

# Keyworth Primary School Newsletter



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## Important dates for your diary

Autumn Term 2		Christmas dates TBC	
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

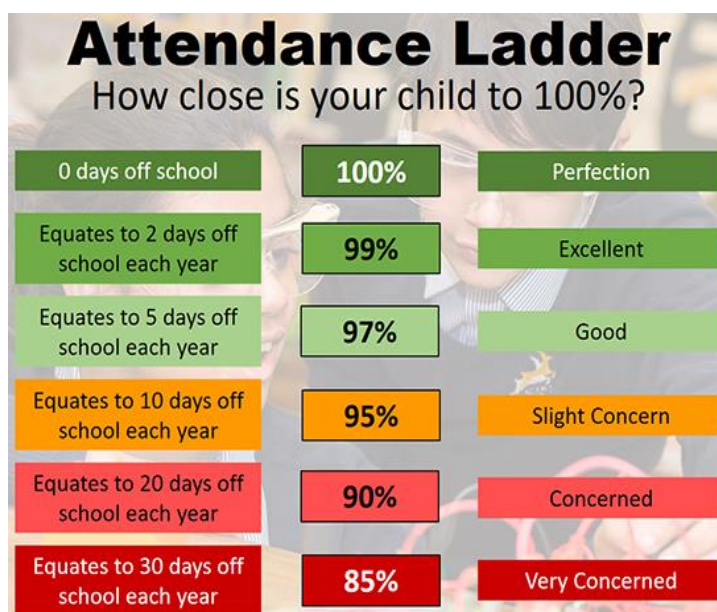
Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Reader of the Week
RCC	Davena	Fatimah	Mohamed-Alie	Harper
RSP	Sade	Yaqub	Freya	Zak

Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Presenter of the Week
1CM	Mawaddah	Alayna	Francesco	Yussef
1AJ	Zeynab	Elise	Jake	Amanah
2PH	Amelia	Sumayah	Sophia	Ayaan
3MK	All of 3MK	Erin-Rose	Awo	Maxi
3CS	Valentina	Kymani	Genesis	Lucas
4JA	Kiara	Cristalera	Mahdi	Mahid
4MV	Davarney	Jawdan	Jay	Daybel
5JG	Nathaniel	Davontae	Asim	Raia
5BH	Janet	Rachel	Seham	Joanna
6JA	Harrison	Beyonce	All of 6JA	Hazel
6JB	Eliab	Jay	Tyrell	Adama

This week's gem winners are....	Rubie
This week's treasure chest winners are...	1AJ, 5JG and 5BH

## Attendance

Class	Attendance
RSP	98.18%
RCC	89.55%
1CM	92.75%
1AJ	93.17%
2PH	88.65%
3MK	94.74%
3CS	96.95%
4JA	93%
4MV	93.85%
5JG	97.58%
5BH	100%
6JA	95.58%
6JB	99.15%
Whole school	94.57%
School target	96%



This week's attendance winners are 5BH

## Latest News

### Keyworth supporting local schools

Those of you who regularly read the newsletter and/or speak to me in person know that I am extremely proud to work at Keyworth and that I love to share how wonderful I think the school and its community is. This term, Keyworth has welcomed senior leaders and teachers from other primary schools, as well as council representatives and advisers, as we have been identified by the council's education department as having high-quality provision throughout the school. The visits have been in a supportive capacity to enable other schools to implement effective teaching and learning in their settings. Prior to this, we have supported other schools and the council itself with things like safeguarding and inclusion, curriculum development, teacher training and the creation of model policies and procedures that have been shared throughout the borough.

We are delighted to be able to support other schools in the community to ensure that all children get the best standard of education possible - I would like to thank all Keyworth staff for their hard work and dedication to the school and its children and families every single day.

### BBC Children in Need

Today we celebrated BBC Children in Need by coming to school dressed in spots and/or stripes. Thank you to everyone who donated!

