

**Friday 21st June 2024**

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have a busy last few weeks planned for the children including sports days, graduations, transition and trips! We want to ensure all pupil maintain good attendance this term, and have attendance rewards and trips planned.

KS1 pupils enjoyed spending their ‘coins’ in the coin shop that they have earned this term for excellent behaviour. KS2 will be having theirs next week.

KS2 Pupils enjoyed King Edwards School Sports Partnership's Colour Run on Thursday. Year 6 completed a workshop with the WBA foundation on Friday which they thoroughly enjoyed. Further roadshow workshops from the WBA foundation are planned on Monday 24th for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2, and Monday 8th July for Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5 in school time. Pupils will need to wear their PE kits to school.

We will be sending information about the new classes and staff for next year next week. Our staff are enthusiastic about meeting their new classes on Transition morning on the 3rd July and are already preparing for a successful year ahead.

Thank you for supporting our own clothes days to raise funds towards the summer fayre. We’re very much looking forward to an enjoyable summer fayre on Friday 28th June!



**Mrs M Lathbury-Cox**

**Executive Headteacher**

We are a Silver UNICEF Rights

Respecting School

There are four key areas of impact for children at a Rights Respecting school; wellbeing, participation, relationships and self-esteem.

**Article 12** says that every child has the right to express their views, feelings and wishes in all matters affecting them, and to have their views considered and taken seriously.



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| **Key dates- sports days** | |
| **EYFS sports day 1st July** | Reception 9:00-10:30am  Nursery 11:00-11:30am |
| **Year 1 and Year 2 sports day** | 2nd July  1:30-3:00pm |
| **Year 2 and Year 3 sports day** | 3rd July  1:30-3:00pm |
| **Year 4 and Year 5 sports day** | 4th July  1:30-3:00pm |

WEEKLY CLASS ATTENDANCE %

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| RPS | 88 |
| RNP | 90 |
| 1AK | 92.9 |
| 1LS | 91.1 |
| 2PH | 90.4 |
| 2YK | 93.3 |
| 3SA | 93.8 |
| 3CW | 96.1 |
| 4SB | 91.7 |
| 4MO | 95 |
| 5ES | 93.8 |
| 5JC | 91.4 |
| 6AL | 90.8 |
| 6TD | 96.7 |
| Totals | 92.5 |



Well done to 4MO for achieving 100% attendance this week!



**45 day challenge reminder**

**Pupils are doing the 45-day challenge and the chance to win a £20 Amazon voucher for excellent attendance!**

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Spotlight on Dyslexia

**Dyslexia is a common learning difficulty that mainly causes problems with reading, writing and spelling.**

It's a specific learning difficulty, which means it causes problems with certain abilities used for learning, such as reading and writing.

Unlike a [learning disability](https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/learning-disabilities/), intelligence isn't affected.

It's estimated up to 1 in every 10 people in the UK has some degree of dyslexia.

Dyslexia is a lifelong problem that can present challenges daily, but support is available to improve reading and writing skills and help those with the problem be successful at school and work.

**What are the signs of dyslexia?**

Signs of dyslexia usually become apparent when a child starts school and begins to focus more on learning how to read and write.

A person with dyslexia may:

* read and write very slowly
* confuse the order of letters in words
* be confused by letters that look similar and write letters the wrong way round (such as "b" and "d")
* have poor or inconsistent spelling
* understand information when told verbally, but have difficulty with information that's written down
* find it hard to carry out a sequence of directions
* struggle with planning and organisation

But people with dyslexia often have good skills in other areas, such as creative thinking and problem solving.

Safeguarding

**“Safeguarding is everyone’s responsibility”**

If you have any concerns or questions, please contact our Designated safeguarding lead, Mrs. Gemma Chilton.

If you have any questions or worries, feel free to get in touch with any of the following organisations.

• Family Lives - 0808 800 2222 - familylives.org.uk

• Child Accident Prevention - capt.org.uk

• NSPCC - 0808 800 5000 - help@nspcc.org.uk