

**Our Kingsholm family, learning together successfully to make a positive contribution to our world
(School vision)**



Kingsholm C of E Primary and Nursery School

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**This term's value is Love –
*Let all that you do be done in love, 1 Corinthians 16.14***

Issue 10

June 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been another busy month at Kingsholm for us all. The children have all been involved in the Kingsholm Olympics which they have thoroughly enjoyed. Huge thanks to Mr Cory for the hard work in putting this together.

It has been a joy to see our children again being able to go on trips! Most recently our Y2 children have been visiting Gloucester Docks and enjoying learning about the history of Gloucester. Our Y6 children had the most wonderful time on their residential trip at the PGL centre, Boreatton Park. There were some extremely tired children and adults in school the day after they returned, well done everyone for staying awake!!! We have also been lucky enough to have a theatre group performing Jack and Beanstalk outside to our Y1 children which they thoroughly enjoyed. All of this on top of the learning in class has certainly kept the children busy, well done everyone!

The Y6 children have also had their leaver's service at Gloucester Cathedral and what a wonderful occasion it was. Children, you were a credit once again to the school, reading clearly, listening well and representing yourselves and the school to the highest of standards. All the very best of luck for secondary school children, you will be fantastic and do remember to come back and visit.

Coming up on Thursday 8th July we have our transfer day where the children will get to spend the day in their new classes. You will receive all the information you need alongside the children's school reports on Wednesday 7th July. On the day stick to your staggered entry and exit times, you will find the children's new teachers in the playground in the morning with signs to help direct you. There will also be lots of staff available in the playground if you're unsure. When you collect, again stick to your staggered times and collect from where you drop off. Y6 children, please make your way to the marquee on the field where staff will meet and register you.

Have a wonderful end to the term. It has been quite a year, thank you to all of the school community for the support and energy you give to the children. It makes such a difference.

Kind regards,

Matt Ferris HeadTeacher

Breakfast and After-School Club Charges

The Governing Body has recently reviewed the charges for our extended services provision which have not increased since 2012. The following increases have been agreed, with effect from **6th September 2021**:

Current price Price from 6.9.21

Breakfast Club	£3.00	£3.20
Coolkids short session	£5.50	£5.75
Coolkids long session	£11.00	£11.50

Payment in advance via Parentpay is required for Breakfast club, however children can be dropped off on the day at the white door opposite the main reception area.

A reminder that all bookings for Cool Kids are to be made via the weekly google form that is sent out on a Friday afternoon.

Bookings will only be confirmed if there are sufficient funds to pay for all sessions required.

As our numbers are increasing we are unable to guarantee places unless payments and request bookings are made in advance.



Whole Class Photographs

The Photos will be coming home with the children before the end of term.

Royal Academy of Arts - Young Artist's Show

Sadly our entries didn't feature in this year's show, however well done to all who took part.

REMINDER - Grammar School Registration for Y5 children closes at 12 noon on Wednesday 30 June 2021

To register for the Gloucestershire Grammar Schools' Entrance Test, Please see the link <https://g7.applicaq.com/2>

Due to the current restrictions, open days are not taking place however all of the schools have put virtual open days on their websites for you to obtain more information.

The Year 6 Leaver's Service took place on Wednesday 23 June and unfortunately due to the current COVID – 19 restrictions parents were unable to join us. We were however able to live stream the service which enabled families to be there virtually. The service was incredible for all involved.

We introduced the 'Mr Flynn Award'. This is an award set up by Mr Flynn's family to recognise a Y6 pupil for their kindness, being approachable and making others feel special. All Y6 pupils were asked to nominate a worthy class mate.

We are delighted to announce the first winner of this award goes to..... Jomiloju Odukunle.
Well done Jomi.



Important news on School Uniform Shopping

As term draws to a close, we're already looking ahead to September. Our uniform provider Monkhouse is working hard to make sure that despite the challenges posed by international shipping, Covid and Brexit, our parents will be able to find everything they need.

This is a reminder that the best way to ensure your child has all the uniform they need in good time for the start of the school year is to shop early, if this is possible for you.

Please [book your appointment](#) with Monkhouse now, preferably choosing an appointment in July or Early August. To stay up to date with news on stock and special offers on uniform and accessories, [register for updates from our supplier here.](#)

Thank you for understanding. We know not all parents are able to shop early, but the challenges posed when large numbers of families shop in the last two weeks of August is something we are all keen to avoid. After what has been an interesting school year, please help us to help you to ensure we all return in September raring to go!

Kingsholm School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. A copy of our Safeguarding Policy is available to view via the school office.

Term Dates for 2020 – 2021	
Term 6: Monday 7 th June – Friday 16 th July	Last day of school ends 1:10pm onwards
Term Dates for 2021 – 2022	
Term 1: Thursday 2 nd September – Friday 22 nd October	School ends 2:45 onwards (Timings TBC)
Term 2: Monday 1 st November – Friday 17 th December	School ends 1.10pm (Timings TBC)
Term 3: Tuesday 4 th January – Friday 18 th February	School ends 2:45 onwards (Timings TBC)
Term 4: Monday 28 th February – Friday 8 th April	School ends 1.10pm (Timings TBC)
Term 5: Monday 25 th April – Friday 27 th May	School ends 2:45 onwards (Timings TBC)
Term 6: Monday 6 th June – Friday 22 nd July	School ends 1.10pm

Dates for your Diary 2020–2021

Please see the dates below. More details for the events will follow and information is also available on our school website calendar.

Wednesday 23rd June

Wednesday 7th July

Thursday 8th July

Wednesday 14th July

Friday 16th July

Monday 19th

Tuesday 20th

Wednesday 21st

Thursday 2nd

Friday 3rd September

Monday 6th September

Y6 Leavers Service Gloucester Cathedral

School Reports go home

School Transfer Day for Reception – Y5 Classes

Kingsholm Star Awards

End of term from 1:10 onwards

School INSET DAY (School closed)

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Term 1 Starts