

# Keyworth Primary School Newsletter



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## 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

Event		Class assemblies
26.01.23 at 9:05am	Reception reading workshop - part 1	25.01.23 1AJ
01.02.23	School closed to children - strike action	02.02.23 6MO
02.02.23 at 9:05am	Reception reading workshop - part 2	08.02.23 3AB
06.02.23-10.02.23	Nursery reading celebration week	01.03.23 4EB
06.02.23	Tutorial day - school closed to children	08.03.23 RCM
07.02.23 at 9:05am	Year 1 reading workshop and celebration	15.03.23 1HE
09.02.23 at 9:05am	Reception reading workshop - part 3	
15.03.23 at 9:10am	Year 4 multiplication tables check workshop	
20.03.23 at 9:10am	Year 6 SATs workshop	
22.03.23 at 9:10am	Year 2 SATs workshop	

## Celebrations

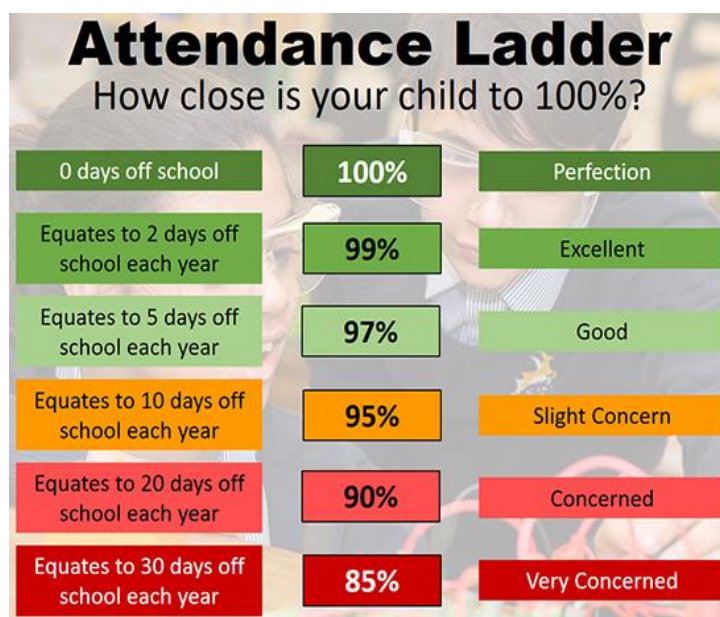
Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Reader of the Week	Presenter of the Week
RCM	Sarah	Zayne	Khalid	Fiorella	
1AJ	Teddy	Viktor	Jasmine	Georgina	Sebi
1HE	Nasir	Josiah	Diana	Jaime	Ryan
2PH	Zack	Nate	Elise	Yussef	Matias
2CS	Yousef	Kayden	Jamelia	King	Mohamed

Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Presenter of the Week
3MK	Ayaan	Kaelan	Zarah	Tawiah
3AB	3AB	Jahmorei	Shakib	Izabella
4MV	Jandira	Abdul	Jayme	Jessica
4EB	Mohamed	Aza	Elijah	Uke
5BH	Abdul	Bazeet	Jeremiah	Keeva
5JA	Michelle	Annabel	Brianna	Saleh
6MO	Kiahya-Rae	Violeta	Zineddine	Benite
6JG	Raia	Muhammad	Ibrahim	Daniel

This week's gem winners are....	Emeralds
This week's treasure chest winners are...	1HE 6MO

## Attendance

Class	Attendance
RCM	90.38
1AJ	93.5
1HE	93.75
2PH	93.75
2CS	92.31
3MK	95.59
3AB	95.14
4MV	83.33
4EB	89.67
5BH	94.89
5JA	97.4
6MO	96.43
6JG	92.26
<b>Whole school</b>	<b>93.14</b>
<b>School average (year)</b>	<b>93.16%</b>
<b>National average (year)</b>	<b>93.7%</b>
<b>School target</b>	<b>96%</b>



This week's attendance winners are **5JA**

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

<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>
6JG 96.2%	5BH 94.68	4MV 94.57%

## Latest News

### Half-term

The children return to school after the half-term holiday on **Monday 20th February**.

