

Kender Newsletter

 @KenderSchool



Thurs 30th March
Autism Awareness day, wear your favourite colour to school



Fri 31st March
Non-uniform day, wear clothes of your choice. Please remember this does not permit jewellery.



Fri 31st March
End of term, school will close **at 14:30**.



Tues 18th April
New term starts

From the Headteacher....

Dear Mums, Dads and Carers,

It has been a really busy yet successful week in school. Thank you to all of you for attending Parents' Evening meetings this week. I have received lots of positive feedback from both children, teachers and you the parents.

The Governing Body met this week. It was a really productive meeting, covering a range of discussion points with a similar spread of views and considerations. We are still short of one Parent Governor. If you think you would like to be part of our informed and committed group please contact the school office or speak with me on the school gate.

At the meeting we approved the latest version of our Safeguarding Policy. This can be found on the school website as well as some useful contact details should you have any Safeguarding concerns.

One update from Peabody. Contractors will be on site on Hatcham Gardens early Summer!

Next week Children can bring £2 for the following events:

Thursday 30th March: Autism Awareness day: wear your favourite colour
Friday 31st March: wear clothes of your own choice

The money collected will be for Autism Awareness and the Turkey/Syria earthquake appeal.

Stop Press: we have a number of visitors coming to see Kender on Tuesday 28th March. They are travelling from the UAE and Dubai and are coming to see technology in action in a primary school setting. We are looking forward to hosting these guests.

Have a restful weekend and I'll see you on Monday; I'll be on the Kender Street gate.

Mr Barr (Headteacher)

	20/03/23	21/03/23	22/03/23	23/03/23	24/03/23	Av...
Yr 4	96%	98%	96%	98%	94%	96%
Yr 6	95%	94%	97%	94%	96%	95%
Yr 5	94%	93%	94%	94%	94%	94%
Yr 3	86%	90%	95%	94%	94%	92%
Rec	90%	92%	93%	89%	83%	89%
Yr 1	89%	88%	86%	86%	80%	86%
Yr 2	82%	83%	83%	91%	93%	86%
School	90%	91%	92%	93%	92%	92%
KS2	93%	94%	96%	95%	95%	95%
Comment	Notice the difference this week....???					

Term Dates: 2022/23

Half-term

Monday 13th
February to Friday
17th February

School re-opens -
Monday 20th
February

Easter break

Monday 3rd April to
Friday 14th April.

INSET day: Monday
17th April

School re-opens -
Tuesday 18th April

Bank holiday:
Monday 1st May

Bank holiday:
Monday 8th May

Half-term

Monday 29th May
to Friday 2nd June

School re-opens

Monday 5th June

INSET day: Friday 7th
July

End of term

Friday 21st July,
2.30pm

Back to School

Monday 4th
September 2023

PE

The days we have P.E. can sometimes vary so please ensure your child has their P.E. kit on a Monday and takes it home on a Friday.

Reading

Please read at home every day. Your child should bring their reading record and book into school every day. We will change books once a week. We also have daily whole Class focused Guided lessons Reading.

Homework

As well as reading, homework is assigned each week on Fridays and should be returned to school by Wednesday the following week.

From the Deputy Headteacher...

What a week! Amongst an extremely busy week at school, we invited back our previous Year 6 students for a Year 7 tea party on Wednesday. It was really lovely to see our old pupils back at Kender, they have grown up so much! Also, a big thank you to all the parents who have attended parents evening this week, it makes a huge difference to have your support.

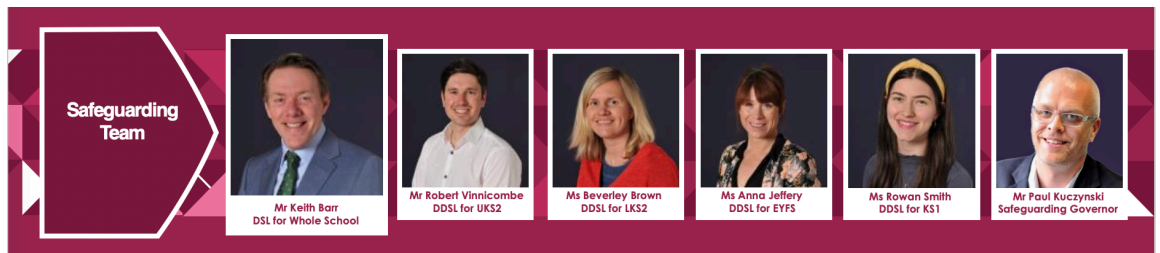
A reminder for Year 6 parents that there will be a Parents Day on Thursday 30th March. If you haven't booked an appointment to see your child's class teacher, please make sure you do. Mock SATs week has gone incredibly well this week, and we are all really proud of how much resilience and determination our Year 6 children have displayed throughout their assessments.

Year 3 will be trialling setting homework online using Showbie for a term after the Easter break. Miss Lamb will be available on Thursday 30th March immediately after school for any Year 3 parents who might need some help setting up their home Showbie accounts to access the homework.

Have a lovely weekend!

Kind regards,

Robert Vinnicombe



If you have any concerns please contact the school office.

Phone number: 020 76394654

FPTA/Friends of Kender:

Hi all,

Fri 17 March: £125 made from the cake sale!!!!!!

Have a fantastic weekend!

Friends of Kender/PTA