



Kingsfield News

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Diary Dates For Parents

School Photos

Wednesday 28th September

Inset Day

Monday 5th September

October Half-Term

24th - 28th October

Christmas Break

19th December - 2nd January

February Half-Term

20th - 24th February

Inset Day

Monday 27th February

Easter Break

3rd - 14th April

May Half-Term

29th May - 2nd June

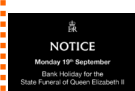
Closed for Voting—4th May

Inset Day

Monday 5th June

Last Day of School

Friday 21st July



Following the sad news of the passing of Queen Elizabeth II and the subsequent announcement of a Bank Holiday, school will be closed on Monday 19th September.



Kingsfield Book of condolences is available for any parents wishing to express their condolences. It is on a book stand on the playground.

Family & Individual Photographs

On Wednesday 28th September, Tempest photographers will be taking group and individual photos in the school hall. If you wish to have family photos with siblings who do not attend Kingsfield, please queue in the hall from 8.15 onwards.

School siblings and individual photos will be taken during the school day.



Swimming

Y2 start their 6 week block of swimming lessons on Friday 23rd September. A letter with details has been sent out and can be found on the website

<https://www.kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2022/09/Swimming.pdf>



Forest School

Y1 start their 5 week block of Forest School Sessions on Thursday 15th September. A letter with details has been sent out and can be found on the website.

<https://www.kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2022/09/Forest-School.pdf>



Our School Council Representatives

Our School Council representatives have now been carefully selected by our classes and are they are ready to make a difference to our school!

Head over to the school council page on the school website where you can find out who our new representatives are.

The school council's first meeting will be next week so keep your eyes peeled for updates and our meeting minutes.

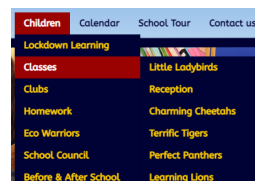
<https://www.kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk/school-council/>



Website Updates

Under the children tab on the school website you will find a link to our updated class pages.

Each class page has useful information and photos for parents/carers.



Over the next year we will update these pages but don't forget to follow us on

Twitter too!

<https://www.kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk/>

School Attendance

WOW what a start we have made with 4 classes last week having 100% attendance and with a school weekly attendance of 97.9%

Congratulations for 100% attendance goes to terrific Tigers, Learning Lions, Perfect Panthers & Fantastic Foxes.

This has smashed our school attendance target of 97.5% and so these classes will enjoy an extra 5 minutes play time as a reward.

Next week our attendance officers will be leading an assembly and meeting with Mrs Butler for their first pupil leadership meeting.





Football Club with Goal Coaching

Football club is starting on Friday 23rd straight after school until 4.15pm at a cost of £3 per session. If you wish your child to attend to Friday Football club for both boys and girls please follow the link below and sign them up.

<https://goalcoaching.co.uk/product/key-stage-1-2-after-school-football-club-kingsfield-first-school/>

Children's Out of School Achievements

If your child has achieved something outside of school we would love to know, so please email Mrs Butler and this news will be communicated to your child's class teacher in order to be celebrated within the class with the class and shared to all on the newsletter.



Thank you to our wonderful Teaching Assistants, your hard work and commitment to the children at Kingsfield is very much appreciated by all.

Come and support our Douglas Macmillan coffee afternoon on Friday 30th September, where we will be selling cakes, tea and coffee; all in aid of the amazing Macmillan charity! Any cake donations to be given to Miss Mohring by 29/9/22. Thank you!



If you are a new to Nursery or Reception parent and were unable to attend the Evidence Me session please use our drop ins and staff will support in setting up the parent share facility.



Reception Baseline Assessments

For more information about the tests in Reception please find the link on the website to the Standards & Testing Agency document.

<https://www.kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk/curly-caterpillars/>



This week's question was:
What can we do if we don't think things are fair?

We talked about what a strike is and the impact it has on others.

Theme of the week next week is:-



Good Attendance

The lunchtime Menus

Menu's can be found at
<https://www.kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk/lunch-menu/>

The menu for next week is:-



Parent Pay

All charges for children's school dinners (Nursery, Y3 & Y4), the Before & After school care and Nursery sessions are being put on to parent pay in readiness for your payments. For parents who are new to school we will be in touch very soon with details on how to set up your account. Thank you.



Star of the week

Busy Bees - Elijah Hussain
Clever Caterpillars - Evie Hayes
Terrific Tigers - Jesse Cumberbatch
Charming Cheetahs - Tabitha Carney
Perfect Panthers - Bella Biddulph
Learning Lions - Jaxx-Luca Flatley
Super Squirrels - Freddy Leadbeater
Wise Owls - Max Hirst-Malbon
Fantastic Foxes - Alana Farenden

Awesome Award

Busy Bees - Pippa Cannon
Clever Caterpillars - Jorgia Straford
Terrific Tigers - George Deakin
Charming Cheetahs - Evelyn Taffs
Perfect Panthers - Jay-Jay Holley
Learning Lions - Harry Stanway
Super Squirrels - Mason Peake
Wise Owls - Verity Hill
Fantastic Foxes - Bodhi Hayhurst

Thoughtful Friend

Busy Bees - Harrison Copeland
Clever Caterpillars - Eli Casewell
Terrific Tigers - Emma Mitchell
Charming Cheetahs - Oliva Peake
Perfect Panthers - Amelia Sutton
Learning Lions - Charlotte Martin
Super Squirrels - Evie Cashmore
Wise Owls - Violet Matthews
Fantastic Foxes - Jacob Ridgway

House Points

Mars - 333 **Jupiter** - 359
Earth - 380 **Saturn** - 280

This weeks winners are Earth!

Vacancy for a Lunchtime Supervisor

We currently have a vacancy for a lunchtime supervisor.

If you are interested or know someone who may be, then please call the school office on 01782 973800 for an application pack.

The position is term time only for 1 hour per day with an hourly rate of £9.43. (Grade 2 Scale point 2).

This school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people/vulnerable adults and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This position is subject to a criminal records check from the Disclosure and Barring Service (formerly CRB) which will require you to disclose details of all unspent and unfiltered spent reprimands, formal warnings, cautions and convictions in your application form.

<https://www.kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk/policies-2/>