



# Kingsgate Primary School Newsletter

## Friday 3 November 2023

Dear parents and carers

We have a culture of excellent attendance at Kingsgate so please do not ask to take your child out of school to go overseas during term time.

We appreciate so much your support for your child's education and our work to make sure that they all achieve well.

Warm wishes

Meg

### Lost Property Fridays

Every Friday we will leave lost school uniform out on tables in the playgrounds. Please take anything that belongs to your child. Sometimes children take home the wrong uniform or coat. If this happens please return the item to school and we will give it back.

### Reception September 2024

#### Applications

Was your child born between 1st September 2019 and 31st August 2020?

Would you like to apply to Kingsgate for a place in our reception class for September 2024?

Please apply online through Camden admissions <https://www.camden.gov.uk/primary-admissions>

Ask Homa if you need help with the application.

The closing date is 15<sup>th</sup> January 2024

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

**Tuesday 7th November 9.00-9.30am:** Arts and Crafts information and enrolment for parents  
KS2 site

**Wednesday 8th November 9.00-11.00am:** 'How to get you and your child talking and listening in a positive way every day.' EYFS KS1 site

**Tuesday 14th November 9.00-9.30am** Supporting children with SEND KS2 site

**Wednesday 15th November 9.00-11.00am:** 'Boosting your child's confidence' EYFS KS1 site

**Wednesday 22nd November 9.00-11.00am:** 'How to be consistent in setting boundaries' EYFS KS1 site

**Wednesday 29th November 9.00-11.00am:** 'How to raise healthy children' EYFS KS1 site

**Wednesday 6th December 9.00-11.00am:** 'How to encourage learning' EYFS KS1 site

**Wednesday 13th December 9.00-11.00am:** 'Keep your family feeling happy, supported & loved' EYFS KS1 site

#### End of Term Performances

**Tuesday 12th December 9.15 –9.45** Nursery Christmas songs

**Wednesday 13th December 9.30-10.15** Nativity performance Rec Hawthorn, Y1 Cherry, Y2 Ash

**Wednesday 13th December 2.00-2.45** Christmas concert Y3 Peach, Y4 Oak, Y5 Cypress, Y6 Lime

**Thursday 14th December 9.30-10.15** Nativity performance Rec Elm, Y1 Briar, Y2 Honeysuckle

**Thursday 14th December 2.00-2.45** Christmas concert Y3 Mulberry, Y4 Rosewood, Y5 Rowan, Y6 Tamarisk

**Friday 15th December 9.30-10.15** Nativity performance Rec Apple, Y1 Bramble, Y2 Hazel

**Friday 15th December 2.00-2.45** Christmas concert Y3 Plane, Y4 Plum, Y5 Willow, Y6 Olive

**End of autumn term Friday 22nd December**

**First day of spring term Monday 8th January**

If you're struggling to afford the essentials – including food and energy bills – or if you have debt, help is available. Find advice at [www.camden.gov.uk/cost-of-living-support](http://www.camden.gov.uk/cost-of-living-support)



### KS2 Science Ambassadors

At Kingsgate, we are passionate about science. Our science ambassadors help to promote science in our school. They have regular meetings and talk to their classes about types of scientific enquiry and scientific skills.



### Kingsgate Football teams Start of Camden League football matches

Our girls won 2 games and lost 1 game  
Our boys won 2 and drew 1 game  
So hopefully a good year ahead for the teams.

Thanks for the amazing support from parents!

### Would you like support to manage your child's challenging behaviour?

PIPT is an evidence based parenting programme to support parents/carers in their parenting journey. The programme is 6 to 10 session. Sessions are up to 1 hour.

For further information please contact Alice Hargreaves (Parenting Practitioner)

via email or telephone **Email: [mhst@tavi-port.nhs.uk](mailto:mhst@tavi-port.nhs.uk)**

**Telephone: 020 8938 2903**



Welcome to our new parent governor, Sunayana Gowswami, who has been appointed this term.

### Individual school photos

The school photographer will be in school on Thursday 16th November. He will take photographs of each child on their own. You will be able to buy the school photo, if you wish.

Unfortunately we are unable to take photos of siblings as the children are split across both sites.

The photographer will come back in Summer Term to take class photos.