

# KPS Weekly

21.3.25



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## Is your child due to start Nursery or Reception?

Why don't you come along and join us for a stay and play session!

We would love to invite you and your child to see our fantastic Early Years' classroom and get a glimpse of the learning and development that takes place in our wonderful environment.



**When: Friday 28th March 2025**

**Time: 8:45 - 9:45 am**

**Where: Kellington Primary School's Early Years' Classroom**

Please phone 01977 661127 or email [admin@kp.starmat.uk](mailto:admin@kp.starmat.uk) to confirm your attendance.



For this session, we will be celebrating Mothers and Others. We invite you to join us in our fun-filled activities.



On Friday 28th March, our EYFS team would like to welcome 'mothers and others' to join the children for their stay and play. This will be held at 8.45-9.45am.

Please let the office know if you are able to join us.

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## Art afternoon and Chocolotto

We are excited to remind you that on Thursday 27th March at 2.45pm, we will be welcoming parents into school to see our Kellington Art Gallery.

The PTA will provide refreshments from 2.45pm and the children will join adults from 3pm to showcase their learning and finished pieces.

For families who have purchased chocolate bars from the PTA, these will be available to collect from the refreshment table during this time.

The PTA would like these to be opened at 3.15pm for the grand reveal - the golden ticket winners!

Chocolate bars are still available for pre-order only - final orders are this Sunday.

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## Comic Relief

A huge thank you to everyone who came to school dressed in red and made a donation towards this charitable event.

The children have had a fun-filled afternoon in their house teams making party hats, taking part in a general knowledge quiz, decorating biscuits and playing party games. They have had an absolute blast!

As a school, we have raised £84.80 for this great cause.



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## Forest School

This week, our youngest children spent a full day immersed in Forest School. They really enjoyed all the activities but most of all, cooking together. The children loved the chocolate but were not so sure about the cooked bananas. Well done to all of the children. You were amazing!

Next week, Year 4 have their Forest School on Tuesday and Year 6 have their Forest School on Wednesday.

Please make sure they come into school ready for having a great time, potentially getting muddy and any weather the day may bring!



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## Sustran's big walk and wheel to school

At South Milford, we are taking part in Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel, the UK's largest inter-school cycling, walking, wheeling and scooting challenge. The challenge runs from 24 March- 4 April 2025. It's free to take part and we would love everyone to be involved. All you need to do is encourage your child(ren) to walk, use a wheelchair, scoot or cycle to school on as many days as possible during the event. We are taking part because Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel is a great way to build physical activity in children's daily routine which is important for their physical health and mental wellbeing. It also helps to reduce congestion and air pollution around the local community. Plus, there are some great prizes to be won every day if we get enough children taking part!

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## Nerf Gun Tournament

A huge well done to the children who represented our small and mighty school and the Selby District Nerf Gun Championships. After several tense battles, our children proudly came 2nd overall.

A huge well done to our fantastic children who demonstrated great integrity and sportsmanship. We are so incredibly proud of you.

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## Victorian Kellington Primary School

Wow, what a start to the week Class 2 had. On Monday morning, our KS1 children came to school dressed as Victorians, ready for an immersive day. The children spent the day with Madam Wiles who helped them to use quills to write, sew and play Victorian playground games. The children were shocked to find out teachers of the time used canes and dunce chairs for punishment! A fantastic day was had by all and this experience will be one the children will remember forever!



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## Mobile phones and safeguarding

Many children are gaining access to mobile phones from a much younger age than they have been previously. Our digital world is ever-changing which in turn brings more online intelligence and risks for our children.

It has been brought to our attention this week that mobile phones are not always being used responsibly by children who have these. Please can you ensure that if your child has a mobile devices that these are being closely monitored and parental controls are enabled where possible to ensure our children are as safe as possible.

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## Glasses

Many of our children at Kellington wear glasses to support their vision. This may be all the time or for more focused work. It is important that these are in school everyday so that this is not a factor

impacting on your child's ability to learn. We are aware of which children need glasses however, understand that this will change as their prescription does.

Please could you let school know if your child no longer requires glasses or if they now need them. If these are not in school, we will call to ensure they are brought in so your child has the best chances of being successful.

