



Dear Parents/Guardians,

MR KEMP'S RETURN

I am very pleased to announce that Mr Kemp will be returning to North Kidlington School this week on half-days. Thank you so much to all the support I have received from parents, staff and children over this time.

Emilie Fidler – Deputy Head Teacher

KS1 AND KS2 SATs

Well done to all of the Year 6 and Year 2 children last week. All the children worked hard in the assessments and enjoyed the activities and food laid on for them before and after. Thank you so much to all the teaching and support staff for making it such a smooth and successful week.

Class Photographs - Tuesday 22nd May

Just to remind you that class photographs will be taken on Tuesday .



INTERNATIONAL FOOD PARTY – 25th May

You should have received a letter from Sophie Adams-van Houtrve about International Food Party happening after school next week. This is a great opportunity to

celebrate the many cultures, including British, we have here at North Kidlington School.

It would be fantastic if every family could bring a plate of food to share. You can bring your contribution to the playground from 2:30 on Friday 25th May.



CLASS ATTENDANCE (W/C 14-5-2018)

National Average school attendance is 96.00-97.00%

Class	%	Class	%
Apple	96.88%	Chestnut	96.30%
Ash	99.31%	Willow	97.78%
Maple	98.62%	Acer	98.62%
Oak	97.67%	Beech	99.29%
Cedar	95.36 %	Pine	99.60%
Whole School		97.88%	

Well done to **Class Pine** who achieved 99.60% attendance.

ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY

Any Holidays taken during term-time will be unauthorised unless they are for exceptional circumstances. If your child is unwell due to sickness (vomiting) or diarrhoea it is vital that you inform the school office.

Any person who is absent from school due to sickness (vomiting) or diarrhoea should not return to school until they have had 48 hours free from any level of vomiting or diarrhoea

FORTHCOMING FoNks EVENTS

Please put these dates on your calendar. If you are able to help at any of the following events please let the School Office know :

Friday June 15th 2018 – Father’s Day Present Wrapping – 9am – 2pm

Friday 15th June 2018 – North Kidlington’s Got Talent – 6 pm – 9 pm

Saturday 14th July 2018 – North Kidlington School Summer Fayre – help will also be needed before the day

Monday 23rd July 2018 – Leavers Tea Party at 3.15 pm

SAFEGUARDING

USING CLASSROOM TOILETS FOR YOUNG CHILDREN-BEFORE/AFTER SCHOOL

Please do not use any of the classroom toilets, for young children, before or after the school day unless you have asked a member of the school staff.

If, as an adult, you do need to use the toilet then the only one that can be offered to you is the toilet in the School Reception. Thank you.

HEALTH & SAFETY

OUTDOOR PLAY EQUIPMENT

Children are not allowed on the play equipment before and after school for their own safety. Time is provided throughout the school week for children to use the play equipment when the playground has more trained staff on duty.

HEALTH & SAFETY

SCHOOL PARKING

Please take extra care when dropping and collecting your child at school by adhering to the Highway Code signage and road markings.

Please park in areas away from residential driveways (so that our neighbours can easily enter or exit their property), in areas with no restrictions or use the car park behind Tesco. Thank you.

HEALTH & SAFETY

CYCLING TO SCHOOL

If your child wishes to cycle to school please ask the office for a cycling permit. If your child is riding their bicycle to school then their bike **MUST** be in a road worthy condition and they **MUST WEAR A CYCLE HELMET**.

Thank you.

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SCOOTERS AND BIKES IN SCHOOL

Please remind children to dismount their scooters and bikes in school and walk them to the racks. With small children running round in the mornings and after school, it is not safe to be riding around the site.

Soldiers of Oxfordshire Museum Half Term Activities

The Soldiers of Oxfordshire Museum in Woodstock have family drop-in and Kid's Clubs going on throughout the half-term. Visit <https://www.sofo.org.uk/kids-activities/> for more information.

CHILDREN'S HOUSE MONTESSORI NURSERY

The Children's House Montessori Nursery in Benmead Road will be holding an Open Morning on Saturday June 2nd, 10am -12. Everyone welcome.

IGNITE SPORTS AFTER SCHOOL SESSIONS

After half-term, the Wednesday multi-sport session will be Kwik Cricket. The cost is £28 for the term and Ignite accept childcare vouchers for payment. Children will have fun learning batting, bowling and fielding in an engaging, child-friendly format. To book visit: <https://www.ignitesportuk.com/course/after-school-clubs>



★ CLASS STARS OF THE WEEK! ★

Well done to the following Class Stars of the Week:

FSU: Milo & Jake

Year 1-2: Bethany , Kristina , Castiel

Year 3-4: Fiona , Erin, Arthur

Year 5-6: Leighton , Owen, Avvanii

📖 SILVER BOOK CERTIFICATE 📖

Congratulations to following Silver Book awardees:

Paige , Jason , Blake , Anas , Frazer , India , Liam & Kaaya

✍️ WRITING WIZARD AWARD ✍️

Congratulations to the following Writing Wizard:

Ciara.

🏆 SPORTING ACHIEVEMENT AWARD 🏆

Congratulations to the following Sporting Achiever:

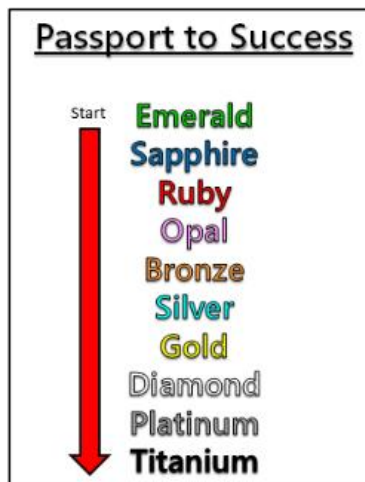
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🔬 SCIENCE AWARD 🔬

Congratulations to the following scientists:

Te-Lillia & Frank.

As you may know, the children work hard throughout the year collecting passport points. Here is the order of certificates so you understand what they bring home. It is a real achievement to get Platinum or Titanium.



BAGS 2 SCHOOL

FONKS have organised another BAGS -2-SCHOOL collection for you to donate any old or unwanted items of 'good quality' clothing, paired shoes (tied together), handbags, bags, hats, scarves, ties, jewellery, belts or soft toys. Unfortunately, they do not take bedding, towels or curtains. Please return any filled bags to school on **Thursday 14th June by 9:00 am** so that they can be collected. We will be sending home one bag per family, if you need more please call into the school office. Thank you

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday 22nd May 2018 – NEW DATE!

Year 3/4 Stay 'n' Maths

8:45am-9:30am

Monday 21st May 2018-Friday 25th May 2018

Whole School Science Week PM Class-based sessions

Tuesday 22nd May 2018 Class Photographs

Friday 25th May 2018

FONKS International Food Share – 3:15pm

End of Summer 1st Half-Term-School finishes at 3:15pm.

Monday 28th May 2018-Friday 1st June 2018

Summer 1st Half-Term Break-School Closed.

Monday 4th June 2018

Back to school

Whole School Art and D&T week PM Class-based sessions

Wednesday 6th June 2018

Gosford Hill School Year 5 Welcome Event – 4.30 pm at Gosford Hill School

Wednesday 13th June 2018 – Open Afternoon for September 2018 new admissions

Thursday 14th June 2018 – Bags 2 School

Emilie Fidler

Monday 21st May 2018

Deputy Head Teacher