Kellington Primary School

NEWSLETTER

20.11.2026

Miss School, Miss Out!

Next week is set to be another fun one!
If you miss school, you will miss out!

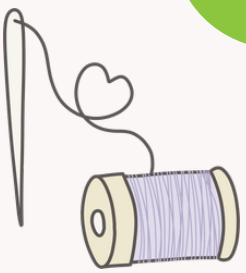
Class 1 will be learning about Thanksgiving and all the ways we can show gratitude.

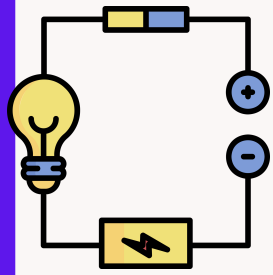




Class 2 will be delving into Christmas tales in English, featuring a elf and an oak tree!

Class 3 will be learning some simple sewing skills as they get ready to make their very own Christmas tree decorations!





Class 4 will be designing their light projects in DT!

Don't miss out on Mrs Gibbons-Lee's Super Sausage dinner on Thursday!



ATTENDANCE

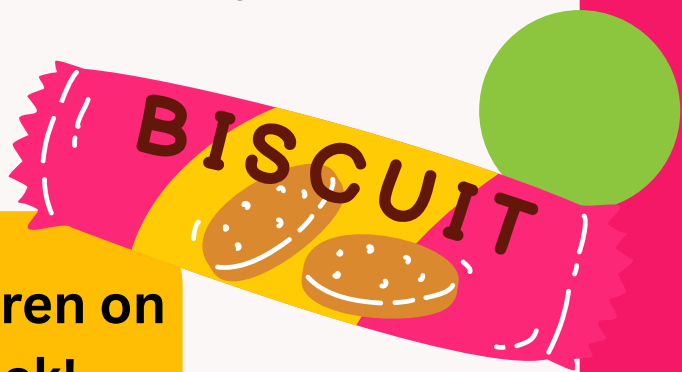
Attendance Matters – Every Day Counts!

Regular attendance is essential to ensuring that children achieve their full potential, both academically and socially. Did you know that children who have already had three or more separate periods of absence by 11th November have a 76% chance of becoming persistently absent over the academic year? Persistent absence means missing 10% (19 school days) or more of school sessions, equivalent to approximately one day every fortnight. Missing school regularly can have a significant impact on children's learning, friendships and overall wellbeing.

We recognise that children become unwell and that some absences are unavoidable. However, identifying patterns of absence early allows us to work together to prevent attendance becoming a greater concern. Over the coming weeks, a member of our attendance team will be contacting families whose children have already had three or more periods of absence. These will be friendly, supportive check-in calls to see how things are going, discuss any barriers to attendance and explore how we can help.

Every school day counts, and by working together, we can give every child the best possible opportunity to thrive!

WINNERS!



Class 2 for the most children on time to school this week!

Diary Dates

Mon 23rd Nov 3.15-4.15pm	JLT Meeting
Fri 27th Nov 2.45pm	Parent Art Gallery Viewing
Wed 2nd Dec 2-3pm	KS2 Christingle at Church
Mon 7th Dec 3.15-4.15pm	JLT meeting
Wed 9th Dec 2-3.15pm	Class 1 (EYFS) Christmas Stay and Play and Performance
Thurs 10th Dec	Whole School Pantomime Trip
Wed 16th Dec pm	Class 2,3,4 Christmas Performance
Thurs 17th Dec am	Class 2,3,4 Christmas Performance
Thurs 17th Dec 3.15-4.15	Class 1,2 Christmas Disco
Thurs 17th Dec 4.30-5.30	Class 3,4 Christmas Disco

A Gentle Reminder

Please be reminded that the bus stop area outside the school is reserved for disabled parking only.

We kindly ask all parents and carers to respect this space and avoid parking or stopping there unless authorised to do so. These spaces are essential for ensuring safe and accessible access for those who need them.

Thank you for your understanding, cooperation and consideration.

ANTI-BULLYING WEEK

We've had a fantastic week at Kellington celebrating Anti-Bullying Week!

Throughout the week, we have been learning about the importance of speaking out respectfully and thinking carefully about the impact our words can have on others. We explored the idea of the ripple effect, thinking about how one small action or comment can have a much bigger impact.
We finished the week by focusing on kindness, discussing the many ways we can show kindness in school and how we can all play our part in creating a positive, supportive environment. Most importantly, we learnt that by standing together, showing kindness and supporting one another, we can unite against bullying.

Together, we can make a difference!



Bottle Tombola and Art Gallery

On Friday 27th November at 2.45pm, we are excited to welcome all of our parents/carers to our termly Kellington Art Gallery. The children have been working hard this week to get their masterpiece's ready for their debut!



To help raise money for school, our JLT will be leading on a Bottle Bonanza stall.
All donations are greatly welcomed!
Thank you as always for your continued support!

PE KITS AND SAFETY MEASURES

Please make sure your child comes to school on Mondays with their PE kit so they are ready to take part in all aspects of their PE learning.

Children need both an indoor and outdoor kit:



Black shorts

White T-shirt

Black jogging bottoms

Black zip-up top or jumper

Trainers



As the weather gets colder, please also make sure your child has gloves and a hat, as they will continue to take part in PE outdoors.

For safety, earrings need to be removed or securely taped over for PE. If your child is unable to remove their own earrings, please either remove them before school or help them learn how to tape them safely.

Thank you, as always, for your support in helping us keep our children safe and ready to learn!



How did we SHINE **this** week?

Shining Stars

Class 1	**Abraham,** for his enthusiasm when joining in with actions during singing.
Class 2	**Oscar,** for being a super learner!
Class 3	**Josie,** for your super resilience and perseverance in writing this week. Keep it up!
Class 4	**Krystal,** showing kindness to members of staff, helping out even when you are not asked to. Well done.

Values Awards



Athena
Bridie
Astrid
Oliver M



Take Off 25

Rahman
Oscar
Rosie



Winning Team



Star Reader

Isla
Bronson
Iris
Caroline



WORK WITH US!



🌟 **Exciting Job Opportunity at Kellington Primary School!** 🌟



We are looking for a Breakfast Club Lead to join our warm, friendly and positive team at Kellington Primary School.

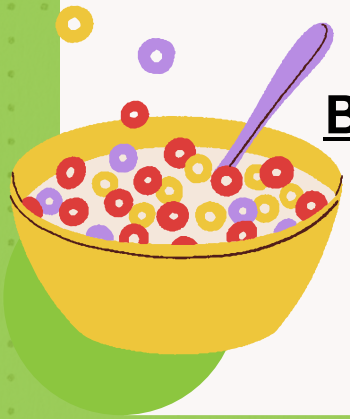
Our Breakfast Club welcomes children from 7.30am–8.45am, providing a happy and relaxed start to the school day through breakfast, games, activities and time with friends.

This is a fantastic opportunity to become part of our school community, work alongside a supportive team and make a real difference to the start of our children's day.

If you are enthusiastic, caring and enjoy working with children, we would love to hear from you!

👉 **Interested?**

Click the link below for more information and to apply.



Breakfast Club Leader Job Advert

