

Executive Headteacher's Update

Dear Parents / Carers,

Another fantastic week at Kings Nympton! The weeks seem to be flying by now, and it has been wonderful to see the children continuing to learn, explore and have fun together. It has been lovely to see the children embracing all the opportunities this week and showing such enthusiasm for their learning. Well done, everyone!

Pre-School has been buzzing with excitement and creativity this week. The children have been busy exploring, investigating and developing their ideas through play and carefully planned activities. It has been lovely to see their enthusiasm and curiosity shining through as they learn together.

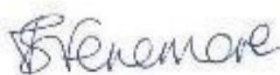
Both Class 1 and Class 2 had fantastic days at Forest School this week. The children thoroughly enjoyed being outdoors, exploring nature, developing new skills and learning together in such a wonderful environment. A huge thank you to Mrs Blacker for providing such wonderful experiences for the children. These opportunities are so valuable and create lots of exciting memories — we are very lucky to have them!

Could we politely ask parents and carers not to use the gate at the bottom of the field to enter or leave the school. Please use the usual school entrance instead. Thank you very much for your cooperation and support with this.

Wishing all of our families a lovely and relaxing weekend. We hope you enjoy some quality family time and, hopefully, a little sunshine too!

Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs V Fenemore



Diary dates

Upcoming week

Week beginning: 05.10.26

Weekly deadlines

- Lunch deadline – midnight the day before
- All sorts – 8.30am the **Sunday** before.
- Early birds – 3pm the **Sunday** before.
- Gate opens 08.45-08.55 each day.

Email admin@kingsnypton.devon.sch.uk to make changes.

Monday

- Gardening Club (3.30pm-5.00pm)
- Mrs Rowcliffe on site

Tuesday

- Mrs Fenemore & Mr Slocombe on site
- Harvest Service 9.30am – St James' Church
- Class 1 & 2 PE kit

Wednesday

- Mrs Rowcliffe on site

Thursday

- Mr Slocombe on site
- Class 2 PE kit

Friday

- Mrs Fenemore & Mr Slocombe & Mrs Stapley on site
- Whole School Cake Sale 3.30pm

Saturday 10th October

9.30am-12noon

Visit Kings Nympton Primary School!

What we offer:

- High quality, engaging learning environments
- High adult to child ratio
- Nurturing provision
- Personalised and tailored teaching
- Broad and ambitious curriculum
- Extensive enrichment opportunities through trips, visitors, residentials.
- Forest school programme and learning beyond the classroom.
- Places available for children aged 0-11 years.





Second hand uniform shop



Pre-loved uniform shop

Has your child outgrown their uniform? Donate it to our uniform shop!

We welcome any clean, good-quality school branded jumpers, cardigans, PE hoodies and book bags.

Please drop any donations in to school.

Uniform shop prices:

Please contact the Admin Team to arrange collection and payment.

Teal school jumper	£3.00
Teal school cardigan	£3.00
Navy PE hoodie	£4.00
Book bag	£2.00

All monies raised will support our ongoing school fundraising.



Class news

Pre-school – Mrs Stapley

What a lovely week we have had in the Preschool! The children have been doing a fantastic job of securing our daily routines and are becoming increasingly confident with knowing what happens throughout the day. It has been wonderful to see them settling into the rhythm of Preschool life, becoming more independent and enjoying their time together.

We have been exploring trees and the changes we can see around us, getting creative with tree inspired activities and sharing our ideas and observations. The children have particularly enjoyed being outside and making the most of the unseasonably warm weather, with lots of opportunities to run, explore and play together.

We have also been learning some new songs and rhymes, and it has been lovely to hear the children joining in, developing their confidence and beginning to remember familiar words and actions.

(Below is just one of the songs we have been singing)

Celebrating Home Learning

At our Preschool we value the important role families play in supporting children's learning and development. We love hearing about the wonderful achievements children make at home. If your child has had a special achievement such as learning a new skill, showing kindness, or trying something new please share it with us. Celebrating these moments together helps us build a fuller picture of each child's development.

A gentle reminder- please use the side entrance for dropping off and collecting your children. Thank you.

Have a wonderful weekend,
The Preschool Team



Tree song (Row, row, row your boat)

Tree, tree, tree so tall,
Standing in the ground,
Branches reaching to the sky,
Leaves are all around.

Roots, roots, roots below,
Hidden out of sight,
Growing strong and growing tall,
What a lovely sight!



Class news

Class 1 – Mrs Keast

Class One have enjoyed watching Button Moon as part of our Drawing Club this week.

There was lots of discussion about how we could use everyday objects to create a character and planet of our own. Some creative ideas and good use of adjectives in written work this week.

In maths we completed our learning on place value, numbers to 20. We have learned to estimate numbers on a number line, order and compare numbers and use comparison symbols. We will move on to addition and subtraction for the rest of the half term, again working with numbers to 20.

In art this week, we have begun constructing our rocket sculptures. This follows previous learning about what a sculpture is and discussing which items of recycling would be suitable building components.

Forest School was a highlight of the week and the class enjoyed the opportunity to be outside in the Autumn sunshine. At Forest School, the children made keyrings and one huge chocolate chip cookie!



Class news

Class 2 – Mrs Miali

Well done on another super week Class 2.

They have been working hard in English to improve their writing through using a variety of punctuation, adding more detail with parenthesis and organising their work with bullet point features. Using ideas of adventures they would like to take, the children have produced kit lists to cover every eventuality!

Year 3 and 4 have completed their place value sequence with rounding and Roman numerals. Can they tell you what this number is? XXIV

Year 5 and 6 have also completed a short unit on addition and subtraction, refreshing their column method and looking at different ways to solve problems using the knowledge they have about rounding, number bonds and place value.

We used the interactive maps on the iPads for their geography lesson this week. The children enjoyed using the satellite mode to explore Italy and compare the capital cities Rome, and London.

To end the week, the class have enjoyed another fantastic day at Forest school, where they explored new areas of the forest.

Have a lovely weekend!



Gardening club




KINGS NYMPTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

GARDENING CLUB

Have some fun with your friends 😊
Every Monday - Term Time only
3:30-5:00pm
Open for all children from Preschool (age 2+) to Year 6
Pack some wellies and spare clothes!

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Fresh Air
Growing fruit & vegetables
Maintaining Chickens

New Skills
Making bird & bug houses
Creating wild flower gardens

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Contact Zoe: 07841692474 or Katie: 07783622491