



Kingsfield News

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Part of the Children First Learning Partnership



5th March 2021

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Diary Dates For Parents

Return To School

Monday 8th March

Last Day of Term

Thursday 1st April

Easter Break

2nd April - 16th April

May Day

Monday 3rd May

May Half-Term

31st May - 4th June

Inset Day

Monday 7th June

Last day of term

Friday 16th July

Dear Parents/carers,

We are really excited to be welcoming all children back to school and finally being re-united once again. Of course we all need to ensure we all stay safe so please can I urge you to become familiar again with our Covid procedures.

All covid-19 information can be found on the school website.

This includes all recent correspondence that has been sent out and the March full re-opening risk assessment.

<http://kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk/covid-19-info/>

Our priorities for the weeks ahead will be to settle children back into school life, to support with any anxieties and to continue with their learning.

Thank you, Mrs Butler



All school laptops and tablets must be returned to the school office on Monday 8th March.

Thank you

PE Days

Little Ladybirds - Friday

Busy Bees/Clever Caterpillars - Wednesday

Terrific Tigers/Charming Cheetahs - Friday

Learning Lions/Perfect Panthers - Tuesday

Super Squirrels/Fantastic Foxes - Monday

Wise Owls - Thursday

On these days please arrive to school in your PE clothing.

Homework

The routines and pace of life in school may well be quite challenging for some children when they return next week. Therefore, just until Easter we will only be asking our children to read, complete TT Rockstar activities and learn their sounds, sight words or spellings for homework.

After the Easter holiday and once we have fully assessed the children, we will commence normal homework provision.

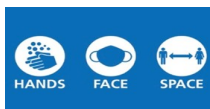
Drop Off and Collection Arrangements & Reminders

- Only 1 adult per child for drop off and collection.
- Avoid coming onto site early and crowding.
- Keep to the one way system.
- Use queue lines and keep a safe distance.
- Face covering must be worn unless exempt.



Class	Drop off time		Pick up time	
Nursery - Little Ladybirds	8.45 a.m.	11.45 a.m.	12.00 p.m.	3.00 p.m.
Reception - Busy Bees	8.45a.m.		3.10 p.m.	
Reception - Clever Caterpillars	8.45a.m.		3.10 p.m.	
Y1 - Charming Cheetahs	8.50 a.m.		3.15 p.m.	
Y1 - Terrific Tigers	9.00 a.m.		3.25 p.m.	
Y2 - Learning Lions	8.50 a.m.		3.15 p.m.	
Y2 - Perfect panthers	9.00 a.m.		3.25 p.m.	
Y3/4 - Super Squirrels	8.55 a.m.		3.20 p.m.	
Y3/4 - Wise Owls	8.55 p.m.		3.20 p.m.	
Y3/4 - Fantastic Foxes	8.55 p.m.		3.20 p.m.	

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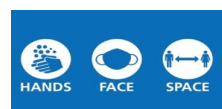


The main Covid-19 symptoms to be aware of are:-

☑ A new continuous cough

☑ Fever or high temperature

☑ A loss of or change in the sense of smell or taste



If a child develops any of these symptoms it is vital that they should isolate and book a test. Whilst waiting for test results all members of the household should isolate.

COVID-19 Additional Behaviour Policy

March 8th Re-opening updated 2021



Handwashing is compulsory....

- On arrival
- After toileting
- After each outdoor play
- Before/After Eating
- Before leaving

Tissues

Children are encouraged to use tissues to catch germs with sneezing and coughing



2 metre rule

Staff and children must do their best to maintain good social distancing.



Water bottles

Water bottles to be taken home daily to be cleaned



No lunchboxes please

Universal free school meals are available

However if you want to provide your own lunch then please send in a disposable plastic bag



Clothing

Children to attend school in clean uniform every day.
Children to come to school wearing their PE kit on the PE day



Early Years Reminders

Prior to the lockdown all Nursery parents were asked to call into the school office to sign their child's Early Years Funding Parent Declaration Form. If you haven't already done so, please pop into the main office to get this signed no later than Friday 12th March.

We are also outstanding copies of birth certificates for some pupils. You will have received reminder texts about this. Please ensure you have brought this in to the school office so a copy can go into your child's file no later than Friday 12th March.

Thank you

Parent Pay

Please ensure your ParentPay account is kept up to date and all outstanding balances are cleared.

Any debts that exceeding the £20 debt limit will result in loss of use of the facilities.

Thank you



Kool Kids is re-opening on 8th March for pre-booked pupils.

Breakfast Club starts at 7:30am

After School Club ends at 6:00pm

Please ensure you are booking in advance by Wednesday for the week ahead.

If your booking pattern is consistent and required continuously, weekly bookings are not necessary.

Please email all booking requests to koolkids@kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk

Nursery Applications

We have places available in Nursery for September 2021.

If your child is 3 before the 31st August they are entitled to a free place in our Nursery for 15 or 30 hours.

The deadline for applications is Friday 21st May.

Further information and application forms can be found on the school website - <http://kingsfield.staffs.sch.uk/admissions/>

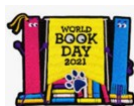
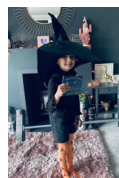
Alternatively contact the school office or pop in for a paper copy.

World Book Day

Yesterday we had a wonderful day completing lots of World Book Day activities and challenges!

Some of us dressed up as characters from stories, designed characters, made puppets even using a potato! Reading books, designing bookmarks, making our own books, going on a book walk and even searching for unicorns!!! What a brilliant day - very much enjoyed by all.

On Monday when the children return to school, they will receive their World Book Day Token, which they can exchange for one of the World Book Day Titles for this year!



Star of the Week In School

Little Ladybirds - All of Little Ladybirds

Clever Caterpillars - Mason Wooton

Busy Bees - Bella Biddulph

Terrific Tigers - Henry Postlethwaite

Charming Cheetahs - Louis Carr

Perfect Panthers - All of Perfect Panthers

Learning Lions - All of Learning Lions

Super Squirrels - Connor Jude

Wise Owls - Levi Mace

Fantastic Foxes - Alivia Jewess

Remote Star of The Week

Little Ladybirds - All of Little Ladybirds

Clever Caterpillars - Libbie Patterson

Busy Bees - Madison Hanley

Terrific Tigers - Markus Shaw

Charming Cheetahs - Amelia Fenney

Perfect Panthers - All of Perfect Panthers

Learning Lions - All of Learning Lions

Super Squirrels - Imogem Karabulut

Wise Owls - Jayden Mycock

Fantastic Foxes - Teddy Oakes

Communication

In the absence of parent drop-in nights. If you have any queries that you wish to discuss, please email the teachers on their homework email addresses and they will arrange a convenient time to contact you by phone.

Theme of the week

Reunited and staying safe