



Knypersley News Learning Together, Learning for Life



20th November 2020

All Around The World—A Covid Christmas

Preparations for this years Christmas play are well underway, with each class getting songs practised and lines rehearsed. Could we kindly ask that any costumes or accessories are brought to school by 4th December.



For our Nursery children Mrs Jervis will be sending a letter home with your child's homework folder specifying their costume and what they will need to bring to school.

For Reception children if you could provide your child with surfer shorts, Hawaiian shirts, grass skirts, flowery tops for the girls and sandals.

For all other year groups the children will be representing a different country, Knypersley will be providing the children with a T shirt to represent the flag of the country. Countries are listed below



Nursery—Traditional Nativity

Reception—Hawaii

Year 1—China

Year 2—Africa

Year 3—America

Year 4—India





Could we also ask if you would <u>NOT</u> like your child to have their face painted could you email your child's homework email.

Knypersley Rocks!

This week's Knypersley Rockstars are....

Nursery Charlie Hepworth & Ava Milward

Busy Bees Scarlett Beck
Creative Caterpillars Joshua Boulton
Class 2 Ellie Watkins
Class 3 Alfie Allen

Class 4 Sienna-Grace Barnett
Class 5 Imagen Heath

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Class 6 Maya Velez-Colby
Class 7 Evie-May Mosson
Class 8 Dion Rigby
Class 9 Kylan Surtees

Rockstars show kindness.

Mrs Goodyear's Rockstar:

Charlie Leonard for showing kindness to all

PARKING

Can we remind you that Life Stream church has generously allowed us to use their car park between 8:30-9:15am and 2:30-3:15pm prompt. This was in order to ease congestion and ensure good relationships with our neighbours. We are now getting daily complaints about dangerous parking and bad language. Please can we be courteous when parking and walking to school. Many

Attendance

| Busy Bees | 98.3% | Class 5 | 99.6% |
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| Caterpillars | 98.6% | Class 6 | 98.6% |
| Class 2 | 98.9% | Class 7 | 99.3% |
| Class 3 | 86.5% | Class 8 | 97.7% |
| Class 4 | 98.3% | Class 9 | 98.7% |

Last week's winners Class 5 with 99.6%

FANTASTIC AND WELL DONE

Last Week's Whole School Attendance - 97.4%

School target — 96.5%

School Immunisation Team

thanks.

A catch up date has now been arranged with the School Immunisation Team for those children who were not in school due to isolation.

The date agreed is Tuesday 15th December 2020.

If you wish your child to take part you will already have given consent and so no further action is required.



Say No to Bullying!





Knypersley took part

in 'Odd Sock Day' on Wednesday and as you can see lots of children took part.

This related well with our Rockstar theme for this week which was being 'kind to each other'



In these difficult times we are so proud of how Knypersley are all pulling together and want to say a big thank you to you all for your continued support.





Christmas Cards

Unfortunately, we are asking that the children do not send Christmas cards to one another this year, we will do plenty of festive activities in school so they do not miss out!

With the increase in the COVID 19 cases in the local area, we are asking for your support to discourage the use of children's own hand sanitiser.

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The school has purchased many battery operated ones for each classroom and main thorough fares for the children to use. School sanitisers are accompanied with official advice in case accidents happen with the sanitiser like contact with eyes and mouths. It is also part of our risk assessment.

We have noticed an increase of children coming to school with their own sanitisers which although look good do not adhere to our risk assessment.

Please could we ask you to encourage your children to use the school sanitisers to help keep each other as safe as possible in this challenging time.

Many thanks

Celebrate Good Times!

Worker of the Week

Busy Bees Harley Murphy Creative Caterpillars **Bobby Stewart** Class 2 Sam Bloor Class 3 **Imogen Curley** Class 4 Rowan Hewitt

Class 5 Connie Whitehurst- Dodds

Class 6 Kobe Charlton Class 7 Liam Hopson Class 8 Harry Martin Class 9 Jessica Townsend

Busy Bees

Achiever of the Week

Arlo Baker

Darcy Smith Creative Caterpillars Class 2 Elijah Hatch-Fryer Class 3 Lexi James Class 4 Conor Hampson Class 5 **Daisy Dutton** Class 6 Izzi Daniels Class 7 **Emily Simpson** Class 8 Harry Dobson Class 9 Bobby Dooley

Congratualations

House points





258 Water 249 Fire Earth 182

Keep up the good work everyone!

Polite Reminder

Could we ask when bringing your child to school and also when collecting at the end of the school day that you please ensure that your child remains with you at all times.

We understand that these are the busiest times of the day but we need to ensure the safety of both parents, children and staff.

Your continued support in these difficult times is appreciated.

If you would like to change the permissions that we hold for your child, which include consent for your child's picture to appear on our website, or social media e.g. Twitter, please contact the office for a new consent form.

We start week 3 of the school dinner menu next week.

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