### Food vouchers

Southwark remains committed to supporting its disadvantaged pupils during the 2023 February half-term and will do this by using part of the *Household Support Grant* to fund meals for those pupils who are eligible to receive benefits-related free school meals. **Therefore, you will receive food vouchers if your child/ren are entitled to benefits-related free school meals.**

### After school club - childcare provision

For further information, please contact the school office. Please note:

- All outstanding balances need to be cleared by the end of a half-term in order for families to book a place for the following half-term;
- At the start of each half-term, parents/carers need to rebook their child/ren's place/s;
- We do not always have immediate availability, so you may need to be on a waiting list for any given day.

### Safeguarding - parents/carers in school

To safeguard the children and staff, parents/carers should not be wandering around the school building/s unaccompanied and/or without a visitor sticker. Should you need to look for your child/ren's property, please speak with their teacher or supporting adults.

### Children's Mental Health Week

This week we raised awareness of the importance of mental health as part of Children's Mental Health Week. This year's theme is **Let's Connect** and is about making meaningful connections. We are encouraging people to connect with others in healthy, rewarding and meaningful ways.

Further information and advice about Children's Mental Health Week can be found on the following website:

[Children's mental health week - families](#)

### Mental Health Support

For help supporting your children:

#### **The Nest in Southwark:**

The Nest in Peckham offers drop-ins or booked sessions on Wednesdays between 9:30 and 12:30 for parents/carers of young people aged 0-25. You will be offered a slot with a trained counsellor to gain advice or help with signposting.

Phone: 0208 138 1805

Website: [www.thenestsouthwark.org.uk](http://www.thenestsouthwark.org.uk)

#### **Parenting Smart by Place2Be:**

Online parenting advice from mental health professionals, with practical tips to support your child with their mental health and wellbeing.

Website: [www.parentingsmart.place2be.org.uk](http://www.parentingsmart.place2be.org.uk)

For parents/carers own mental health:

**Southwark Talking Therapies:**

If you have a Southwark GP then you can access support through Southwark Talking Therapies. You can self-refer on the website and they will then get in touch to assess what support would be the most appropriate for you. They offer online and face-to-face sessions, and it is free to access.

Web: [www.talkingtherapiessouthwark.nhs.uk](http://www.talkingtherapiessouthwark.nhs.uk)

Phone: 0203 228 2194

**Qwell by Kooth**

Free online mental health support without waiting lists, commissioned by the NHS. Download the app and sign up for one-to-one regular or drop in sessions with an accredited therapist

Web: [www.qwell.io](http://www.qwell.io)

**Year 1 reading celebration**

Year 1 invited their parents/carers in to school to celebrate reading. Parents/carers and the children all got involved in lots of different activities to make reading fun and the children got a chance to show off the great reading strategies.



# Number Day 2023

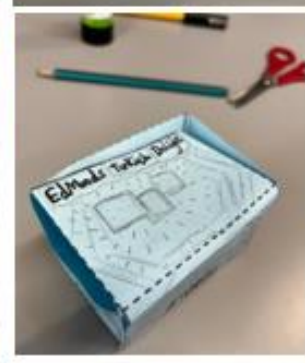
## Dress-up day!

It was lovely to see the children's fantastic, creative outfits for Number Day! Congratulations to Evazi 1HE, Alice 1HE, Leena 2PH, Luky 2CS, Kallum 2CS, Tilly 3MK, Kaycee 4MV, Joao 4MV, Gabriella 5BH, Brianna 5JA, Leyla-Mae 6MO and Sara 6JG for earning a best dressed certificate!



## Maths Activities

Throughout the day, the children enjoyed taking part in a variety of fun maths activities and games to further their understanding of numbers.





