

Keyworth Primary School Newsletter



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Friday 10th December 2021

Important dates for your diary

Autumn Term 2		Christmas dates	
01.11.21	Children return	09.12.21 at 9:15am	Reception performance
15.12.21	Reception and Year 6 height and weight check	10.12.21 at 9:15am	LS/Nursery performance
17.12.21	Last day of term - 2:00pm finish (no afterschool club)	10.12.21	Christmas jumper day
20.12.21-03.01.22	Full-term	13.12.21 at 9:15am	3/4 performance
Spring Term 1		14.12.21 at 9:15am	5/6 performance
04.01.22	INSET day	15.12.21 at 9:15am	1/2 performance
05.01.22	Children return	15.12.21	Christmas lunch
		16.12.21	Class parties

Celebrations

Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Reader of the Week
RCC	All of RCC	Kayleigh	Yusuf	Zanetor
RSP	All of RSP	Ibrahim	Ellie	Maida

Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Presenter of the Week
1CM	Manha	Kamron	Melissa	King
1AJ	Yasir	Zainab	Adam	Jeremiah
2PH	Yahya	Kieron	Nora	Sophia
3MK	Maxi	Awo	Hawdyar	Lillie
3CS	Stephanie	Adrian	Valentina	Sammy
4JA	Keeva	Albie	Mahdi	Nickcari
4MV	Maida	Dylan	Brianna	Glenn
5JG	Diaz	Ezekiel	Yacine	Davontae
5BH	Samiya	Chloe	Sara	Nihal A
6JA	Abrar	Emilia	Bryony	James
6JB	Isa	Lexie	Fatima	Eliab

This week's gem winners are....

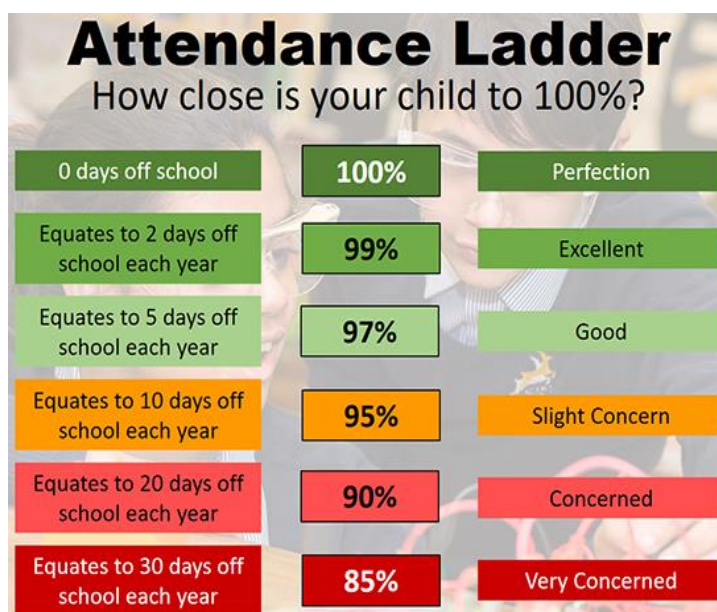
Rubies

This week's treasure chest winners are...

1CM and 5JG

Attendance

Class	Attendance
RSP	88.34%
RCC	92.86%
1CM	98.11%
1AJ	93%
2PH	84.56%
3MK	95.56%
3CS	97.98%
4JA	100%
4MV	95.15%
5JG	98.05%
5BH	94.84%
6JA	98.65%
6JB	96.94%
Whole school	93.94%
School target	96%



This week's attendance winners are 4JA

Latest News

Last day of term

A reminder that school finishes for the term on **Friday 17th December at 2:00pm**. The children return to school on **Wednesday 5th January**.

Christmas performances

Well done to our Little Stars, Nursery and Reception children for their amazing performances! They sang really well and provided the audience with a positive start to the day!



Next week, will be our KS1 and KS2 performances - we look forward to welcoming our parents/carers into school. We may have to cancel/postpone some/all of the events depending on the weather - obviously, I cannot control the rain clouds so let's hope that they are kind to us! The school will send you a text on the morning of the performance/s should we need to cancel/postpone.

Please note that, even though we will be outside, we are strongly encouraging the use of face coverings for all in attendance.

The schools' guidance has been updated to say that:

“People should wear a face covering in crowded and enclosed spaces where you come into contact with people you do not normally meet.”

Date	Year group/s	Location
Monday 13 th December at 9:15am	Years 3 and 4	KS2 playground
Tuesday 14 th December at 9:15am	Years 5 and 6	KS2 playground
Wednesday 15 th December at 9:15am	Years 1 and 2	KS2 playground

- For the performances you will be allowed to enter the school site via Faunce Street gate from 9:10am.
- Refreshments are cancelled.

