

Keyworth Primary School Newsletter

Part of The Gem Federation

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Friday 27th June 2025

Term Dates 2024-2025

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School Holidays

INSET Days

Tutorial Day

Bank Holidays

Important dates for your diary

Summer 2

24.06.25	Sports day - Nursery at 2:15pm - in school	11.07.25	Summer fair at 3:30pm
02.07.25	Transitioning to year 1 parent workshop at 2:45pm	15.07.25	Year 6 production at 5:00pm
02.07.25	Year 1 'stay and play' at 3:30pm	17.07.25	Years 5 and 6 sports day at 9:30am
03.07.25	Current nursery parents to Reception workshop at 2:45pm	17.07.25	Year 6 BBQ - 3:30pm to 5:30pm
03.07.25	Reception 'stay and play' at 3:30pm	18.07.25	Year 6 graduation at 9:10am
09.07.25	Carnival at 2:30pm	21.07.25	Class parties - pm
		22.07.25	Last day of term - 2:00pm finish

Celebrations

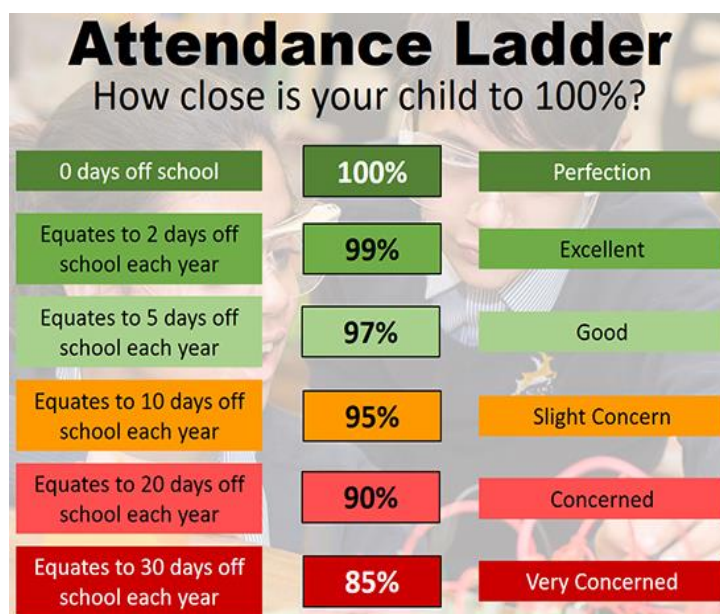
Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Reader of the Week	Presenter of the Week
Pearls	Vega	Maida	Kylan	Sadan	Yaseena
Opals	Nayara	Freddie	K'Sharii	Desire	Yussuf
Moonstones	Alissa	Naila	Ali	Oliver	Kwaku
2PH	Benjamin	Anna	Ibtisam	Freddie	Afia

Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Presenter of the Week
3EB	Zanetor	Ava,Nabiha & Tajay	Zak	Ellie,Aylin& Sofia
3GC	Sonnie	Jasmine	Ian	Fatima N
4AB	Nate	Amber	Iyad	Elijalyn
4HE	Ifeoma	Abib	Elise E	Manha
5AA	5AA	Tilly	Ayaan	Shakib
5BH	Arthur	Petr	Zaynab	Ava
6MM	BJ	Meriem	Joao	Valentina
6CS	6CS	Samih	Lillie	Elijah

This week's gem winners are....	Diamonds
This week's treasure chest winners are...	1ER 6CS
This week's healthy lunch winners are...	Shahid 3GC Elise E 4HE

Attendance

Class	Attendance
Pearls	93.06
Opals	93.75
Moonstones	95.14
2PH	95.98
3EB	90.51
3GC	93.58
4AB	95.83
4HE	97.84
5AA	97.78
5BH	99.07
6CS	97.33
6MM	91.41
Whole school	94.1
School average (year)	93.01%
National average (year)	94.9%
School target	96%



This week's attendance winners are 5BH

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

1 st	2nd	3rd
5BH 97.17	6CS 96.91	4AB 96.00

Latest News

Parent/carer conduct

Keyworth has the highest expectations in relation to the conduct of children, staff and parents/carers, with any inappropriate behaviour being challenged and actioned.

As a reminder, any concerns regarding incidents in school must be addressed through the proper channels with school staff and in a calm manner. Parents/carers should not be going up to other parents/carers as this antagonises others and makes the situation worse. This is not the type of school that Keyworth is or one that we want for the children to attend.

