

Keyworth Primary School Newsletter



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Friday 9th June 2023

Keyworth Term Dates 2022-2023

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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 2			
05.06.23	Children return to school	05.07.23	New Year 1 "stay and play" at 3:40pm
05.06.23-16.06.23	Year 4 multiplication check	10.07.23-11.07.23	New Reception "meet and greet" meetings
09.06.23	Spanish day	12.07.23	Year 6 production - 5:00pm
12.06.23-16.06.23	KS1 phonics screening check	14.07.23	Summer fair
19.06.23-23.06.23	Sports week and Masterchef	17.07.23	Keyworth Friends AGM - 9:00am
19.06.23	Nursery home visits	18.07.23	Year 6 graduation - 9:10am
20.06.23	Early Years sports day	19.07.23	Carnival - 2:30pm
23.06.23	KS1 and KS2 sports day	20.07.23	Awards assembly - 9:10am
29.06.23	Polling day - school closed	20.07.23	Class parties
03.07.23	New Reception parents' workshop at 9:10am	20.07.23	Year 6 BBQ - 3:30pm to 5:30pm
04.07.23	New Reception "stay and play" at 3:40pm	21.07.23	Last day of term - 2:00pm finish

Celebrations

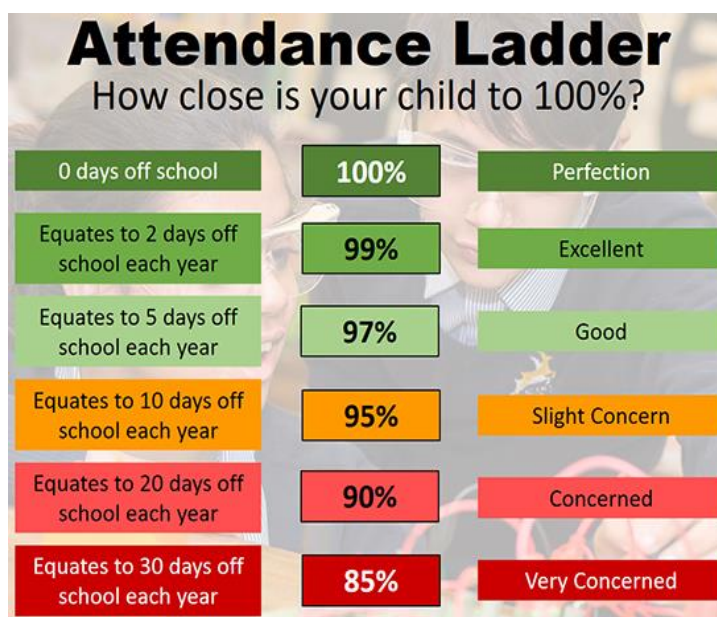
Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Reader of the Week	Presenter of the Week
RCM	Romario	Jolade	Savannah	Freddie	
1AJ	Humaira	Neveah	Eilyeen	Fedor	Shahid
1HE	Jaime	Ryan	Reuben	Josiah	Harper
2PH	Matias	Izabelle	Leena	Malik	Manha
2CS	Kallum	King	Jase	Sebastian	Anniya

Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Presenter of the Week
3MK	Samet	Hamja	Eymen	Eli
3AB	Sophia	Zaynah	Denzel	Arthur
4MV	Hawa	Tyler	Jessica	Stephanie
4EB	Javel	Valentina	Aza	Hawdyar
5BH	Gabriella & Tamarni	Sara	Oliver	Keeva
5JA	Brianna	Kenza	Imaan	Jawdan
6MO	Chloe	Zineddine		Sam
6JG	Nathaniel	Yacine	Adam	Cianna

This week's gem winners are....	Emeralds
This week's treasure chest winners are...	2CS 6MO

Attendance

Class	Attendance
RCM	89.64
1AJ	98.08
1HE	96.15
2PH	94.62
2CS	85.93
3MK	98.82
3AB	96.67
4MV	93.31
4EB	91.87
5BH	97.78
5JA	92.17
6MO	96.19
6JG	90.08
Whole school	93.56
School average (year)	93.34%
National average (year)	92.6%
School target	96%



This week's attendance winners are **1AJ 3MK**

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

1st	2nd	3rd
6JG 96.06%	5BH 95.15%	6MO 94.42%

Latest News

Year 6 moderation

Yesterday, we were externally moderated for our year 6 writing. The feedback from the moderators was extremely positive including that the school has “strong systems”, “children make excellent progress” and that writing has “a high profile at Keyworth”.