Gem winners’ trip to the Blue Elephant Theatre

Emeralds were our gem winners this term and got to attend a performance at the Blue Elephant Theatre. The production was called ‘The Search for Santa’ and was about a Scientist and a Penguin seeking out Santa to prove he is real. The children had an amazing time! Which gem house will win next term?



Save the Children’s Winter Dress-Up Day

Today the children came to school wearing their wintery clothing - thank you to everyone who donated to the *Save the Children* charity.

Christmas lunch

Our Christmas lunch will take place on **Wednesday 15th December**. Should your child/ren wish to wear their festive jumpers/clothing again, they can do so on this day.

Class parties

Class parties will take place on **Thursday 16th December**. Children are allowed to wear their party clothes to school all day on Thursday. You may have been asked by your child’s class teacher for contributions towards the party - please remember that we do not allow nuts, grapes or pork products in school.

Ensure that you regularly update the school office should your child/ren have any allergies or medical needs.



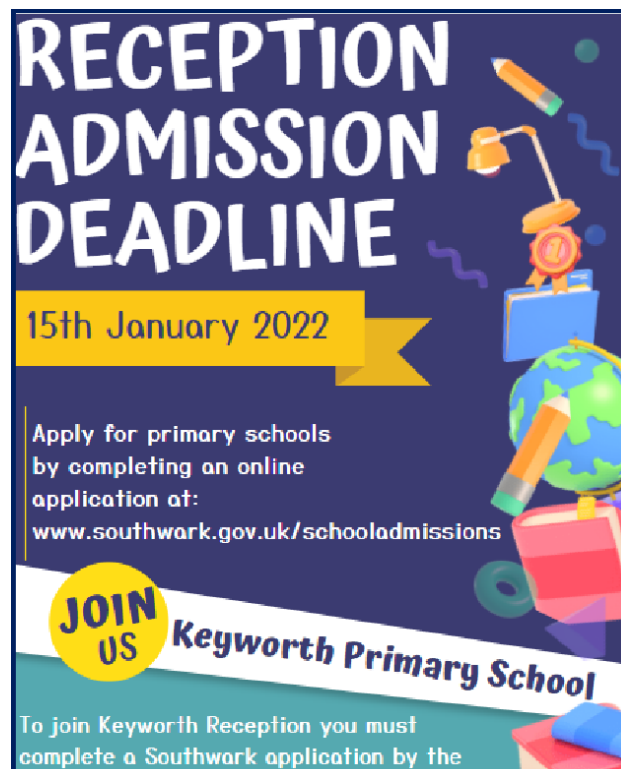
Reception applications

The admission deadline for Reception applications is **Friday 15th January 2022**. Please recommend Keyworth to your friends and families! If your child is currently in Nursery, you will need to apply for a Reception place and can do so by using the link below:

<https://www.southwark.gov.uk/schools-and-education/school-admissions>

Food vouchers

Southwark remains committed to supporting its disadvantaged pupils during the 2021-22 winter school holiday periods 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, **by the end of term you will receive food vouchers if your child/ren are entitled to benefits-related free school meals.**



**RECEPTION
ADMISSION
DEADLINE**

15th January 2022

Apply for primary schools by completing an online application at:
www.southwark.gov.uk/schooladmissions

JOIN US Keyworth Primary School

To join Keyworth Reception you must complete a Southwark application by the

The poster features a dark blue background with white text. On the right side, there are colorful illustrations of school supplies: a pencil, a ruler, a globe, a stack of books, and a red box. A yellow banner highlights the deadline date. At the bottom, a white banner with a yellow circle containing 'JOIN US' and the school name is present. The text at the bottom is partially cut off.

Year 2 - The Great Fire of London

Year 2 have been learning about The Great Fire of London - look at some of our artwork depicting that famous event.



Keyworth Friends raffle

Please note that I will draw the raffle next week - this will not be done live so that we avoid crowds of people. Parents/carers will then be informed of the winning tickets via email.

Support for families - Southwark's Winter of Food and Fun

Southwark Council are partnering with local holiday club providers across the borough to provide an exciting programme of meals and activities for children and young people in our local communities. The winter of food and fun will run from Monday 20 December to Friday 31 December 2021. **Free places are available for children between the ages of 4 and 16 years who are eligible for free school meals.**

The programme wants to give local families access to free, healthy food and fun activities over the winter holidays. Each programme will provide:

- Free, healthy and tasty food;
- Fun physical activity sessions;
- A wide range of other activities to suit different ages and personalities;
- Opportunities to learn more about food and nutrition for children and families.

Further details can be found below:

<https://www.southwark.gov.uk/health-and-wellbeing/health-advice-and-support/healthy-eating?chapter=8>

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Word of the Week

This week's *Word of the Week* is **malleable**. 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., **malleability**? Can they identify any synonyms or antonyms?

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

Previous words	euphoric, disclosed, premature, alleviate, gullible, bamboozle, elite, corrupt, vigour, penultimate, rebuff, contemplate, euphoria
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I would like to wish you a lovely weekend!

Ray Capper
Head of School