



Kenningtons Primary Academy



Summer Term Newsletter 24th April 2015

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DATES TO REMEMBER

1st May 2015: Year 5 Trip - Thameside Museum/Chafford Gorge

4th May 2015: Bank holiday

11th May 2015: KS2 SATs week begins

18th May 2015: Time explorer week begins (in-school event)

19th May 2015: Year 1 Interhouse

22nd May 2015: Blue and Green non-uniform day for Water Aid (£1 donation)
Last day of school

26th May 2015 - 29th May 2015: Holiday Activities

Parent Drop In Sessions - WB 27th April

Teachers will hold their next Parent Drop In sessions from 3:15pm-4:00pm on the days specified below:

Reception (Kangaroo) - Tuesday 28th April

1W - Tuesday 28th April

2G - Thursday 30th April

3H - Tuesday 28th April

4S - Tuesday 28th April

5M - Monday 27th April

6F - Tuesday 28th April

Meetings with the 6W, 5N, 4G, 3C, 2F, 1J, Koala and Kookaburra teachers will resume the week beginning 4th May 2015.

Please pick up your children!

Sadly we are having issues with children not being collected from school on time. We understand that sometimes there are exceptional circumstances but there are some children that are repeatedly collected late from the school site.

Please make sure you have arranged for your child to be collected from school or from their after school club on time!

Tissue Box Rota - Year 5

For the month of April it is the turn of Year 5 to please donate some tissue boxes to the school!

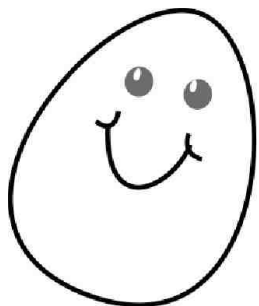
Scooters/Bikes in the Playground

We are delighted that so many children and parents are coming to school by bike and scooter, but please remember not to ride them in the school playground. We don't want any accidents between pedestrians and bikes/scooters!



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Weekly Challenge (24th April)

KS1 Winners: Maths, Elizabeth 2G English, Elizabeth 2G

KS2 Winners: Maths, Jessica 6F English, Lily 6W

Well done to our winners! The new challenges for next week will be uploaded to our school website:

KS1 - <http://www.kenningtonsprimaryacademy.co.uk/KS1-Weekly-Challenge>

KS2 - <http://www.kenningtonsprimaryacademy.co.uk/KS2-Weekly-Challenge>

Good Egg Awards (24th April)

Well done to this week's 'Good Eggs'...

Alice 1J

Mia 1W

Emily 2F

Molly 2G

Lewis 3C

Ola 3H

Harvey 4G

Maisie-Leanne 4S

Tyrese 5M

Sophie 5N

Georgia 6F

Kailon 6W

Oliver 6W



They will be judged by a panel selected from the locality, with the overall winner announced at a prize-giving ceremony at TTNP in early June.

We hope you will join us in congratulating Year 5 on their lovely work!

Year 5 Hare Painting

Year 5 pupils in Kenningtons and across Thurrock have been challenged to decorate giant wooden hares using the theme of 'conservation'. Our Year 5 classes worked hard to select their chosen designs.

Here are the winning Kenningtons hares, designed by Mickey O'Sullivan 5N and Lois Seymour 5M.



Our New Chicks!



Our ten live eggs arrived on Tuesday 21st of April and by Wednesday we had welcomed six chicks. Over night on Wednesday our remaining four chicks hatched to complete the group!

The chicks have already moved to a larger incubator and will soon be placed in a purpose built enclosure in the office foyer until they are large enough to go outside.

Teachers have been arranging for all the children to come and see the chicks while they are still tiny.

Look how much they have grown already!



Staffing Notes

This month we wish Mrs Ford all the best as she leaves us to begin her maternity leave. We look forward to meeting the new arrival!

We bid Ms Kaur a fond farewell as she leaves us to take on a promotion in another school. We wish Ms Kaur all the best!

Kenningtons Holiday Activities (26th May - 29th May 2015)

The Holiday Activity programme will be available 28th April 2015 (this coming Tuesday!)

This time we will be holding a cycling and biking event as well as a multi-sports day in addition to two events run by the ever popular Sportacular group!

We hope to see lots of you there!

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