

School Newsletter

Week commencing 21st June 2024





It has been an absolutely fabulous week of sports and enrichment! We have celebrated outside of school achievements in assembly, learnt Boccia and researched the history of the Olympic Games, as well as participated and enjoyed our annual sports day. We have seen Year 6s enjoy the Mosque trip, KS2 represent Kingswood at cricket and we have welcomed Ms Rogers to the Kingswood team. We want to thank FOKs for all of their support, Mrs Brunton

and Mr Hill for always coming along to supply us with the music, and all of our parents and carers for supporting this fantastic week! I'm sure you'll agree, it's another massive 'well done' to all the children! We will see you all Monday for Term 6 Week 4, when we look forward to another busy week of non-school uniform day, the school disco and 4 days for the children! Have a lovely weekend - it's finally starting to feel like Summer.

See you Monday,

Mrs Sanchez Daviu, the Kingswood Team and Hattie





In Term 6 can you help Friends Of Kingswood?

The team would really appreciate extra hands to help. FOKS do SO much for all our children and many hands make light work! You don't have to make a huge commitment - could you give your name as a willing volunteer for planning and at events? Please let the office know if you can and we'll pass it on.

What's on this week 24/6/2024 - 28/6/2024

Monday 24th	Wrap Around Care (pre-booked only) 7.30am – 8.45am & 3.15 – 6.00pm	No Clubs
Tuesday 25th	Wrap Around Care (pre-booked only) 7.30am – 8.45am & 3.15 – 6.00pm	Drawing Club. Year 3 - 6. 3.15pm to 4.15pm Film Club. Year 3 - 6. 3.15pm to 4.15pm
Wednesday 26th	Wrap Around Care (pre-booked only) 7.30am – 8.45am & 3.15 – 6.00pm	Film Club. Year R - 2. 3.15pm to 4.15pm
Thursday 27th	Wrap Around Care (pre-booked only) 7.30am – 8.45am & 3.15 – 6.00pm	NON-Uniform Day
		Swimming Lessons: Year 6. If your child is going swimming, please provide your child with a packed lunch.
		Board Game Club. Year R - 2. 3.15pm to 4.15pm
		Cricket Club. Year 3 - 6. 3.15pm to 4.15pm
		School
		FOKS School Disco
		KS1 3.30pm to 4.45pm
		KS2 5.00pm to 6.15pm
Friday 28th		Inset Day - School Closed for Teacher Training



Thursday 27th June is a Non-School Uniform Day!

Please bring money or donations towards the FOKS Summer Fayre (which is being held on Friday 19th July).

FOKS Event - Thursday 27th June - KS1 and KS2 Disco!

Friday 28th June - School is Closed for a Teacher Training Day

If you need any wellbeing advice, guidance or support, please email wellbeing@aspire-kent.org.uk



Website - www.kingswoodkentsch.co.uk School Telephone - 01622 842674 Email - office@kingswoodkentsch.co.uk

The gates open at 8.30am and the school day starts at 8.45am. If your child isn't in their classroom by 8.45 they might miss the morning register and will need to be signed in at reception.

We know things happen on rare occasions but please do try to be earlier than later.

Thankfully, mornings are SO much easier on these bright sunny mornings! Many thanks.



Parking - When dropping off or collecting your child please park considerately and ensure you are not obstructing drives, garages or access to roads. Please be respectful of our neighbours. *We appreciate your support in this matter.*

Neighbours, quite rightly, get very upset when people park across their driveways, blocking them in or out.



What is the Kent Test?

The Kent Test is an 11 plus exam used by grammar schools in Kent. All of the grammar

schools within the Kent County Council area use the Kent Test. This means that your child will only need to take the test once, regardless of how many grammar schools in Kent they're applying to.

Where are they held?

Your child will take the test in Year 6 at a designated test centre.

Some shorts are TOOOO short for school.

Please ensure summer shorts are not tooooo short. Just above the knee is suitable for a primary school setting. Many thanks for your cooperation.



Black Trainers - A gentle reminder that black trainers are the school uniform footwear and other colours are not to be worn. Many thanks. *Reminder:* We are a no nut school due to children having allergies, these include Nutella bars. Thank you for your support.

Mrs Foster in the office is one of the organisers of Ulcombe-Midsummer-Fest on Saturday!

If you fancy a fun family day on Saturday bring your friends and family along with your chairs, picnics and drinks and come down to Ulcombe Village Recreation Ground for a musical day with fun activities. *It's all free!*

Applying ...

Register your child if you want to apply for a place at a Kent Grammar School. Registration for the Kent Test for children due to start secondary school in **September 2025** opened on Monday 3rd June 2024 and closes at midnight on Monday 1st July 2024. They cannot accept late registrations.

This year, the test will take place on Thursday 12th September 2024 for pupils in Kent primary schools, and on the weekend of Saturday 14th September 2024 for other pupils. The results will be sent on Thursday 17th October 2024.

Parents have until 1st July 2024 to apply.

You'll find all information on www.kent.gov.uk