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# Kingsgate Primary School Newsletter

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Dear parents and carers

We want our children to look smart at school so .... this is a reminder about school uniform at Kingsgate.

**Children need to wear the correct uniform to school**

White polo shirt with or without school logo.

Grey school trousers – not jogging bottoms or leggings.

Grey skirts must be knee length or just above the knee – not a mini skirt and not a long skirt.

Girls may wear green & white gingham dresses (optional).

Girls may wear black or grey leggings or tights under their skirts (optional).

Girls may wear short hijabs to cover their hair – plain white, green or black, not decorated.

Hijabs must be no longer than shoulder length.

Hijabs must not cover their school uniform.

### Shoes

Black school shoes or black plain trainers – no coloured logos.

No boots of any kind in school, including ankle boots.

No shoes with heels.

### Socks / tights

Pupils may wear black, grey or white socks or tights.

### Jewellery/make up/hair decorations

No jewellery (apart from small stud earrings) or make-up (no tinted lip balm) at school.

Pupils with long hair may tie their hair back. They may wear green or black bows (not oversized) or hairbands.



### **May half term holidays**

There will be no school on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May.

The government has given everyone an extra day. This is because the additional bank holiday on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June for the Queens Platinum Jubilee falls during the half term holidays.

### **Dates for your diary .....**

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February – INSET DAY Parent/teacher meetings

**Half term** Monday 14<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2022

**World Book day—3rd March**

**End of term** Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2022

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April—First day of summer term

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2022 Bank Holiday SCHOOL CLOSED

**Half term** Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2022

### **Transport for London (TfL) Y6 Workshop**

**Preparing Year 6 children for being independent and using public transport on their own**

Before the Christmas holiday our Y6 children had a presentation from Transport for London.

They learned about keeping safe, showing respect to others, and developing responsibility and awareness both on and around public transport as they become increasingly independent.

### **Enrichment in our PE curriculum**

#### **Y4 Cricket**

Middlesex Cricket club have been working with our children in their PE lessons. The children are really enjoying improving their cricket skills!



**Please let the office know straight away if you change your address or phone number.**

We need up to date contact details so that we can give you information about important things happening in school or if your child has had an accident and we need to speak to you urgently.

### **COVID self—isolation rules**

Government guidance has changed around isolation periods for those with COVID 19. Following a positive test a child must self-isolate. However, if well enough, a child can do a lateral flow test on day 5. If this test is negative, and another on day 6 (24 hours later) is also negative then the child can return to school. For example you could test at 7.30am on day 5 and be negative, then at 7.30am on day 6 and be negative then come into school on day 6.

If you are not sure of how long to keep your child off school, please call the school office and they will advise you.