I would like to thank all staff for the quality provision that they provide each and every day.

Child Safety Week

This week was Child Safety Week. In school the children have learnt about how to be safe at home. Themes included safety with electrical appliances, tripping hazards and hot liquids.

A parent pack with further advice and information can be found by using the link below:

[Parent pack](#)

Keyworth Friends update

Father's day gifts

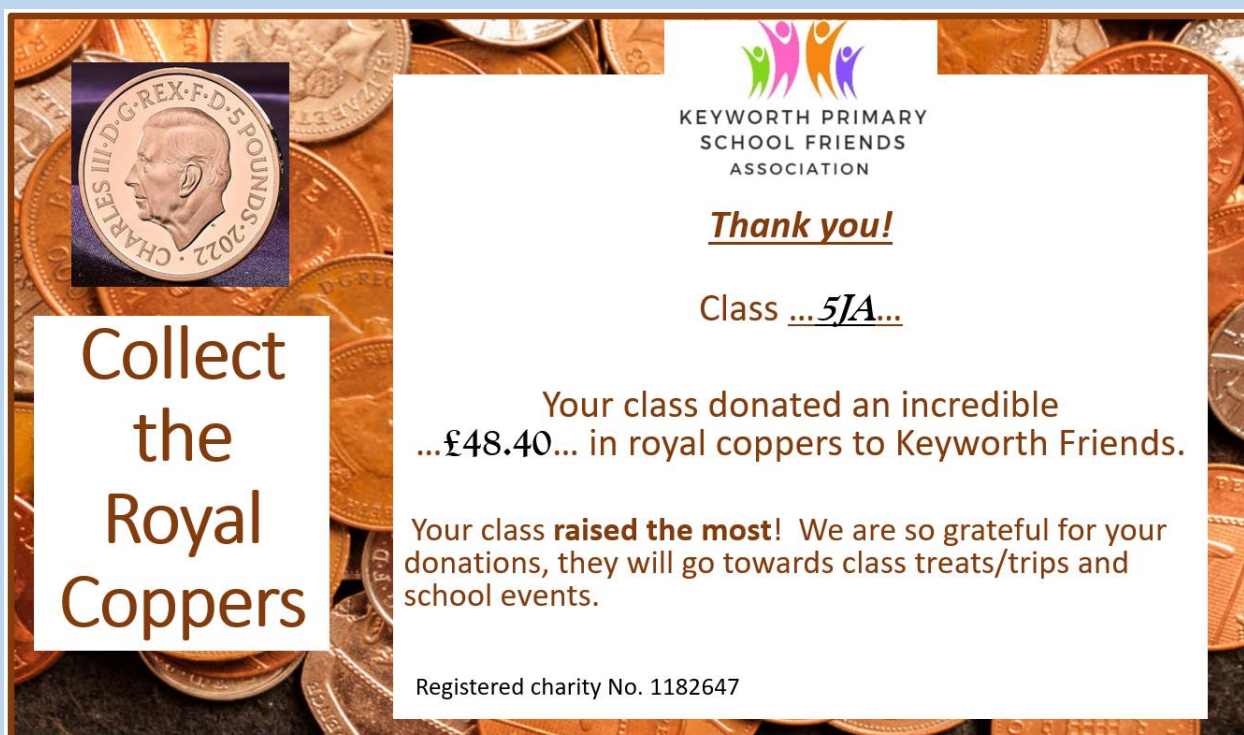
During the **week of 12th June**, Father's Day gifts will be on sale both in the school office and the playground. Items include bracelets, key chains and pocket multi-tools.

Keyworth Friends Annual General Meeting

The Keyworth Friends Annual General Meeting will take place on **Monday 17th July at 9:00am in the Community Room**. Everyone is welcome. The school needs more parent/carer volunteers for 2023-24 to share ideas and support future events, so it would be great to see some new faces. Without this support, we are unable to fundraise for the benefit of the school and your children.

Collect the Royal Coppers

Thank you to everyone who took part. The winning class was 5JA... a party prize is coming your way!



Collect the Royal Coppers

KEYWORTH PRIMARY
SCHOOL FRIENDS
ASSOCIATION

Thank you!

Class **...5JA...**

Your class donated an incredible
...£48.40... in royal coppers to Keyworth Friends.

Your class **raised the most!** We are so grateful for your donations, they will go towards class treats/trips and school events.

Registered charity No. 1182647

Coffee afternoon



Parents/carers introduction to services and support in Southwark.