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## RWI Online Reading Tool

All children who access phonics in school have log ins for the RWI online reading tool. This online platform gives children practise opportunities to apply their phonics and show you how amazing they are.

For Year 1 children, they will be doing the Phonics Screening Check in June. It would be really beneficial if the children had additional opportunities to practise their reading skills.

If you have any questions, please speak with your class teaching team.

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The image is a promotional poster for an Easter Lunch event. At the top, there is a logo for 'STAR EATS' featuring a basket of various fruits and vegetables. Below the logo, the text reads 'Join us for Easter Lunch' in a large, blue, cursive font. Underneath, it says 'Celebrating our local suppliers'. The menu is listed as 'MENU: Roast chicken dinner or quorn fillet dinner, Easter shortbread biscuits, Spuds & sandwiches also available'. The date 'Tuesday 1st April' is prominently displayed. At the bottom, it says 'Please order via Parent Pay'. The background is light blue with white clouds and a green hill at the bottom. There are also several colorful Easter eggs, one of which has the 'The STAR MULTI ACADEMY TRUST' logo on it.

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## Attendance this Week

Our attendance has been brilliant this week- well done EVERYONE!

Class 1: 95.9%

Class 2: 97.4%

Class 3: 99.5%

Class 4: 98.3%

Whole School: 97.8%

Minutes lost to lateness: 2 hours 50 minutes

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## Star Week

Class 1: Layla for always trying her hardest and following instructions

Class 2: Kai for trying really hard and being super kind.

Class 3: Troy for being kind in all he does which has also been noticed by our lunch time staff!

Class 4: Oliver B for his increased independence in the classroom, especially in reading and writing and for always being a kind friend.



## Mathematicians of the Week



Class 1: Owen

Class 2: Amadis

Class 3: Harry

Class 4: Grace

## Resilience Award

Rupert and Tye for not giving up during art afternoon.

All of Class 1 for their resilience during their Forest School day!



## Golden Welly

Year 5 and 6 for a brilliant game of 'who can hold onto the monkey bars the longest'. Well done to Ben, Heidi and Billy-Joe for the top 3 scores!

## House Points

This week's winning team is....Green! Well done GreenTeam.

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## Important Dates:

- 25.03.2025 Year 4 Forest School Day**
  - 26.03.2025 Year 6 Forest School Day**
  - 27.03.2025 2.15pm Open afternoon - Art**
  - 28.03.2025 8.45-9.45 Class 1 Mother's Day Stay and Play
  - 31.03.2025 Bun Day Monday Class 4
  - 01.04.2025 Year 3 Forest School Day**
  - 04.04.2025 School closes to pupils
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## Uniform

We have high expectations in all aspects of school life and this begins with how our children are presented. We want children to look smart and to be proud of their school.

- Grey/black trousers/shorts/skirt
- White/royal blue polo shirt – logo optional
- Sweatshirt/cardigan with/without school logo
- Black, grey or white socks or tights
- Black school shoes (not trainers)
- Optional blue checked summer dress

PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD'S UNIFORM IS CLEARLY MARKED WITH HIS/HER NAME.

Book bags and PE kit bags are all available with the school logo which can be purchased from our uniform suppliers.

## PE kit

- White T-shirt
- Black shorts
- Pumps/trainers

Children can wear tracksuits for outdoor PE during cold weather.

PE kit should be kept in school during the week and taken home for washing on a Friday. Children may only wear football kits for after school clubs such as football.

## Jewellery and Make-up

For safety reasons no jewellery should be worn in school, with the exception of watches. If ears are pierced, only stud earrings must be worn, but they must be removed or covered with plasters/tape by the child for PE. Nail polish or make-up of any kind is not allowed. If worn children will be asked to remove it.

## Hair

Children's hair should be neat and tidy at all times. Children with long hair are required to wear it tied back for reasons of health and safety (e.g. in PE lessons) to prevent it from distracting their vision and to help prevent the spread of head lice. Hair bands/bobbles must be small and in school colours. Children are not allowed to wear elaborate hair decoration or other styles of a generally inappropriate nature for school (e.g. unnaturally coloured or with shaved lines or symbols.)

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## List of dates for the year (\*\*subject to change)



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## Kellington Primary school

Best wishes

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