

Kellington Primary School

NEWSLETTER

16.1.2026



This half term's learning

Walking around school this week has been even more delightful than usual. The children have been engaged in their new units of learning, which they are thoroughly enjoying. Please click on the links below to see this half term's overview. These are also available on Tapestry or the class Google Classroom.

[Class 1](#)

[Class 3](#)

[Class 2](#)

[Class 4](#)

Parents' evenings

Thank you to everyone who attended parents' evenings this week—we really appreciate you taking the time to meet with staff and discuss your child's progress. If you haven't yet managed to make an appointment, please speak to your child's class teacher or contact the school office, who will be happy to help arrange a suitable time.

We have found lots of children have not got their PE kits in school. Please remember to send these in on Mondays for the week ahead.

Our admin office is open Mon-Thurs 8.30am-3.15pm. If calling outside of these hours, please leave a voicemail as staff will be preparing their classrooms for the children. We will endeavour to get back to you as soon as possible. Our admin office will be checked on Fridays by Mrs Fox, Mrs Houlden or Mrs Lawrence.

UPCOMING EVENTS

★ PARENTS EVENINGS

WEDNESDAY 14TH AND
THURSDAY 15TH JANUARY

★ YOUNG VOICES

THURSDAY 29TH JANUARY

★ EYFS STAY AND PLAY

TUESDAY 3RD FEBRUARY

★ VALENTINE'S DISCO

THURSDAY 12TH FEBRUARY

★ SCHOOL CLOSES TO PUPILS

FRIDAY 13TH FEBRUARY AT 3.15PM

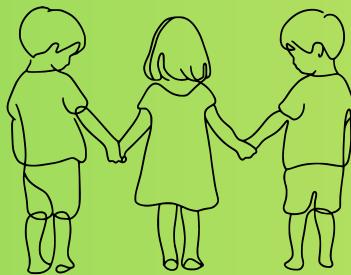
We use **Shining Listening** at Kellington Primary School

This means that we:

- look at the person who is speaking
- track the speaker
- have empty hands
- wait our turn to speak
- sit still and upright

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Behaviour At Kellington



We use **Shining Walking** at Kellington Primary School

This means that we:

- keep our hands by our sides
- walk in a straight line
- face forwards
- be silent
- keep to the left

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Showing respect is one of our four school values. This is where we respect ourselves and each other with our words and actions.

It has been brilliant to see the children showing acts of respect such as using their manners, holding doors for each other and showing shining listening.

Perhaps you could ask the children to show you what this looks like at home?

Reading At Kellington

We hugely value reading at Kellington and recognise its importance. Children bring home their reading book and are encouraged to read out loud to an adult on at least 3 occasions per week. When reading records are signed, our children are celebrated when they achieve: 25, 50, 100 and 200 reads where they are invited to choose their own book to take home. I wonder which of our wonderful children will receive the next award?



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Reading Volunteers Needed

Do you have a couple of hours free each week? Would you like to listen to children read? Then we need you!

Reading is a key aspect of everyday life and we want all of our children to be confident readers. The more practise children have, the better they get.

Please speak with your class teaching team if you are able to support us with this at school.

Hall of Fame

Brax - 50 reads
Noah - 25 reads
Tommy - 25 reads
Rupert - 25 reads
Brody - 25 reads





How did we SHINE this week?

Shining Star



Class 1 - Silvana for always being a shining example of The Kellington Way.

Class 2 - Noah for working really hard this week with your learning.

Class 3 - Harley for your great sportsmanship during playtimes and lunchtimes.

Class 4 - Evie for your amazing attitude towards your learning. It's helping you to be the best you can be!



Golden Welly



Freya, Avril-Jayne, Maddison, Bridie and Sienna-J for creating a worm world.



Values Award



Star Mathematician

Class 1 - Artemis

Class 2 - Josie

Class 3 - Paisley-Blu

Class 4 - Harry T



Abel (YR) - for making super choices when 'choosing it, using it and putting it away' in Class 1! (Integrity)

Owen (Y1) - for being super kind to a friend in class when you saw they were upset. (Kindness)

Jaxon (Y4) - for your attitude to learning. Even when you don't feel up to it, you always try your best. (Resilience)

Oliver B (Y6) - for your excellent attitude towards our practise SATs. You worked so hard and tried your best! (Resilience)



Attendance at Kellington

This Week's Class Attendance:



This Week's Whole School Attendance
95%

Minutes late this week (lost learning):
6 hours

Attendance Target:
97%+

Well done to everyone who has pushed themselves to be in school on time. Our attendance has really improved this week! Keep it up everyone!

This week's winning team is:

Red





**3 Intakes per year
(Autumn, Spring and
Summer term)**

15 and 30 hour funded

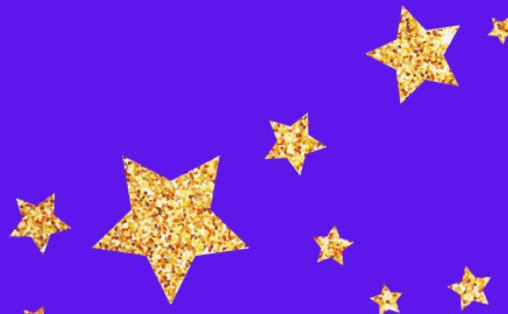
Nursery Places Available

places available from 3 years old. Contact the admin team to join our waiting lists as places are limited.

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Wrap Around Taster Session

We are excited to offer a free taster session for our wrap around after school club. The taster sessions will run from 3.15-6pm.

If you are interested in using the club, please **contact the office** to book your child in for their session.

