



KESTREL MEAD

PRIMARY ACADEMY



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28th May 2021

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School Nurse

If you need support directly from the school nurse, you can access this via their cloud number on **School Nurse Cloud Number: 0116 215 3234**

You can also find information and advice on our website **healthforkids**.

Transition

As we are coming to the end of the year, it is really important as a school that we get transition right even with the COVID restrictions still in place. For SEND pupils, Miss Rowe is busy working on supporting children with transition. All SEND pupils will be creating a transition sheet focusing on their worries and what they are looking forward to next year which will be given to their new class teacher. Staff will be handing over relevant information to each other to ensure that the new teacher knows how best to support the children. School are also creating transition books with the children to look at what might be new with regards to their new year group and what will stay the same. You will get these over the Summer Holidays so that you can allow the children to familiarise themselves with key adults working with them. With regards to whole school transition, children will have time to meet their new teacher and opportunity to learn more about them.

Year 6 SATs rewards morning

Last week, the year 6 children worked incredibly hard completing their end of year assessments. In order to give them as normal an experience as possible, we decided to have a mini revision period, followed by the 2019 SATs papers for maths and reading. They all showed incredible resilience, hard-work and dedication throughout the week, so it was only right that they got a reward at the end. We celebrated in style with a doughnut and ice cream parlour and a movie!





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Year 2 Celebration

It has certainly been a year like no other... but did that stop us? Absolutely not! Year 2 have been working hard throughout the year at home and at school towards the end of year assessments. In a normal year, Year 2 would sit SATs tests after preparing throughout the year. This year these children have been superstars in completing previous assessment papers in groups to support their teacher end of year assessment. The children have worked so hard and we are so very proud of how far they have come. Last Friday we had a day to celebrate!

The children loved having ice cream, playing party games, playing games outside and watching movies with some treats! They thoroughly deserve it, well done everybody!





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Sports Days NEXT WEEK NO SPECTATORS DUE TO COVID RA

We are very excited to be able to run sports day next week at Kestrel Mead. To help keep our children safe, we will be unable to have visitors to watch like previous years. However, your class teacher will post lots of photos onto Dojo and twitter, so please keep an eye out for those. Can all children please come to school in their P.E. kit on their designated day (timetable below), ready for lots of fun and sports-oriented celebration. Please ensure they have appropriate kit for the weather (sun-cream, hat, shorts, plenty of water etc.)

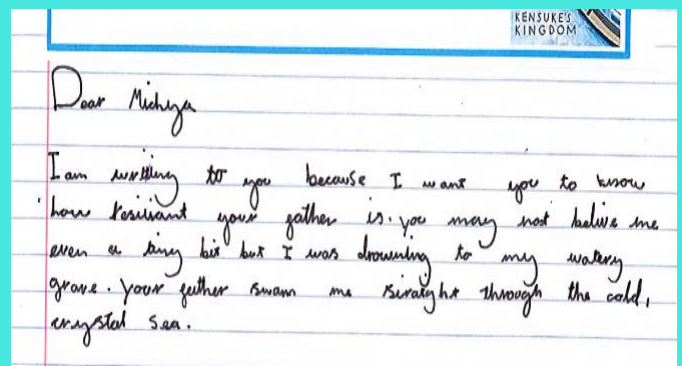
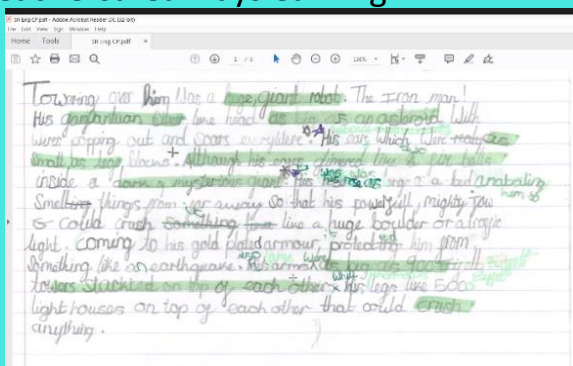
Monday the 21 st	Nursery
Tuesday the 22 nd	Reception
Wednesday the 23 rd	Year 2
Thursday the 24 th	Year 1

