



Weekly Newsletter
09th February 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

February half term has arrived and the children and staff are ready for a well-earned break. The children are looking forward to our Masquerade disco this evening and I am very much looking forward to seeing the variety of masks on show.

Another busy week has passed and culminated in our Celebration Assembly this morning. Thank you to everyone who attended to celebrate our children's successes.

After half term we will be introducing our new Behaviours for Learning expectations to the children and linking this with our new value, Responsibility, where we will encourage every child to take an active role in being ready to learn. Our Behaviours for Learning are:

- Listening to learn
- Being kind and polite and showing good manners
- Being equipped to learn
- Putting in 100% effort

Each week we will hold a Celebration Assembly where each class teacher will award one of our Behaviours for Learning to a child in their class. If your child is to receive an award, we will text you so that you have the opportunity to join us in our celebrations, but remember to keep it a surprise! Children will also have the opportunity to bring in awards and certificates to share what they have been doing outside of school.

Our new style Celebration Assemblies will begin on Friday 3rd March at 9:05am. Parents and family members are warmly invited to attend.

I would like to take this opportunity to say a huge 'thank you' to all the children, parents, staff and governors for making me feel so welcome in my first half term as Headteacher at Kelsey Primary School. I am looking forward to continuing on our journey after the half term break.

I wish you an enjoyable week.

Thank you,

Kerry Whitham
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Diary Dates

February

Friday 10th - End of term 3 – school closes at 3:30pm

Friday 10th - PFA Masquerade Disco 6pm

Monday 20th – Start of term 4 – school reopens for children and staff

March

Thursday 2nd – World Book Day – Dress up as your favourite character and bring in your favourite book

Friday 3rd – 9:05am- Celebration Assembly – parents welcome

Monday 6th – 3pm - Y2 SATs briefing for parents

Thursday 9th - 3pm – Y6 SATs briefing for parents

Friday 10th – 9:05am- Celebration Assembly – parents welcome

Friday 17th – 9:05am- Celebration Assembly – parents welcome

Friday 24th – Red Nose Day – further details to follow after half term

Friday 24th – 9:05am- Celebration Assembly – parents welcome

Friday 31st – 9:05am- Celebration Assembly – parents welcome

Friday 31st – End of term 4 – school closes at 3:30pm

April

Tuesday 18th – start of term 5 – school reopens for children and staff