

SEPTEMBER 2023



Message from Ms Foster

Welcome back! I hope that you had a wonderful summer break and are back in the swing of the school routine. I have been very impressed with the calm yet enthusiastic way that the children have returned to school, eager to learn, looking extremely smart and ready to spend time with their friends and school adults.

I have enjoyed seeing so many of you on the school gates across the week and welcoming our new Nursery and Reception children to our Kingswood family.

Through some of the feedback in the parent survey, I have decided to introduce a half termly Headteacher newsletter where I will be able to share some whole school information. Please also look out for fortnightly learning updates and key class messages from your child's class teacher on the WeDuc news feed.

This week I have been spending time in classes where all children are completing learning around the topic of Know Me to Teach Me. Teaching through this topic has ensured that the teachers and support staff spend this first week of term getting to know the children in their classrooms and how they like to learn. This topic also enables the children to build their self-esteem, develop friendships and a sense of community in the classroom.

I am looking forward to a successful half term and sharing some key moments in my end of term update.

Ms Foster

HEADTEACHER NEWSLETTER

Autumn Term 1

REMINDERS

- Do we have your correct contact information? Please update the school office if there are any changes.
- Don't forget to label your child's uniform
- Parking is not permitted on the yellow lines outside our school.

WeDuc ParentApp



New Class updates

We use the WeDuc app to communicate key messages.

You can access WeDuc via the app or online at <https://app.weduc.co.uk/>

If you need support getting started, please visit the school office.

Attendance

We've had a great start to the new school year. Thank you for making sure that your children are in school every day.

Remember the times for the start and end of the day.

KWL- 8.45-3.15pm

KWU- 9am-3.30pm



The Friends of Kingswood



I would like to take this opportunity to introduce our 'Friends of Kingswood' group. We are extremely lucky to have such a dedicated team of parent volunteers as part of our Kingswood community. This year they will continue to plan events to raise money to help our school. If you are interested in volunteering, please send an email to the.friends.of.kingswood@gmail.com. Please look out for further information.

Dates for the diary

Parents evening

- Kingswood Lower site- Wednesday 18th October, 3.30pm- 8.30pm
- Kingswood Upper site- Thursday 19th October- 3.45pm- 8.30pm

Friends of Kingswood bake sale- 20th October, 3.30pm at Kingswood upper site