Kings Road Primary School Newsletter

Newsletter no.10 **Friday 13th November 2026**

Message from Mrs Riches

This week has been a wonderful reminder of the values that make our school such a special place to learn and grow.

We started the week brilliantly with our Diwali assembly on Monday. A huge thank you to Laks and his family for sharing traditional stories from the Hindu faith and helping us understand why light is such an important symbol during Diwali. The stories encouraged us to think about how we can all be a light in the lives of others by showing kindness, spreading joy and bringing hope to those around us.

On Wednesday, we came together for our two-minute silence to remember those who have fought and sacrificed for our freedom. The respectful manner in which the children observed this moment was something to be very proud of. We were also treated to a moving performance from Miss Thompson's Sapphire Class, who shared a wonderful rendition of *Dulce et Decorum Est*. Their thoughtful presentation helped us reflect on the realities of war and the importance of remembrance, peace and gratitude.

As we move through the week, I would like to thank all of our children for the maturity, respect and enthusiasm they continue to show. Whether learning about different faiths, remembering important events from our history or supporting one another in school, they continue to demonstrate what it means to be part of the Kings Road community.

On behalf of all the staff here, I wish you a peaceful weekend.

Mrs Riches

Head of School





Year Group Attendance
(from 09/11/2026 to 12/11/2026)
Copper – 79%
EYFS – 95.8%
Year 1 – 94.4%
Year 2 – 95.3%
Year 3 – 99%
Year 4 –96.3%
Year 5 – 94.4%
Year 6 – 92.7%
Whole school attendance 95%

Congratulations to **Amber and Pearl** classes, **this week's Attendance Stars.**
We have entered **320** children into the attendance lottery for this half term already!

Attendance Matters!

Every Student, Every School, Every Day

ACL Family Workshop

Last Friday, the family workshop was Guy Fawkes arts and crafts. We are very grateful to the team from ACL and our Inclusion team for arranging these workshops. Look out for the invite to the next one.








Safeguarding Update



Dinner Menu -Week 3

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Chicken & Sweetcorn Meatballs with Pasta	Mexican Chicken Wrap with Spicy Rice	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes, & Yorkshire Pudding	Margherita Pizza with Garlic & Herb Potatoes	**School Closed**
Pizza Baguette with Pesto Pasta Salad	BBQ Veggie Strips with Spicy Rice	Sweet Chilli Stir Fry with Noodles	Quorn Meatballs with Pasta	
Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato	
Pasta	Pasta	Pasta	Pasta	
Veggie Medley	Mexican Sweetcorn & Coleslaw	Broccoli & Roasted Parsnip	Sweetcorn & Herby Greens	
Chocolate & Beetroot Brownie	Apple Cake with Custard	Shortbread	Strawberry Jelly with Peaches	

Dates for your diary:

16th November	**Odd Sock Day to start Friendship Week, with uniform.**
20th November	School closed.
23rd November	School closed.
24th November	Year 5 STEM sessions at ARU.
December	
3rd December	Purple Sock Day – to celebrate Inclusion alongside a special menu.
9th December	Whole School Internet Safety Day.
10th December	Parent's virtual internet safety workshop (details to follow).
10th December	Year 1 & 2 Nativity performances (details to follow).
14th December	Choir to sing at The Parish Church of the Ascension, Maltese Road. 5pm
16th December	Christmas Dinner and Jumper Day, please see email about ordering.
16th December	iRock Concert.
16th December	EYFS Christmas performance (details to follow).
18th December	Last day of term.
21st December	Christmas Holiday.
January	
4th January	School returns.

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