Our priority is to maintain a safe and respectful environment for all children, parents/carers and staff. Any disputes between parents/carers or members of the public should be handled away from the school premises and any concerns about incidents involving children should be reported directly to the school for appropriate resolution.

If parents/carers are involved in disputes or confrontations in and around school, this may result in a ban from school premises. We take this matter extremely seriously and expect all members of our school community to behave in a respectful and responsible way.

We appreciate your cooperation in ensuring that our school remains a positive and supportive community for everyone.

Keyworth Carnival

Keyworth Carnival takes place on **Wednesday 9th July from 2:30pm** - further details are to follow.

This year's carnival theme will not only be a celebration of the children's learning, but bring families and friends together to help 'Protect our Planet' - a theme that concerns us all and is one of the most important issues of our generation.

You can support your child by learning our Carnival song at home (Reception of Year 6)!

Big Yellow Taxi

They paved paradise and put up a parking lot
With a pink hotel, a boutique, and a swinging hot spot

Don't it always seem to go
That you don't know what you got 'til it's gone
They paved paradise and put up a parking lot

shooo, bop, bop, bop
Shooo, bop, bop, bop

They took all the trees, and put em in a tree museum
And they charged the people a dollar and a half to see them

Don't it always seem to go
That you don't know what you got 'til it's gone
They paved paradise, and put up a parking lot

shooo, bop, bop, bop
Shooo, bop, bop, bop

Hey farmer, farmer, put away your DDT now
Give me spots on my apples
but leave me the birds and the bees
Please

Don't it always seem to go
That you don't know what you got 'til it's gone

They paved paradise and put up a parking lot

shooo, bop, bop, bop
Shooo, bop, bop, bop

Listen, late last night, I heard the screen door slam
And a big yellow taxi took away my old man

Don't it always seem to go
That you don't know what you got 'til it's gone
They paved paradise and put up a parking lot

shooo, bop, bop, bop
Shooo, bop, bop, bop

Don't it always seem to go
That you don't know what you got 'til it's gone

They paved paradise to put up a parking lot

Shoo, bop, bop, bop
Shooo, bop, bop, bop

They paved paradise and put up a parking lot

shoo, bop, bop, bop
Shoo, bop, bop, bop

They Paved paradise and put up a parking lot

Upcoming dates

Next week the following events will be taking place:

Date	Action
02.07.25	Transitioning to year 1 parent workshop at 2:45pm
02.07.25	Year 1 'stay and play' at 3:30pm
03.07.25	Current nursery parents to Reception workshop at 2:45pm
03.07.25	Reception 'stay and play' at 3:30pm

Keyworth Friends' Summer Fair

The Summer Fair is fast-approaching! Please contact Keyworth Friends to volunteer your time on the day and/or to support the organising before then, and/or to book a stall.



MasterChef

MasterChef concluded The British Nutrition Foundation Healthy Eating Week. Each year group in the school focused on one herb as the centrepiece for their learning, which included learning about the importance of herbs in our diet, how and where the herb is grown and its benefits to our health. Additionally, classes were given seeds to grow to observe its development over time. During MasterChef, the children created food inspired by their herb and presented their dishes to an expert panel of judges, alongside a short video introduction. Congratulations to Year 3 and Year 5 who were the MasterChef 2025 winners!



6CS recycling trip

This week, 6CS visited Southwark's Integrated Waste Management Facility (IWMF). They began the day in The Recycling Discovery Centre (RDC) which is an interactive indoor space. In the RDC, the children engaged with the mini Materials Recovery Facility and participated in a range of activities to learn about the recycling process.

They then went on a tour of the Materials Recovery Facility (MRF). The MRF is one of the most advanced recycling facilities in Europe. All materials collected for recycling from homes across Southwark are processed at this plant before being sent off to manufacturers to turn the recycled raw materials into new products!





Nursery sports day

What a great Nursery sports day it was! Well done to all of the children for showcasing their best efforts. Best of all, the children (and families) appeared to have a lot of fun!



Support for families 1 - FREE dyslexia fair

At the end of this newsletter is a poster containing information about a local and FREE dyslexia fair.

Support for families 2 - FREE summer creative programme

At the end of this newsletter is a poster containing information about a FREE summer creative programme for those aged 11 to 16.

