children will need to be in school every day and on time. SATs will take place first thing each day - I would suggest children arrive to school when the gates open in the morning (8:45am) or that they attend Breakfast Club.
- Please ensure your child/ren go to bed early every night and eat a good breakfast each morning.
- When completed, SATs are marked externally with results being sent to Keyworth in July.
- Class teachers will also separately submit a grade for the work that the children have completed in class this year.

The children have been working extremely hard all year and I want them to know that their best is enough.

Communication

Please ensure that you regularly read the newsletter and your emails as these are the main ways by which the school communicates with parents/carers.

Lunch menu

You can find the latest school lunch menu on our website by using the link below. As a reminder, Southwark offers all children a FREE school lunch every day.

[Lunch menu](#)

School Council

On Wednesday, our school council enjoyed a healthy schools workshop delivered by an external visitor from Healthy Zones. The school council are looking forward to taking on this exciting, new project to explore how we can make Keyworth an even healthier place. Watch this space!



Year 5 visit the British Museum

Children in year 5 visited the British Museum to review their prior learning about the Romans and Mexico. They were able to explore a range of different artefacts, learn about how the artefacts provide clues as to what life was like in different locations and time periods, and discuss and debate historical questions.



Year 4 perform at The Royal Festival Hall

Year 4 have had a fantastic day at the Royal Festival Hall, rehearsing for their ukulele concert. The children then performed to a large audience in the afternoon. They played brilliantly and should be very proud of themselves. Thank you to all parents/carers who were able to attend to support the children and their school.



Coronation dress-up day

To celebrate the upcoming Coronation and to raise money for *Together for Short Lives*, the children came to school wearing red, white and blue, or as a royal. *Together for Short Lives* is the only charity supporting the UK's 54 children's hospices and is Morrison's chosen charity this year, with Morrison's being a local partner to Keyworth. Further information about the charity can be found using the link below:

[Together for Short Lives](#)

As a reminder, we also have a fundraising cake sale in the playground this evening.

Thank you to everyone who organised and/or supported these events.



Support for families - Borough Food Cooperative

The Borough Food Cooperative is a supermarket located opposite Borough Station at the base of St George the Martyr Church. It has a vision of providing good quality, health food options in an inclusive and cost-effective way. Once registered, families can select 16 items for only £4.50. The items include meat, chicken, eggs, bread, sausages, bacon, toilet rolls, personal hygiene products and basically everything you find in a supermarket. It's NOT a foodbank, it's a Co-operative. It's open on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays between 11:00am and 3:00pm. Please visit the website for more information:

[Borough Food Cooperative](#)

Coronation lunch

As part of Keyworth's Coronation celebrations the children got the chance to be Kings, Queens and all manner of royal figures during a very special lunch.



Local Coronation event

On **Saturday 6th May from 11:00am-5:00pm** at Castle Square in Elephant and Castle there will be a **FREE** Coronation party.

Adding to the buzz across London, locals and Londoners are invited to come and celebrate the big day with lots of food and entertainment for people of all ages! Look forward to live entertainment and music from a fantastic brass band which will be playing across the day.

In addition, there will be plenty of delicious food stalls from the Castle Square traders in the area, offering a variety of cuisines including Caribbean from Original Caribbean Spice and Guyanese from Kaietuer Kitchen

Original, to African dishes from Daddy O's. Castle Square is a hot spot for foodies serving up an array of food from across the globe including Italian, Colombian and Brazilian.

Throughout the day there will also be **FREE** face painting to enjoy as part of the celebrations, so make sure you arrive early to ensure you miss the queues.

What: Fit for a King, Castle Square Coronation Celebration

When: Saturday 6th May, 11:00am-5:00pm

Where: Castle Square, 40 Elephant Rd, London SE17 1EU

Cost: FREE

More information: Visit us on our social channels @castlesquarelondon

CASTLE SQUARE

Coronation Party

Join us on **Saturday 6th May from 11am - 5pm** at **Castle Square in Elephant and Castle** for a **FREE** Coronation party for all the family to enjoy!

Celebrate the big day with:

- Live brass band
- Food stalls from around the globe
- Face painting

Castle Square, 40 Elephant Road, SE17 1EU

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Word of the Week

This week's *Word of the Week* is **monarch**. 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., **monarchy/monarchal**? Can they identify any synonyms or antonyms?

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

Previous words	certain, mourn, congregate, collaborate, community, progressive, convention, respectful, resilient, prevent, rigor, responsible, prejudice, festive, transform, despondent, devoted, prosper, discontent, complement, eulogy, culture, equity, empathy, poetic, inherited, heritage, prudent, dubious
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I would like to wish you a lovely weekend!

Ray Capper
Head of School