### Anti-Bullying Week - storytelling

As part of Anti-Bullying Week, we were able to welcome back to Keyworth Fiona Campbell who is a former Deputy Headteacher of the school. Fiona delivered storytelling sessions to our Nursery, Reception and KS1 children, who seemed to really enjoy the experience.



## Anti-Bullying Week - odd socks day

On Monday, the children and staff attended school wearing odd socks to demonstrate how we are all unique. As I did not want to lose any of my socks, I wore odd socks on Tuesday too!



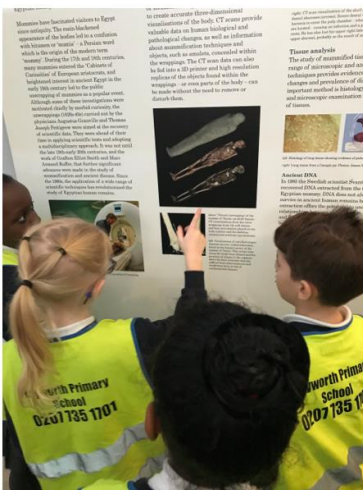
## Anti-Bullying Week - learning

Year 3 have been creating posters around the themes of 'anti-bullying' and needing only 'one kind word'. The children also discussed strategies for preventing bullying and what they should do if they or someone else is being bullied.



## Year 3 - British Museum trip

Year 3 visited the British Museum to look at some amazing galleries to support their topic learning around the Ancient Egyptians. They also took part in a workshop where they had to play investigators to work out what different artefacts were, how they were used and what they told you about life during the Ancient Egyptian times.





## Keyworth Friends - Autumn Fair

I would like to thank again everyone who supported the running of the Keyworth Friends Autumn Fair, including those who donated food and/or offered their time - **£479.28 was raised in total!** It started off with some rain which meant that a last-minute dash into the hall was required, but overall it was a roaring success!

Congratulations to Kymaani in 3CS who won the 'Guess the sweets in the jar' competition.

A reminder that you can follow Keyworth Friends on the following platforms:

**Twitter:** @keyworthfriends

**Instagram:** @keyworthPrimarySchoolFriends

**Facebook:** Keyworth Primary School Friends Association

**Classlist**



### Times Table Rockstars Champion

Congratulations to Teyo in 6JA who has the fastest time on Times Table Rockstars in the school - can anyone beat him?

### Support for families 1

The 'Worrying about money' leaflet is a simple and straightforward resource for people facing financial difficulties in Southwark. It offers a quick way to see what advice is available and which local agencies are best placed to help. Click below to access the leaflet:

<https://uploads.strikinglycdn.com/files/ec340692-efdf-40b1-92f1-d9f5effceb5a/Southwark%20Leaflet.pdf?id=3716060>

### Support for families 2

At the end of this email you will find further information about local courses for parents/carers. You can also click on the link below for a full range of courses available, some FREE and some paid for:

<https://micomputsolutions.co.uk/courses/>

### Support for families 3 - The Place2Be Team

Place2Be is a children's mental health charity with over 25 years' experience working with pupils, families and staff in UK schools. To support families, they have created *Parenting Smart*:

- Created by Place2Be's parenting experts;
- Based on evidence and our experience of working with children and families;
- Designed with busy parents in mind, with short videos and articles;
- Topics from meltdowns to friendship difficulties, from anxiety to the transition to secondary school.

[https://parentingsmart.place2be.org.uk/?utm\\_source=Sprint1&utm\\_medium=email&utm\\_campaign=parenting-smart](https://parentingsmart.place2be.org.uk/?utm_source=Sprint1&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=parenting-smart)

### Word of the Week

This week's *Word of the Week* is **rebuff**. 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., **rebuffed/rebuffing**? Can they identify any synonyms or antonyms?

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

<b>Previous words</b>	euphoric, disclosed, premature, alleviate, gullible, bamboozle, elite, corrupt, vigour, penultimate
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I would like to wish you a lovely weekend!

Ray Capper  
Head of School





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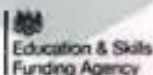
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