Monday the 21 st	Year 5
Tuesday the 22 nd	Year 6
Wednesday the 23 rd	Year 4
Thursday the 24 th	Year 3

English Moderation

Over the last 2 weeks some of our teachers have been attending TMET moderation with other teachers virtually. It has been a wonderful opportunity to connect with other teachers in our trust, share writing examples and discuss next steps. The teachers are able to share their judgements and moderate across the different schools. It is also an opportunity for teachers to reflect and move forward. 😊

#teachersarealwayslearning





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HOT MEALS ARE BACK!

Providing that restrictions are lifted and bubbles are no longer required, we will be starting hot lunches from **Wednesday 25th August 2021**.

We would like more children to take a school dinner, especially those that are entitled to a free lunch (all children in the infant school) and those on free school meals.

We hope the new menu will encourage you back to join us for school lunches.

If your child is already having a School Meal, no further action is required.

If your child is currently Home Packed Lunch and would like to swap to School Dinners, please complete the relevant link below:

Reception – Year 2 are entitled to Universal Free School Meals. This is a government backed scheme. Regardless of your status, all children within these year groups are entitled to Universal Free School Meals. If your child would like to swap from a Home Packed Lunch to a Hot School Lunch, starting Wednesday 25th August 2021, please complete the 'Dinner Swap' form via this link: <https://forms.office.com/r/0WRf1LFHqq>

Year 3 – 6 paid school meals are charged at £2.00 per day, £10 weekly. Unless, you are registered for Free School Meals with Leicester City Council. If your child would like to swap from a Home Packed Lunch to a Hot School Lunch, starting Wednesday 25th August 2021, please complete the 'Dinner Swap' form via this link: <https://forms.office.com/r/R1GvNvtwsB>

If you think you may qualify for Free School Meals, please visit Leicester City Councils website and register via this link <https://freeschoolmeals.leicester.gov.uk/>

Dinner swaps must be completed by Wednesday 30th June. Menu for school lunches is attached to this email.

PLEASE NOTE: IF RESTRICTIONS AND BUBBLES REMAIN – WE WILL CONTINUE TO PROVIDE PACKED LUNCH MEALS.



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ACCELERATED & STAR READER SHOUTOUTS 18.06.21

25,000 WORDS

Zoyaa A Class 14
Alaynah B Class 14
Cameen B Class 15
Rawah M Class 16
Ozay H Class 17

Aysha M Class 17
Mikhaamad A Class 17
Jas O Class 21
Neo B Class 21
Elaf D Class 21
Fathima F Class 26

50,000 WORDS

Rahil M Class 15
Mohammad A Class 14
Amara H Class 17
Mansi W Class 21
Keah P Class 24
Sajad G Class 26

100,000 WORDS

Eyad E Class 21
Tawar K Class 21
Jalwarya P Class 21
Zar S Class 24

250,000 WORDS

Musnat N Class 22

500,000 WORDS

Tami S Class 21
Rawan R Class 24

4 BOOKS

Hadley B Class 15
Gala C Class 15
Dalal A Class 17

8 BOOKS

Marwan D Class 15
Amree E Class 17

CLASS WITH THE HIGHEST WORD COUNT

Year 3 - Class 14 Chaffinch
Year 4 - Class 17 Blackbird
Year 5 - Class 21 Barn Owl
Year 6 - Class 25 Golden Eagle

ACCELERATED & STAR READER SHOUTOUTS 18.06.21

1 MILLION WORDS

Prisca P Class 22
Ahmed M Class 21
Radhika T Class 24
Zymal S Class 25

**A MASSIVE
CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR
FIRST MILLIONAIRES!**

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1 MILLION

