

This week at Kensington Avenue Primary

KENSINGTON AVENUE PRIMARY SCHOOL
Together Everyone Achieves More



23 November 2018



International Day

On 15th November we held International Day here at school. It was lovely to see so many children in their national dress and in the colours of national flags. We would also like to thank all the

parents who contributed food, for all their support in organising, helping and attending our International Day! The event was a huge success and we managed to raise **£953.00.**

Thank you!



IMPORTANT DIARY DATES

26 November

- School Closed to Pupils - Inset Day

27 November

- 'Jeans' Day, bring your donation for the Christmas Fair

7 December

- KAPS Christmas Fair from 3.10pm
- Futsal Festival, St Josephs College - selected pupils

12 December

- Football Festival, Selhurst Sports Arena - selected pupils

17 December

- Y5/Y6 Carol Concert, 9.15am in KS2 hall

- EYFS Christmas Performance for parents, 2.15pm KS1 Hall

18 December

- EYFS Christmas Performance for parents, 9.15am KS1 Hall
- KS1 Christmas Performance for parents, 2.15pm KS1 Hall

19 December

- Christmas Lunch
- Yr3 & Yr4 - Christmas Service at 2pm, St Oswald's church

21 December

- Break up for Christmas Holidays

7 January 2019

- Back to School, Spring Term 1

Attendance and Punctuality

You are reminded that all children should be in class by 9am. Please ensure that your child arrives on time so they do not miss out on valuable learning. School finishes at 3:10pm for all children.

Here Everyday Ready On time

ATTENDANCE WINNERS FOR LAST WEEK

KS1

Year 1 Warhol

KS2

Year 4 Charles & Year 6 Uxbridge

PUNCTUALITY WINNERS FOR LAST WEEK

KS1

Year 2 Wetherall

KS2

Year 4 Vujici & Year 5 Radcliffe

Edible Playgrounds



As a school we are really fortunate to have secured some funding and support from Trees for Cities to enable us to create an 'Edible Playground' for our children. This is an exciting project which will see us working towards a sustainable garden in which the children can grow, care for and learn about the natural world.

This scheme has worked well in other schools previously and will bring benefits to our whole community in a variety of ways. The entire project is being overseen and directed by Ms Cranham and a team of staff with a vision to create a shared space in which we can all grow and learn.

Construction work on the raised beds, shed, greenhouse and other purpose built elements will begin very soon and we are all very excited to see this initial stage come to life. The garden will be positioned within the green space directly outside the School Office and as such you will be able to witness its creation and development daily.

If you are interested in learning more about this upcoming project you can do so in several ways:

online -
<https://www.treesforcities.org/our-work/edible-playgrounds>

Via the KAPS Team -

Mrs Jackson, Vujicic Class - Lead Teacher on the project
Miss S Bhambra - Inclusion
Miss Boniface - SEND support
Mrs Pringle - TA

or

through the school newsletters and website as we will be bringing you regular updates on the project and ideas around how you can get involved too.

I look forward to working with the children, staff and wider community on this project.

Thank you

Mrs C Jackson

(Lead Teacher for Edible Playgrounds at KAPS)



Christmas Dates to Remember



December 17th 9.15am Y5/Y6 Carol Concert in KS2 hall

2.15pm EYFS Nativity in KS1 hall

December 18th 9.15am EYFS Nativity in KS1 hall

2.15pm KS1 performance in KS1 hall

December 19th 2.00pm Y3/Y4 Carol Service at St Oswald's Church



Hindu Temple

Year 3 visited the Hindu Temple in Thornton Heath linked to R.E. This half term the children explored how the Hindu families celebrate Diwali.



Save the Children CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY



On the 14th December we are joining the festive fun for Save the Children's Christmas Jumper Day! Children are to wear their silliest Christmas jumper and donate £1 to help children thrive all around the world! Save the Children are a charity that 'stand side by side with children in the toughest places to be a child. They do whatever it takes to make sure children survive, get protection when they're in danger, and have the chance to learn'. We think it is a great cause and will be a very fun day! So get your best Christmas jumpers out!

Don't Miss out - check us out!

Keep up to date with important information and what the children have been doing in class by checking out our website and our Twitter Account.

Twitter: @KAPSchool

Website: www.kensingtonavenueprimary.co.uk

You can also get the newsletter straight to your inbox!

Just inform the school office of your email address.

Sharing Assemblies

30-11-18	Year 1 - Warhol	Year 1 - Picasso
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Lost Property

We are moving the lost property to near the KS2 corridor

If you would like to look for something your child has lost please come along at the following times,

Mondays & Wednesdays
8.30am-9.00am
Tuesdays & Fridays
3.00pm - 3.30pm

Pupils can also look in lost property during playtime and lunchtime.

