

# KPS Weekly

30.9.22

## A word from Mrs Lawrence...

We have had a brilliant week in school and the children are really getting to grips with the new rules. This week we have been focusing on 'Keeping EVERYONE Safe'. The children have been encouraging each other to walk inside the building, push their chairs under and make sure that equipment is used safely. I have been so impressed with EVERYONE. Make sure to ask your children when they get home about how they have followed our focus rule.

Next week we will be focusing on a new rule from 'The Kellington Way' and we can't wait to see the children continue to flourish here at school, we will announce this as a whole school in Monday mornings assembly so please ask your child when they get home.

## Good Behaviour Policy

## JLT Elections Our Junior Leadership

Elections will take place week commencing Monday 17th October and all children are welcome to stand as prospective JLT members.

The children will be given the opportunity to share their manifesto with their class members and then each member of the class will vote in a secret ballot. The two children with the most votes in each class will be the JLT members for the year.

If you are helping your child prepare their manifesto please ensure it is no more than 3 minutes (it can be less). Our JLT are very active within school and with local and national initiatives. This allows the pupil voice to be a big part of our school.

## Google Classrooms

All children in school have now been set up with their own school starmat accounts. These are [firstname.surname@kp.starmat.uk](mailto:firstname.surname@kp.starmat.uk) Please ensure you have supported your child logging

onto this at home. The generic password for all is 'football'.

All homework and some in-class tasks will be scheduled through this. If you have any questions, please speak to your class teachers.

## Free School Meals.

If you think that you may be entitled to Free School Meals due to your current income, please contact the school office for further information on how to check availability and apply. Even if your child is in Early Years or KS1 and is currently receiving a universal free school meal, if you are entitled for economic reasons that it is really important that you apply, as there are still additional benefits for your child. All applications will be dealt with confidentially.

## Parent Governor

Parent governor vacancy.

Would you like to join our governing body and help to shape the strategic version of the school?

You can apply here:

<https://forms.gle/YwNoKMXf65quvRS58>

If you would like to talk to Caroline Gilley our chair of governors, on an informal basis about the role first then contact the school office by emailing: [admin@kp.starmat.uk](mailto:admin@kp.starmat.uk)

What do local governors do?

School Governors are responsible for strategic leadership and accountability within schools. In practice this means that governing bodies are responsible for such things as setting a range of school policies and ensuring they are adhered to; setting and monitoring the school budget; monitoring the progress that the school is making and setting targets for school improvement. Governors are not involved in the operational running of the school. The daily management of the school is the responsibility of the Headteacher.

## Reading

**Fab 50!**

We will be promoting reading at home through the Fab 50! Each time your child reads at home, please sign their reading record book (one signature per day). Please also number each read, perhaps by putting a number at the side of the signature. We will be tracking their home reads in school, and when they get to 50, they can choose a book from a selection, to keep for themselves. Unless, the children are free readers (KS2), the book must be the reading book which has been sent home, for the children to practise their reading skills.

We also continue to encourage reading for pleasure at home, which could be reading a bedtime story or having a story read to them, or enjoying the pictures in books and retelling

## Reading Records

Please ensure your child/ren bring their reading records into school every day. This will enable us to record any books the children have read, or when the adults have read with them. Thank you.

## Star of the Week

Sunflowers: Charlotte

Daffodils: Nancy

Roses: Ivie

Tulips: Sam

Lilies: Heidi



## Attendance

Attendance this week:

Sunflowers 100%

Daffodils 90.80%

Roses 86.92%

Tulips 91.03%

Lilies 86.40%

Whole school - 89.26%


## 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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