

Dear Parents/Carers,

We hope everybody had a lovely Easter break! We have thoroughly enjoyed welcoming our children back to KBA for another busy term and lots of exciting learning opportunities. We do hope the weather will continue to warm up as we approach the summer months and kindly ask you to remember to send your child to school with a hat and sun cream.

<u>ClassDojo</u>

This term we launched our Class Dojo Awards, and the winning children received a trophy for their class, a certificate and a special lunch with members of the Senior Leadership Team. It was wonderful to see them celebrating! Please remember to sign up to your child's ClassDojo for Parents so that you too can celebrate their fantastic achievements at home. You can watch how to log in to ClassDojo here Teacher resources | ClassDojo

Timings

A reminder that EYFS & Key Stage 1 are expected to be in school for 8:40am and Key Stage 2 at 8:50am. Therefore, the gates for EYFS & Key Stage 1 will close at 8:45am and Key Stage 2 at 8:55am. After these times, children will need to enter school via Main Reception and will receive a Late mark in the register.

Please remember that if you have children in different Key Stages, older pupils may come to school at the earlier time of their younger siblings. Younger siblings should not however be arriving late with their older siblings.

Bikes and scooters

It's wonderful to see so many of our children using their bikes and scooters before and after school. Please remind your children to be mindful of pedestrians coming in and out of the building, particularly with pushchairs, to avoid any potential accidents.

<u>Uniform</u>

Gingham Dresses in your child's House colour may be worn during Terms 1,5 and 6, and these may be purchased from an outlet of your choice. A reminder of our uniform expectations is below:

- House Coloured Polo Shirt
- Black KBA Logoed Jumper or Cardigan
- Book Bag in House Colour
- House Colour/black PE polo shirt and black jogging bottoms or shorts
- Black skirt/trousers
- Smart, black, polishable school shoes

Attendance

During assemblies, Mrs Foley shares primary attendance figures with students and the winning class receive a prize. Good attendance is 96-100%; anything below 96% will be followed up by our Attendance team. Please see below for this week's figures. Well done, 2B! We are super proud of you for receiving the highest attendance award.

| 1A | 1B | 2A | 2B | 3A | 3B | 4A | 4B | 5A | 5B | 6A | 6B |
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| 95% | 96% | 98% | 99% | 93% | 88% | 92% | 90% | 99% | 93% | 93% | 89% |

A polite reminder to Year 6 parents, that their children will be sitting their Standardised Assessment Tests week commencing 9th May. It is vital that the children have 100% attendance.

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Dates

The last day of this term is Friday 27th May and we welcome children back on Monday 6th June. A reminder that Monday 2^{nd} May is a Bank Holiday, therefore, children will return to school on Tuesday 3^{rd} May next week.

Our Primary Sports day will be held on Friday 10th June and further information will follow nearer the time.

Yours sincerely,

Kfoley

Mrs Kirsty Foley Acting Head of Primary