

Kellington Primary School

NEWSLETTER

19.9.2025

Highlights of the Week

Kingswood

We are really proud of our Year 6 children who took part in the Kingswood Residential. They have blown us away with their resilience, teamwork and great humour. Although we are sure they are tired, this experience will have given them memories that will last a lifetime.

Forest School

Our Class 2 and Year 5 children have had brilliant sessions this week at Forest School. They have developed their fire lighting skills, as well as participating in challenges such as making pictures out of autumn treasures.

UPCOMING EVENTS



CLASS 1 FOREST SCHOOL

MONDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER



YEAR 6 FOREST SCHOOL

TUESDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER



JLT MEETING

WEDNESDAY 17TH SEPTEMBER 3:15-4:15



EYFS STAY AND PLAY

THURSDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER 2:15-3:15



RECEPTION PHOTO GOOLE TIMES

FRIDAY 26TH SEPTEMBER

How did we SHINE this week?

Shining Stars

Class 1 - Abel for always being a superstar at tidy-up time!

Class 2 - Oliver B for being a fantastic example of the 'Kellington Way'

Class 3 - Hettie for always trying your best at everything you do.

Class 4 - Harlow for not giving up when faced with a challenge at forest school.

Golden Welly

Jaxon and Sienna-J for spending their time taking pride in our school equipment and sorting the shed.



Star Reader

Class 1 - Ayda

Class 2 - Oliver M

Class 3 - Oliver

Class 4 - Elian



Resilience Award

Class 1 - Sienna for wonderful levels of resilience when zipping up her own coat.

Class 2 - Lewis for your hard work and can do attitude in forest school.

Class 3 - Maddison for your resilience during our tricky drumba lesson.

Class 4 - Amber for showing resilience with raft building and Jacob's ladder. You pushed yourself with every activity.

Our Junior Leadership Team

Following sharing their manifestos with their classes and taking part in our elections this week, our new 'Junior Leadership Team' has been chosen.

We are proud to introduce our JLT of 2025-2026!



Ayda & Bronson



Reuben & Freddie



Jaxon & Jacob



Evie & Lauren

These children will represent the pupil voice throughout the school and support and drive changes and initiatives.



Imogen & Billy-Joe

House Captains



Isobelle & Annabel

Following preparing and delivering their house captain manifestos, our new house captains have been elected. We are pleased to introduce our 'House Captains' for 2025-2026!



Amber & Oliver



Ben & Sofia

Kellington Needs You!

Future Friday Assemblies

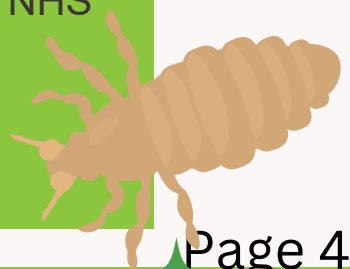
Last year, we were lucky to have members of our local community who came into school to share their educational journey, the jobs they have now and ultimately to interest and inspire our children. This included a local rugby legend, food hygiene inspector, Morrisons store designer and many more.

We are hoping to recruit some more volunteers to share their journeys to their current jobs with the children. This will broaden their understanding of the world they live in and give them more choices for their futures. If you would like to share your journey, please speak with Mrs Lawrence or Mrs Houlden.

Headlice Cases

We have had a couple of reported cases of headlice. Please check your child's hair regularly to avoid spreading these unwanted visitors. If you need any support or advice on treating and maintaining nit-free hair, please visit the NHS website below.

[NHS Nits and Headlice Webpage](#)





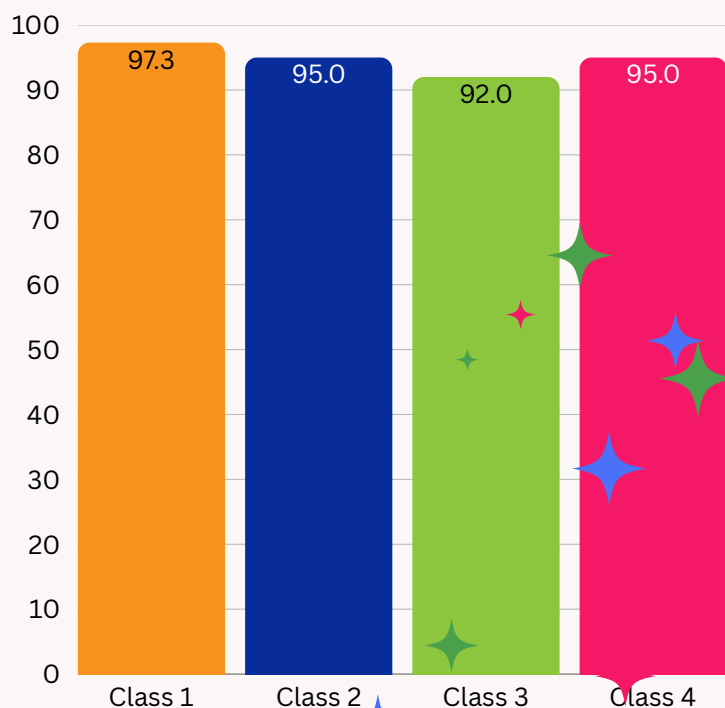
Caretaker Vacancy

Kellington Primary School has a vacancy for our caretaker role. If you are interested in applying, please click the link below.

[Vacancy Link](#)



This week's attendance:



Whole School Attendance

95%

Our target in school is to have 97% attendance.