Support for families 3 - music opportunities outside of school

Southwark Music teach the music curriculum at Keyworth. Click on the link below for further information about music offers provided by Southwark Music outside of school:



[Southwark Music - for parents/carers](#)

Support for families 4 - Year 6 transition

At the end of this newsletter is a poster containing information about a FREE Year 6 transition theatre programme.

Support for families 5 - Thomas Calton Centre activities

At the end of this newsletter are two posters containing information about upcoming events for families taking place at the Thomas Calton Centre.

Support for families 6 - Summer holiday clubs

If your child gets benefits-related free school meals they can join one of our many Food and Fun holiday clubs (**running weekdays 28th July to 29th August**). The clubs provide fun activities, plus healthy and free food. Click on the link below for further information and to book:

[Southwark's summer of food and fun](#)

Support for families 7 - Cycling Festival at Burgess Park

Enjoy a free family-friendly day at our Streets for People Southwark Cycle Fest, on **Sunday 6th July, from 10:00am to 4:30pm**. Celebrating cycling in Southwark, there will be free cycling activities for all ages and abilities. Click on the link below for further information:

[Cycling Festival](#)

Word of the Week

This week's *Word of the Week* is **signature**. 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. **signatory**. Can they identify any synonyms or antonyms?

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

Previous words	accompanying, variety, frequent, sincere, appreciating, tolerant, immediate, guarantee, occupying, amateur, foreign, queue, parliament, developing, bargain, communication, prejudice, attached, aggressive, symbol, available, sufficient, system, rhythm, criticise, identity, governed, bruise, occurring, leisure, conscious, physical
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I would like to wish you and your family a wonderful weekend!

Ray Capper
Head of School

 **FREE EVENT**



DYSLEXIA FAIR 2025

UNDERSTANDING TODAY

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SHAPING TOMORROW

www.bellhouse.co.uk



REGISTERED CHARITY
NUMBER 1157339

SUPPORT

**DYSLEXIA
FAIR**

RESOURCES

**27th September
10am - 4pm**

AWARENESS

FREE SUMMER CREATIVE PROGRAMME

ARE YOU AGED 11–16?

LOVE ARTS AND MUSIC?

LIVE IN SOUTHWARK?

**JOIN US THIS SUMMER TO MEET
ARTISTS AND MUSICIANS, GET
CREATIVE, AND CONNECT WITH
OTHER YOUNG PEOPLE!**

Bold Tendencies, a not for profit arts organisation, is working with **The Nest**, mental health and wellbeing hub, for the third year; to deliver a series of seven, free creative and wellbeing sessions.

When: Every Friday, 11 - 3pm
Friday 25 July - Friday 29 August

Where: Bold Tendencies, Multi-storey Car
Park, Rye Lane, Peckham, SE15 4ST

The programme is free.

Breakfast and lunch will be provided.

**BOLD
TENDENCIES**

**SCAN FOR
MORE INFO**



community@boldtendencies.com

THE NEST





**FREE
YEAR 6**



LITTLE FISH THEATRE SUMMER PROGRAMME

FOR SOUTHWARK CHILDREN

28TH JULY - 8TH AUG

2025 (MON-FRI)

AT RYE OAK PRIMARY SCHOOL

**FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO
BOOK A PLACE FOR YOUR CHILD
EMAIL: INFO@LITTLEFISHTHEATRE.CO.UK**



**TO FILL IN A BOOKING FORM
CLICK THE LINK BELOW OR
SCAN THE QR CODE**

<https://bit.ly/413nERW>



Free summer holiday fun and food for families at the Thomas Calton Centre!

Southwark
Council

arts & crafts
sewing
henna
storytelling
pottery
gardening
cooking
games
origami
stay & play
outings
dance
sports



Monday - Wednesday

28th - 30th July 11.00 - 15.00

4th - 6th August 11.00 - 15.00

11th - 13th August 11.00 - 15.00

**Bring children aged 0 - 9 years
Lunch / refreshments provided free**

Contact

adult.learning@southwark.gov.uk

Tel: 0207 7358 2100

**Thomas Calton Centre
Alpha Street
Peckham
SE15 4NX**

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Southwark Council

Thomas Calton Walking Club!



Individuals , families, children in buggies or on scooters are all welcome!

- From Saturday 5th July to Saturday 2nd August
- 10.00-11.00am
- Meet outside the Thomas Calton Centre on Choumert Rd at 09.50am
- Please bring a towel and some water with you.

To book, please call 0207 358 2100

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