



# Kingsgate Primary School Newsletter

Friday 17th March 2017

Dear parents and carers,

We are all excited at the thought of moving up to Liddell Road in the summer term. The new building is lovely and there will be so much more space.

In the summer term we will hold some parent and carer information sessions so that you can ask more about the changes.

Here are the answers to some of the questions that some parents have already asked:

## **EXPANSION NEWS**

### **When will the school split?**

The school will split in September 2017.

### **Will Kingsgate Primary School still be one school?**

Kingsgate Primary School will be one school, but split over two sites.

### **Which children will be at Kingsgate Road?**

EYFS and KS1 will be at Liddell Road.

KS2 will be at Kingsgate Road.

### **What will you call the school?**

Kingsgate Road will be called Kingsgate Primary Upper School and Liddell Road will be called Kingsgate Primary Lower School.

### **Where is Liddell Road?**

Liddell Road is in West Hampstead near Thames link station. It takes about 15-20 minutes to walk from Kingsgate Road to Liddell Road.

### **Why can't the whole school stay in Kingsgate Road?**

We now have more children in the school and splitting will give them a lot more space, both inside and outside.

### **How will I get my children to school on time if I have a child at Kingsgate Road and a child at Liddell Road?**

Kingsgate Primary Upper School will start at 8.30 (early work 8.20) and Kingsgate Primary Lower School will start at 9.00 (early work 8.50). That will give parents and carers time to walk from one site to the other.

### **What time will Early Work start?**

At Kingsgate Primary Upper School early work will start at 8.20.

At Kingsgate Primary Lower School Early work will start at 8.50.

### **What time will Breakfast club start?**

At Kingsgate Primary Upper School Breakfast club will start at 7.30 and finish at 8.20.

At Kingsgate Primary Lower School Breakfast club will start at 8.00 and finish at 8.50.

### **What time will after school clubs start?**

At Kingsgate Primary Upper School after school clubs will start at 3.00 and finish at 4.00.

At Kingsgate Primary Lower School after school clubs will start at 3.30 and finish at 4.30.

### **When can we see the new buildings at Liddell Road?**

We hope to be able to show our parents and carers around the new site at the end of the summer term.

### **What will you do with the buildings in Kingsgate Road when the younger children have moved?**

Next year there will be some building works at Kingsgate Road in to make it a lovely site for the older children. We will build a new sports hall, a new library, a science room, a music room and have a lot more space outside.

### **Where will parent activities take place?**

We will have parent activities on both sites open to all our parents.

### **Will standards remain high when the school splits across two sites?**

**Teaching and learning will always be at the heart of everything we do. We will always work to make sure that every child achieves their best.**



### British library trip

On Saturday 25 February Homa took a group of parents and children to a Family Day at the British Library. They went to see the Festival of Maps event. Everyone had a fun day and learned lots about maps too. Many thanks Homa, and thank you to all the parents and children who came along.



**10th March Cake Sale**  
**Thanks everyone!**  
**We raised £170.93 for Red Nose day.**

**Coffee mornings**  
**22 March Red Book update with school nurse**  
**29 March Holiday schemes in Camden**

### Child line assemblies and workshops

We invited the NSPCC to come to school to talk to the children about keeping safe and who to talk to if they are worried about anything. In assemblies and workshops, the children learned about CHILDLINE, the free service they can call if they need help or someone to talk to. It is open all day and night for every day of the year and the number is: 0800 1111.

### Kingsgate STEM Day 30th March

Nursery to Y6 will be working on science based projects in the mornings and afternoons. Please tell your child 's teacher if you can come into school to help either all or part of the day. **We will also have a science coffee morning on the 15th March to talk about the STEM day and how parents can help.**



### Berries in Year 6

Last week ,Y6 looked at different berries and talked about where they grow, when they are in season, how healthy they are, what makes a portion of your '10 a day' .