## **Cake & Clothes sale**

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February  
from 3:30pm

Cakes – from 50p; clothes – from £1  
*Come and browse for some absolute bargains.*



We would appreciate donations for this sale. Please bring:

- Good quality adult and children's clothing & shoes to the school office by **Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> Feb.**
- Homemade or shop bought cakes to the school office on **Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> or Friday morning 24<sup>th</sup> Feb.** Please provide a list of the **ingredients** and make sure they **do not contain nuts.**

Clothing items remaining after the sale will be sold to Bags2School. All money raised goes towards Keyworth Friends activities such as supporting school trips, library maintenance system and holding fayres.

### Year 4 local history walk

Children in year 4 explored the local area to find out about how World War 2 impacted where they live. The children retrieved factual information and observed landmarks to further add to their knowledge and understanding of local history.



### Nursery reading celebration week

Nursery visited the school library as part of their reading celebration week. They then listened to a story based on their jungle topic.



### Family services coffee afternoon

Yesterday, we hosted our family coffee afternoon which enabled families to directly communicate with local community initiatives including representatives from Public Health Southwark, Family Volunteering, Southwark Works and Southwark Information and Advice Service.



### Safer Internet Day

Safer Internet Day took place on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> February. This is an opportunity for adults to discuss with their child/ren how they can stay safe online and to remind parents/carers to check what the children are accessing online. Further resources can be found using the links below:

[Internet Matters](#)

[NSPCC](#)

[Safer Internet](#)

### Support for families 1 - London Zoo discount

Please refer to the poster for further information.

### Support for families 2 - fruit and vegetable vouchers

The Rose Vouchers for Fruit and Veg Project helps families on low incomes to buy fresh fruit and vegetables and supports them to give their children the healthiest possible start. Further information can be found by using the link below:

[Rose vouchers](#)

### Word of the Week

This week's *Word of the Week* is **complemented**. 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

**£3 ZOO TICKETS!**

London Zoo is offering £3 tickets for anyone currently receiving Universal Credit, Employment and Support Allowance, Income Support or Jobseeker's Allowance.

- The £3 tickets are available for the whole family and under 3's go free.
- Tickets can be purchased from the admissions kiosk on the day, from 11am, every day of the week.
- Just bring proof of benefit letter (electronic or paper).
- Offer runs until the end of March 2023.



[London Zoo £3.00 tickets](#)



meaning of alternative forms e.g., **complementing/complementary**? Can they identify any synonyms or antonyms?

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


<b>Previous words</b>	certain, mourn, congregate, collaborate, community, progressive, convention, respectful, resilient, prevent, rigor, responsible, prejudice, festive, transform, despondent, devoted, prosper, discontent
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I would like to wish you a lovely half-term!

Ray Capper  
Head of School

## NSPCC Number Day TTRS Results 2023

### School Results - out of 2000+ schools

School Average Correct		School Total Correct		Nearby	Primary
<b>Results for nearby primary schools</b>					
44	Dersingham Primary School, London			545	
43	Barrington Primary School, Bexleyheath			545	
45	Highfield South Farnham School			544	
46	Danson Primary School			543	
47	The St Teresa Catholic Primary School			542	
48	Guestling Bradshaw CE Primary School			541	
49	The Echelford Primary School			540	
50	Heavers Farm Primary School			535	
107	Keyworth Primary School, London			383	

### Class Results - CONGRATULATIONS 5BH!

Class Average Correct		Class Total Correct		Only my school
<b>Position (Out of 17,335 classes taking part)</b>				
643	5BH - Keyworth Primary School, London			16,926
1949	4MV - Keyworth Primary School, London			9,474
2689	6JG - Keyworth Primary School, London			7,453
2791	5JA - Keyworth Primary School, London			7,195
3303	6MO - Keyworth Primary School, London			6,226
3538	4EB - Keyworth Primary School, London			5,823
12611	3AB - Keyworth Primary School, London			321

### Pupil Results

Position (Out of 141 pupils taking part)			Student score
1	 Kevin Dare Del Campo Abatan 4MV		2,413
2	 Sara Anou 5BH		1,452
3	 Efezino Ogbogbo 5BH		1,404
4	 Chloe Cao 6MO		1,334
5	 Saif Ahmed 5BH		1,246