KPS Weekly

16.9.22

A word from Mrs Lawrence...

Well it has been another busy week at Kellington school and I am really enjoying getting to know all the children and their families.

This week we have launched our new website! Please take a look (<u>https://www.kellington.n-yorks.sch.uk</u>) as I am sure you will be impressed with its fresh new look. Whilst there is already lots of information about the school, we are working really hard to ensure that the information is up to date and useful for parents and carers.

Please remember that school will be closed on Monday 19th September for the Queen's funeral. We look forward to seeing you all back on Tuesday.

Schools Games Mark

We are very excited to announce that our school has been awarded the 'Bronze' Games Mark. A huge well done to our children for all their efforts in achieving this. We look forward to continuing to work hard on our journey towards the 'Silver' Games Mark.



Uniform

It has been lovely to see many of the children looking smart and proud of their uniforms as they have entered their new school year. Please could you ensure that long hair is tied back with simple bobbles or plain blue/black headbands can be worn should your child choose to (not fancy bobbles/headbands with adornments please). School does allow plain stud earrings but request that children are aware of how to remove these for PE or come to school on PE days without their earrings in. This is for their own safety. Nail varnish is not part of our school uniform.

Young Voices

A letter has been emailed today to every child in Key Stage 2 regarding the Young Voices concert on 5th January 2023. If you wish your child/ren to take part in the Young Voices concert please send a confirmation email as explained in the letter by Tuesday 20th September.

Year 6 Transfer to High School

Parents/carers can now apply for a school place for their child to transfer to High School in September 2023.

This is available at <u>www.northyorks.gov.uk/admissions</u>

Star of the Week

Sunflowers: Hallie			
Daffodils: Ruben			
Roses: Emelia			
Tulips: Annabel			
Lilies: Lola			

Communication

For both efficiency and environmental reasons, most letters will be emailed to the first parental contact. Please can we ask that you therefore check your email on a regular basis to ensure that you are kept up to date with school events.

Reminders

Medication

We can only administer prescribed medicines and creams. If your child requires medicine during the school day, then please complete a medication form (that can be found on our website) and take all medicines to the school office.

Travelling Home Alone

Children wishing to travel home alone must have a signed consent form (see below). Please contact the admin team if you wish for your child to travel home alone.

Year 6

Transfer to secondary school letters were sent on Tuesday 6th September. Please remember to apply for your child's place before the deadline.

Data Sheet

Every child should have brought home a Data Information Sheet this week. Thank you to all those parents who have returned theirs this week. It is extremely important that the information we have for your child is kept up to date, so please could you amend if necessary and sign and return the form by Wednesday of next week if possible.

Futsal Half Term Holiday Club

Please see the attached flyer about a club running over the half term holiday.



Attendance

We encourage good attendance at all times and know that if children attend well, they achieve well.

Our school target is 96% and we strive to support all families in achieving this target for all of our children. Please support us by ensuring that you take family holidays during the school holidays and not during term-time.

Attendance this week:

Sunflowers: 89.74% Daffodils: 96.54% Roses: 98.15% Tulips: 97.24% Lilies: 94.80%

Whole school - 96.48% Well done!

Dates for your diary

Friday 21st October - Training Day - school closed to children Monday 7th November- Individual photographs (Families with pre nursery siblings can attend at 8.30am for group photographs).





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Best wishes

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