



Kingsgate Primary School Newsletter

Friday 15 December 2023

Dear parents and carers,

I would like to share a message from Ian Whittaker, our Chair of Governors. 'On behalf of the Full Governing Body, I am delighted that Ofsted has reiterated its rating of outstanding for the school. There are many things that could have been said but the opening sentence of the report that 'Pupils thrive at this school' sums up best what the staff's efforts achieve.'

All the staff at Kingsgate wish you a peaceful and happy holiday.

The children have worked so hard this term. We are very proud of them. Many thanks for all your support. See you on Monday 8th January .

Warm wishes.

Meg

Headteacher



Merry Christmas



It has been a great term for sport at Kingsgate! Well done to all of the children who took part in the gymnastics, dodgeball and football competitions. We are very proud of them.



Dates for your diary

End of autumn term Thursday 21st December -KS2 finish at 1pm and EYFS & KS1 finish at 1.30pm. First day of spring term Monday 8th January

9th January Workshop for Nursery parents to make online application for Reception place

15th January Closing date for applications to Reception & Nursery for September 2024

16th January Parent information session 'Homework for Y1-Y6'

17th January Arts and Crafts classes for parents for 4 weeks ([EYFS/KS1 training room, 9.00-11.00](#))

23rd January Parent information session 'Security setting on mobile devices'

6th February Parent information session 'Asthma awareness'

9th February Parent Teacher meetings SCHOOL CLOSED

12th February - 16th February HALF TERM

20th February Parent information session from Kilburn Grange Children Centre

21st February Parents maths workshops for 4 weeks ([EYFS/KS1 training room, 9.00-11.30](#))

27th February Parent information session 'How to support your child with maths Y1 &Y2'

5th March Parent information session 'How to help your child prepare for SATS Y6'

12th March Parent information session 'Road safety for primary school children'

Last day of spring term Thursday 28th March

English class for parents every Thursday and Friday morning starting on Thursday 11th January 2024 in KS2 training room from 9.15am to 11.45am

Attendance at Christmas time

Please be aware that the school does not authorise extra days out of school at Christmas time. This term Camden has issued Penalty Notices (£60 per child per parent) to 11 of our parents.

Congratulations Jessika from Y4 Oak! She is the runner-up in the Camden Christmas card competition.



Digital leaders visited Google headquarters and took part in a workshop about online safety.

