



Knypersley News

Learning Together, Learning for Life

12th September 2018

Diary Dates

Information Evenings

Reception

Tuesday 11th September at 6pm

Year 1 to Year 4 as follows:

Thursday 13th September

Year 1—6pm

Year 2—6.30pm

Year 3—7pm

Year 4—7.30pm

Nursery

Tuesday 18th September at 6pm

Year 2 Forest School

Sessions are as follows:

Friday 14th September

Friday 21st September

Friday 28th September

Friday 5th October

Parents are invited to join on Friday 12th October.

**Macmillan Coffee afternoon 2pm Friday 28th September
NON UNIFORM FOR CHILDREN**

Holiday lists and important dates have all been updated and are available on our website

www.knypersley.staffs.sch.uk

[Calendar page](#)

Welcome back everyone! We hope that you have all had a fantastic summer and enjoyed the weather whilst we had it! We are back and raring to get going on a new term. There have been a lot of changes of staff and updates to the curriculum that we would like to share with you at the Information Evenings. If you cannot make these meetings then the presentations will be loaded onto the website so that you can view them at your leisure. You will find these under the Parents Tab, Communication to Parents, Information meetings. See you there.

Attendance

Busy Bees 98.9%	Class 5 98.9%
Creative	Class 6 100%
Caterpillars 95.6%	Class 7 97.2%
Class 2 100%	Class 8 95.6%
Class 3 98.8 %	Class 9 97.8%
Class 4 100%	

Last Week's Winners were

Class 2, 4 and 6

Last Week's Whole School

Attendance – **98.5%**

School target **96.5%**

Top tip: Register your child before taking them to medical appointments, this way it doesn't affect your child's attendance!

School Uniform Orders

If you were unable to place an order for your child's school uniform before the school holidays, the School Office will shortly be placing a new order.

Should you require anything for your child, please come to the School Office to obtain an order form and this will be dealt with accordingly.

Payment for your order will need to be made through ParentPay.

Information Evenings

This is your opportunity to find out important information about your child's new year group. There have been many recent changes that we would like to share with you. We will also inform you about the school's priorities for the year.

They will take place on:

Years 1-4

Thursday 13th September

Year 1 —6pm

Year 2 —6.30pm

Year 3 —7pm

Year 4 —7.30pm

Nursery

Tuesday 18th September at 6pm

Data Collection Forms/Permission Forms and Medical Forms

Your child will have brought home with them recently the above forms to be completed, signed and returned back to your child's class teacher. These are important documents and so need to be returned to school as soon as possible. Any questions, please contact your child's class teacher.

This weeks whole school 'we can' focus is **'We can celebrate reading'**

Student of the Week

Busy Bees	All of the Class
Creative	All of the Class
Caterpillars	
2	All of Class 2
3	Kai Rigby
4	Ethan Heath
5	Ethan Chaddock
6	All of Class 6
7	Holly Plant
8	Carla Bosson
9	All of Class 9

Worker of the Week

Busy Bees	All of the Class
Creative	All of the Class
Caterpillars	
2	All of Class 2
3	Lisa Giles
4	Kittie-Jane Downes
5	Lyra Miller
6	Evie-Rose Woodrow
7	Ethan
8	Daisy Proudman
9	Tahlia Mayer

Congratulations

Please check our website and twitter for more news, calendar dates and updates through the week at @KnypersleyFirst or www.knypersley.staffs.sch.uk

We are on Week 2 of the school dinner menu this week.

As you requested in your summer questionnaires— we are attempting to go more paperless with our communication. So newsletters will only be accessible on the website from next week. Paper copies will be available from the school office if you require.

Drop ins

Each class holds a weekly drop-in session after school for you to pop in to talk to the class teacher about any concerns or questions you may have.

Nursery and Reception classes—Thursday

Class 2— Monday
Class 3— Thursdays

Class 4 & 5—Monday

Class 6 & 7— Wednesday

Class 8 & 9—Wednesday

Mrs Beckett, our SENCO, will hold a drop-in on Monday nights in Class 3 for any questions relating to Special Educational Needs.

School dinners are free to children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2. If your child is in Year 3 or 4 the cost of school dinners is £2.30 per day (£11.50 per week) payable using ParentPay.

Juice and fruit money for Years 3 & 4 will be £9 for the half term. If you wish to pay weekly £1.50 is payable on a Friday.

Juice money for Years 1 & 2 will be £6 for the half term. If you wish to pay weekly £1 is payable on Friday.

Thank you very much to those of you who have looked after our chickens over the holidays. If any one else would like to help to look after our hens please let the office know. You are welcome to take home all eggs laid.
WE DO NOT HAVE ANYONE TO HELP US AT THE MOMENT.

A reminder to all parents and carers that the children are not to use the play equipment after school. Also please do not allow children to ride scooters or bikes on the playground.

House Teams

The Reception children have been allocated into house teams and we have voted for our Y4 house captains and vice captains.

Each class now has a team leader for each house, watch this space to find out which house has collected the most house points and what reward they have chosen for the highest scoring house per half term. Congratulations to those voted in!

House	Captain	Vice
Air	Scarlett Lunt	Liam Cowdrey
Earth	Sophie Belford	Freddie Carroll
Fire	Lucy Faulkner	Evie Dobson
Water	Olly Nicholson	Malachi Bamford