



# Knypersley News

Learning Together, Learning for Life

1st April 2021

Well, what a strange term! The good thing is we started and ended the term with the children in school—but lots happened in between! Thank you all for your kind words, suggestions and support this term. I think we have pulled together as a school community to make the term as successful as possible for our children.  
#Definitely all in this together

We hope that you can enjoy your Easter break and meet with your dearest and nearest. This should help us all feel a little more human!

We look forward to welcoming you all back on Monday 19th April 2021. Take care and stay safe. Love Mrs Goodyear

**Please can you be aware of the following procedures regarding the reporting of any positive COVID cases over the Easter holiday**

If your child tests positive during the Easter holidays you must let us know as the school will be required to assist in identifying close contacts and advising others about self-isolation during the first week. This is because your child may have been infectious whilst in school. Therefore, we will remain on call and will be monitoring our emails regularly and ask you to let us know as soon as a positive result is confirmed. You can do this by using the email address [admin@knypersley.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:admin@knypersley.staffs.sch.uk).

### Attendance



Busy Bees	94.3%	Class 5	98.7%
Caterpillars	96.0%	Class 6	97.9%
Class 2	97.3%	Class 7	97.2%
Class 3	99.3%	Class 8	97.3%
Class 4	98.7%	Class 9	100%

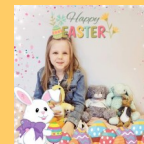
Last week's winners were

Class 9 with 100%

**FANTASTIC AND WELL DONE**

Whole School Attendance 97.4%

School target — 96.5%



Thank you to our Early years children who participated in a one system Easter bonnet parade today! Your creations were fantastic and you brightened our day.

### Track and Trace Payments

If you have had to self-isolate and have not been receiving pay during this time you may be eligible for a £500 Track and Trace Payment. Please go to

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/test-and-trace-support-payment-scheme-claiming-financial-support/claiming-financial-support-under-the-test-and-trace-support-payment-scheme>

### COVID winter support



Staffordshire County Council are offering emergency help to Staffordshire residents.

Staffordshire County Council

- If you are struggling to pay your fuel bills, you could get up to £200 worth of financial help. This will be provided by pre-paid meter credit or paid directly to your energy provider to add credit to your account or to clear prior debt.

You could be eligible to benefit from the scheme if you meet one of the below criteria:

Claim benefits or tax credits (including Universal Credit)

- Have low or no income
- Are disabled
- Are currently unemployed

For further information, please visit

<https://www.staffordshire.gov.uk/Warmer-Homes/COVID-winter-support.aspx>



The Zone  
Biddulph Youth & Community Zone

There will be lots of activities taking place over the Easter holidays at The Zone in Biddulph.

Social distancing and Government Guidelines in force.

For more information, please either visit their: Facebook

<https://www.facebook.com/Biddulphouthandcommunityzone> or their website <https://www.bycz.org>

Time to say goodbye ...

Mrs Jukes has decided to retire after 23 years at Knypersley. Mrs Jukes has thought long and hard about this decision and feels like it is the right time. We wish her well with her retirement. She will be sorely missed by all in school and those whose lives she has touched in our community over her years of service.

Thank you Mrs Jukes for everything you have done for Knypersley.



## Celebrate Good Times!

### Worker of the Week

Busy Bees	Teddie Taylor
Caterpillars	Kinleigh-Mai Davies
Class 2	Summer Bullock-Cowan
Class 3	Joshua Hardy
Class 4	All of Class 4
Class 5	All of Class 5
Class 6	Sam Chandler
Class 7	William Spencer
Class 8	Milton Johnson
Class 9	Myles Bosson

### Achiever of the Week

Busy Bees	Samuel Spencer
Caterpillars	Lucy Scothern
Class 2	Ella Cooper
Class 3	Ellie Beeston
Class 4	Archie Wheawall
Class 5	Layla Snowdon
Class 6	Maya Velez-Colby
Class 7	Evie-Mai Mosson
Class 8	Dion Rigby
Class 9	All of Class 9

Congratulations

## Knypersley Rockstars

This week Rockstars respects each other beliefs

Thank you so much for making Knypersley the best place to be!

Nursery	Hakeem Rashid/Olivia Kay
Busy Bees	Scarlett Beck
Caterpillars	Amelia Woolliscroft
Class 2	Toby Gayle
Class 3	Darcy Cockerton
Class 4	Cherish Dickenson
Class 5	Isabella Christie
Class 6	Maisie Evans
Class 7	Lisa Giles
Class 8	All of Class 8
Class 9	Thomas Belford



Mrs Goodyear's Rockstars are  
Tilly Siegertsz & Rosie Lester

Congratulations

## House points

### Congratulations to Air

Fire	216	Water	256
Air	370	Earth	368

Keep up the good work everyone!



## Sports Person on the Week

Nursery	All of Nursery
Busy Bees	All of Busy Bees
Caterpillars	Finley
Class 2	Lewis Lally
Class 3	Emily Brough
Class 4	Billy Barker
Class 5	Connor Wilshaw
Class 6	Harley Whiting
Class 7	Toby Dickenson
Class 8	Ewan Shields
Class 9	Ethan Heath



We start week 2 of the school dinner menu next week.



Our before and after school club is now open .

Please remember we need at least 1 weeks notice if you wish your child to attend so we can arrange our staffing and resources safely under the new reopening guidance. We will not be able to admit children that have not booked in due to bubble monitoring.

Please email [kidzzone@knypersley.staffs.sch.uk](mailto:kidzzone@knypersley.staffs.sch.uk) to book your sessions.



## Symptoms of COVID 19.

It is **absolutely vital** that if you, your child or someone in your household has any of the following symptoms you must stay at home and **inform us immediately and organise a test.**

- A high temperature
- A loss of, or change to, your sense of smell or taste
- A new continuous cough

If your child displays any of the above symptoms we will isolate them in our isolation room and request you are available to collect immediately.

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