A polite reminder that school begins at 8:45am. If your child comes in after this time, they will be marked as late. Every second counts!

Is your child due to start
Nursery or Reception?

Why don't you come along and
join us for a stay and play
session?

We would love to invite you and
your child to see our fantastic
Early Years' classroom and get a
glimpse of the learning and
development that takes place in
our wonderful environment!



When: Thursday 25th September 2025
Time: 2:15 - 3:15 pm

Where: Kellington Primary School's Early Years'
Classroom

Please phone 01977 661127 or email
admin@kp.starmat.uk to confirm your attendance.



Our focus during this session will
be 'Our Families.' The children will
be encouraged to introduce their
special people during play and
engage in activities together.
There will also be a Tapestry
Workshop to support getting the
most out of your child's online
journal.



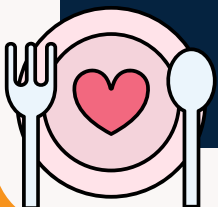
Free School Meals



***Children in Reception, Year 1 and 2 are entitled but
if you are in receipt of the following benefits, we
may be able to secure extra funding for school.
Universal Credit, income support, income-based
job seekers allowance, support under Part VI of the
Asylum Seekers Act 1999, the guaranteed element
of Pension Credit, Child Tax Credit or Working Tax
Credit.***

Free School Meals Link

***Please speak with the office if you need any
support.***



What's On?

Half Term Camps

Each half term we run our infamous Champions League holiday camp in the Sherburn area.

Players will get to become their own favourite players such as Haaland, Mbappe or Salah and compete for their favourite teams such as Manchester City, PSG and Leeds United to see who lifts the champions league trophy.

You can expect lots of goals, assists, saves and transfers and most importantly lots of fun!

For more information and to book this half term scan the QR code below or if you need to get in touch you can contact us on the details below:

Tel: 07703364815

Email: lizzie.patterson@thefutsalpartnership.com

Facebook: East Leeds Futsal

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To Book This Half Term



Dates	Event	Year Group
15th September	Year 1 Forest School	Year 1
16th September	Year 2 Forest School	Year 2
17th September	JLT Election Day	All years
17th-19th September	Kingswood Residential	Year 6
19th September	Year 5 Forest School	Year 5
22nd September	EYFS Forest School	Nursery and Reception
23rd September	Year 6 Forest School	Year 6
24th September	First JLT Meeting	Elected JLT Members
25th September	EYFS Stay and Play 2:15pm	Nursery and Reception
26th September	New starter photos	Reception
15th October	Thrive Day	All years
22nd-23rd October	Parents' Evenings	All years
23rd October	School closes to pupils	All years
24th October	School closed to pupils- Training Day	All years
3rd November	School opens to pupils	All years
10th November	Anti-Bullying Week / Odd socks day	All years
13th November	Art Gallery for Parents 2:45pm	All years
14th November	Children in Need	All years
24th November	Flu vaccinations	All years
2nd December	Y3-6 Tag Rugby Tournament	Key Stage 2
15th December	KS1/2 Christmas Performance PM	KS1/2
16th December	Pantomime Visit	All years
17th December	KS1/2 Christmas Performance AM	KS1/2
17th December	EYFS Stay and Play 2:00pm parents only 2:15pm public	Nursery and Reception
19th December	Christmas Dinner and Jumper Day	All years
19th December	School closes to pupils	All years
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6th January	School re-opens to pupils	All years
12th January	Y1/2 Sports Hall Athletics	KS1
14th-15th January	Parents' Evenings	All years
27th January	Year 3/4 Football tournament	Year 3 and 4
29th January	Young Voice	Young Voices Choir
3rd February	Year 5/6 Football Tournament	Year 5 and 6
3rd February	EYFS Stay and Play 2:15pm	Nursery and Reception
10th February	E-Safety Day	All years
13th February	School closes to pupils	All years
23rd February	School re-opens to pupils	All years
3rd March	Forest School	Year group to be confirmed
4th March	Forest School	Year group to be confirmed
5th March	World Book Day	All years
6th March	Forest School	Year group to be confirmed
10th March	Forest School	Year group to be confirmed
11th March	Forest School	Year group to be confirmed

13th March	Forest School	Year group to be confirmed
13th March	Comic Relief	All years
13th March	EYFS Stay and Play 8:45-9:45am	Nursery and Reception
19th March	Art Gallery for Parents 2:45pm	All years
20th March	Forest School	Year group to be confirmed
27th March	School closes to pupils	All years
13th April	School re-opens to pupils	All years
4th May	School closed- May Day Bank Holiday	All years
11th May	SATs Week	Year 6
12th May	EYFS Stay and Play 2:15pm	Nursery and Reception
21st May	Sports Day	All years
22nd May	School closes to pupils	All years
2nd June	School re-opens to pupils	All years
2nd June	Y4 Multiplication Check window	Y4
4th June	Reserve Sports Day	All years
8th June	Phonics Screening Check	Y1
9th June	Forest School	Year group to be confirmed
12th June	Forest School	Year group to be confirmed
16th June	Forest School	Year group to be confirmed
19th June	Forest School	Year group to be confirmed
19th June	EYFS Stay and Play 8:45-9:45am	Nursery and Reception
23rd June	Forest School	Year group to be confirmed
2nd July	Art Gallery for Parents 2:45pm	All years
3rd July	Forest School	Year group to be confirmed
7th July	Forest School	Year group to be confirmed
17th July	School closes to pupils	All years

* Any additional visits or events will be added to this list and shared with families, as soon as these are confirmed.