

# THE KENDER TIMES

**W**elcome to the second published copy of our school paper 'The Kender Times'! All the ideas and writing are our own. We are from years 4, 5 and 6. Please enjoy.

## Global News

There have been 2 earthquakes in Turkey recently. The first was on the 6th February 2023. Buildings have collapsed and people have gone. The second one happened when we were asleep. In conclusion, too many lives have been wasted and people needed urgent help.



Written by: Aileen,  
Year 4 Wilson Class



## World Book Day at Kender

On Wednesday we celebrated World Book Day! We celebrated on March 1st because on March 2nd teachers were on strike! I hope you guys enjoyed World Book Day. What was your class book you dressed up as?

Reading is very fun and important. On World Book day every class got to share their learning from the day at an assembly. There were poems and presentations. It was amazing!



In Year 5 Ho-Yen Class we went to forest school to make fires, cook bread and we tried to work out how to use a fire bow (it was not a success - whoops). What did you do in your class for World Book Day?

Interview Written by: Aneda, Year 5 Ho-Yen Class

## Going Well and Things To Work on at Kender



Helping each other

Having our book bags

Working hard in class

Editing and publish writing

Coming into school early

Playing nicely on the playground



Not putting lids on pens

Not always helping to tidy up the playground

Lost property with no names on

**Written by: Victoria,  
Year 4 Zephaniah Class**

## Where You Should Travel in London

If you have nothing to do on the weekend you can go to the Science Museum - Wonderlab and it is definitely perfect for children. You can have different experiences if you go there such as seeing metal melted by heat and touching clouds with a machine.



### How To Get There

You can get there by going on a train if you live far away or if you live around Kender you can go in the car.

### What you will need to bring

So what you need to bring is water, a snack, fruit and that is it because there is a cafe there.

Sometimes you have to sit down on the floor or stand up because aren't a lot of tables.

**Written by: Alice, Year 4 Zephaniah Class**

## Why Reading is Important

One of the first 'books' can be seen in the creation of ancient scrolls. Ever since reading has spread across the world. But I and many other readers love reading. Some people don't know the importance of reading so today (Monday 14th March 2023) we are going to look at the importance of READING!

1. Reading can help with writing and comprehension
2. It improves brain connectivity
3. It increases your vocabulary
4. Helps you sleep at night
5. It is fun
6. You meet lots of new characters
7. If you go to the library it is free
8. You can share books and read with your family
9. It will help you become an author

**Written by: Praise, Year 4 Wilson Class**

## Global Sports



Sumo wrestling might sound nice, but it inspires bullying. However, there are some pros and cons about it:

### PROS:

- . It is very popular in Japan
- . No bleeding

### CONS:

- . It is violent
- . Too rough pulling on sumo belts

**Written by: Aileen,  
Year 4 Wilson Class**

## Coach Ollie is Back!



Oliver Marsh  
Sports Coach

**H**ello Kender, we did an interview with Coach Ollie. He has been away with an injury but is now back at school.

1) What age were you when you started to get serious in P.E ?

I was 16 years old when I started.

2) If you gave a class a 10/10 what would they get from you ?

I would give them Pringles.

3) Do you like doing P.E ?

Yes, I love it!

4) How long have you been a coach for?

I have been teaching PE for 5 years

5) Did you miss being at Kender?

I really missed it - I missed all of the kids.

6) Why were you not able to teach us?

I injured my knee playing football and had to have an operation but it is much better now.

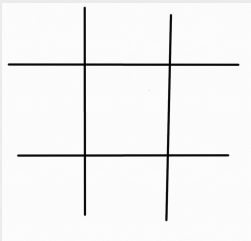
**Interview conducted by: Aneda, Rachel and Kaiyah, Year 5 Ho-Yen Class**

## Weather Forecast for Monday 13th March

0 degrees in the morning, then overcast. Mostly clear, then mostly cloudy. Mostly cloudy with a low around 30. Chance of precipitation is 20%, and fog chance is 0%.

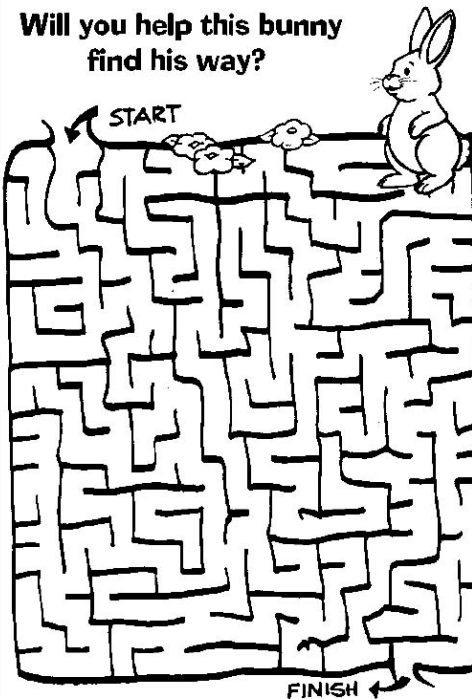
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### Noughts and Crosses



Games sourced by: Kaiyah, Year 5 Ho-Yen Class

Will you help this bunny find his way?



## School Funding

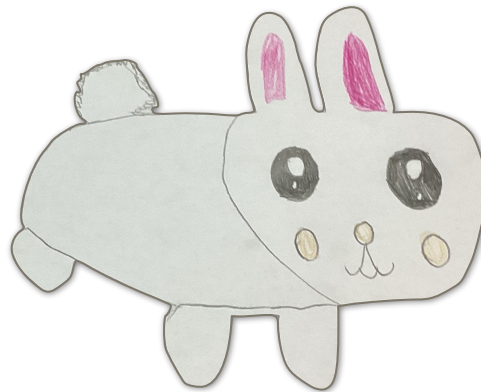
90% of schools are very low on money and our school is one of them. Money pays for trips, school essentials and more. Nine out of 10 schools in England have ran out of money because of energy and salary bills that have increased. On Wednesday 1st February our school closed for the day because the teachers were on strike. Kender closed again on Thursday 2nd March because teachers are on strike again.

50% of headteachers around England have said their schools will run out of money this year. We want schools to have money so that they can stay open so that we will get to learn more!

Written by: Aneda, Year 5 Ho-Yen Class

## Picture time

It is nearly Easter - that's why I drew a rabbit. On Easter you get chocolate eggs and I think all of you like chocolate. I hope you have fun at Easter!



Picture and words by: Victoria, Year 4 Zephaniah Class

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