Starts at 3:15 pm to 4:20 pm in the lower school hall (outside year 1)

Date: 14/06/2023

Held by: Abena Opong, Family Support Worker

Services that will be attending on the day:

- **Safer Neighbourhood Team;**
- **Kooth - mental support for young people;**
- **Sapphire Community - support for young people and their parents;**
- **Latin American Women's Right Service - supporting women from the Latino community;**
- **Fight 4 Change - inspire young people to make a positive change in their lives and give them the opportunities and the tools to progress;**
- **Clare Gager - Southwark Services;**
- **Mikael Cohen - representative of School-Home-Support.**

There will be information leaflets from other services that cannot attend. Please spread the word and your attendance would be appreciated.

KEYWORTH SPORTS DAY!

Little Stars, Nursery and Reception

Date: Tuesday 20th June 2023

Time: 09:00 – 11:30

Location: Keyworth Primary School

Parents/carers and children will be welcomed at **09:00** before the start time at **09:15**

Years 1, 2 and 3

Date: Friday 23rd June 2023

Time: 9:45 – 12:00

Location: Kennington Park

Parents/carers and children will be welcomed at **09:45** before the start time at **10:00**.

Years 4, 5 and 6

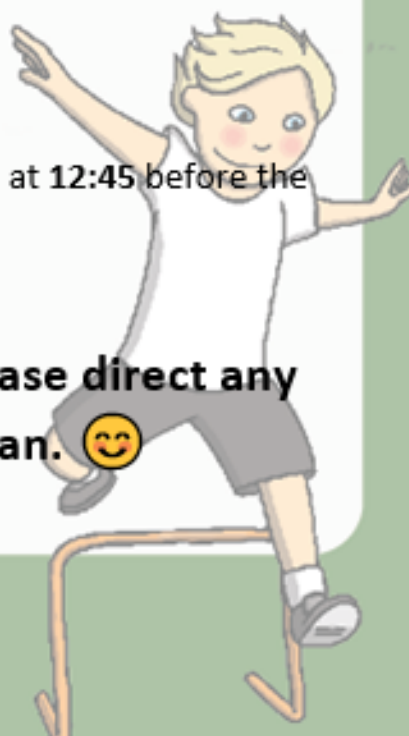
Date: Friday 23rd June 2023

Time: 12:45 – 15:00

Location: Kennington Park

Parents/carers and children will be welcomed at **12:45** before the start time at **13:00**.

More information to follow. Please direct any questions to Beth & Megan. 😊



Spanish day

10% of the children at Keyworth speak Spanish as their first language. Today we hosted a Spanish day to celebrate this with the children learning about Spanish-speaking countries, their customs and people. KS2 children also had Spanish lessons and all children had the option of sampling Spanish rice for their lunch.



Year 2 RE visit

On Wednesday, year 2 went on a visit to the Morden Islamic Community Centre. On arrival, they were welcomed by the imam, who instructed them to remove their shoes before giving them a tour of the centre, including the prayer room and function room. The children learnt about the five pillars of Islam, the daily prayer times and how Muslims pray. They were even given the opportunity to see Mecca through a VR headset! It was a really informative visit and all of the children had a great day!



Year 3 IntoUniversity workshop

Year 3 had a really valuable career workshop with IntoUniversity on Monday. They learnt what a career is, shared the goals they aspire to achieve, the careers they wish to work towards and learnt some of life skills towards achieving their goals such as focus, resilience, respect and creativity.



Reception visit Walworth Garden

As part of their topic around “growing”, Reception visited Walworth Garden. They practised their skills of observational drawings, applied their knowledge of life cycles and tadpoles, named some common plants and completed a bug hunt! Thank you to all parents/carers who volunteered on the day.

Support for families - Year 6 to 7 transition (reminder)

This project works with young people in developing their personal, social and health education, and supports their successful transition to mainstream secondary school.

Through a 10-day summer programme for year 6 pupils, the company uses music, dance, drama, and art to explore a range of issues relevant to learning new skills, dealing with risks, making friends and coping with change.

This year’s multi-arts summer programme is scheduled to take place at Rye Oak Primary School, Whorlton Road SE15 3PD between 24th July and 4th August 2023 (Mon-Fri 10 am-4 pm).



Please email info@littlefishtheatre.co.uk to book a place for your child.



Word of the Week

This week's *Word of the Week* is **audacious**. 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., **audaciously**? 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, monarch, require, sustain, ecology
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I would like to wish you a lovely weekend!

Ray Capper
Head of School