



Friday 29th September 2023

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Themes for next week's assemblies

Each week we have a special theme for our assemblies and one of our key skills/values will be a focus for the week, with children being rewarded for displaying these. Our skill and theme for the next school week will be: Caring/Yom Kippur

Hi Everyone,

Thank you to all of the parents who attended our Phonics workshop on Thursday. I hope that this has helped you to understand the importance of phonics in early reading and about how we teach this in school. Next week we will be having a reading workshop, at 9am on 4th October. You are welcome to come to find out how we teach reading and ways you can support your children at home.

There will be more workshops over the course of the year to help you to get more involved in your child's learning. Plus we have lots of other activities planned that you will hear more about as the year passes.

Please note that we have had to change the date of the 2A class assembly. It will now be on Friday 13th October not 20th as first stated in the diary. Parents/carers of the children in 2A are invited to come and watch, it will be in the school hall at 9am. Younger children are allowed but please take them out of the hall if they start making noise so that it does not disturb the enjoyment of others.

Parents Evenings are 18th/19th October. This will be appointment only, details of how to book will be sent out soon.

Have a wonderful weekend everyone.

Kind regards

Paula Rudd, Interim Headteacher

Fundraising Day

Next Friday we will be joining with the Junior school in a fundraising day. The fundraising is to raise money towards a memory garden and Cerebral Palsy. This is in memory of a little boy in the juniors who sadly passed away last year.

This will be a non-uniform day and the Juniors are organizing a tombola and raffle.

We are asking for a £1 donation in exchange for not wearing uniform. Raffle tickets will be on sale in the junior playground before and after school each day next week. The tombola will be available after school in the Junior school hall on Friday.

There are some amazing raffle prizes donated by local businesses including:

£50 voucher for the Bulls Head, Kings Norton

£25 Snack and Dough voucher

£20 Becketts Farm voucher

Tickets to KNRC firework and bonfire event

...and many more

Please help us to raise as much money as possible for this very worthy cause.

Reading

Please remember to return your child's reading book each Monday. If you do not return them they may not get another book until it is returned. We may have to charge for lost or damaged books.

I Rock Assembly

On Monday we will be having a special assembly from a company called 'I Rock'. They will be introducing the children to an opportunity to start having musical instrument lessons in school. Sadly there is a cost for this to parents. Details of cost etc will be sent home next week. They offer tuition in various instruments and supply the instruments.

Celebration Assemblies will be every week, each Friday at 9am. If your child has been chosen to receive a certificate you will be informed via text or email and you are welcome to attend.

Dates for your diary

Academic Year 2023-24

Wed 4th Oct – Reading workshop for parents 9am

Wed 11th Oct – Headteachers Parent Coffee morning 9am

Fri 13th Oct – 2A Class Assembly 9am (date change)

Wed/Thur 18th/19th Oct – Parents Evening

Wed 25th Oct – Teddy Bear Hospital visit to Reception

Fri 27th Oct – Halloween Disco 4.30pm

Wk bg 30th Oct – Half term break School Closed for week

Wk bg 6th Nov – Maths Workshops for parents 9am

Fr 17th Nov – BBC Children In Need Charity Day

Mon 27th Nov – Pantomime in school

Mon 18th Dec - EYFS Nativity performance am

KS1 performance pm

Tues 19th Dec – KS1 performance am

EYFS nativity performance pm

Thurs 21st Dec – Christmas parties

Fri 22nd Dec – End of term

Mon 8th Jan – Training Day school closed

Tues 9th Jan – Back to school