



KESTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

Head of School: Mrs. H. Green, B.Ed. (Hons)
Executive Head: Mrs. C. Murphy, BA, PGCE, NPQH
Part of PACE Academy Trust

Keston Avenue
Old Coulsdon
Surrey CR5 1HP
Tel: 01737 555103
Email: office@keston.croydon.sch.uk

Autumn Term Newsletter 2

Monday 27th September

Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been a busy few weeks with a lot going on in school. We are continuing to take a cautious approach to the lifting of some of the measures, which we have in place to reduce the risk from Covid-19. As usual, the safety and education of the children is at the heart of all the decisions we are making at the moment.

Macmillan Coffee Takeaway

Thank you to Year 6 for organising the Macmillan Coffee Takeaway. A massive thank you to parents and carers for supporting this very worthy cause. We raised £800 which is fantastic.



School Fund

Thank you to everyone who has already contributed to school fund. If you would like to contribute, we request donations of £10 for the first child and £5 for siblings to enable us to purchase extra resources for the children. This payment can be made on Parent Pay.

Parents Evening

The Autumn Term parents' evenings will be held on Tuesday 19th October and Thursday 21st October. After discussion with local schools in the Coulsdon Cluster and after our parent survey, we have decided that these will be online. These will be via School Cloud and details about how to book will be sent out soon. In February, we will hopefully return to face to face parents' evenings.

PTA

The PTA are a vital part of the Keston community – they help to raise much needed funds for our school. The **PTA AGM is on Friday 8th October from 9am** in the Infant Hall. The PTA are keen to have new members so please come and join us for a coffee and find out more about the PTA. They are looking for a secretary – if you are interested please let us know. A PTA flyer is attached to this newsletter.

Harvest

This year we will have Harvest assemblies for KS1 and KS2. These will be for the children only. Details about donations to follow shortly.

Admissions

Application for a place at a Secondary School in September 2022

Is your child currently in Year 6? If so, you **MUST** apply for a secondary school place for them.

Application deadline: 31 October 2021

Apply now:

- Visit www.croydon.gov.uk/admissions to find out about the schools available and be guided through the steps in the application process and the online application form.
- If you are familiar with the process and already have an eAdmissions account you can apply straightaway at www.eadmissions.org.uk
-

Reception and Nursery Admissions

Please see our website for information.

Some dates for your diary:

Date	Event
Thursday 30 th September	Nasal Flu Immunisation
Friday 8 th October from 9am	PTA AGM and Coffee morning
Thursday 14 th October	Harvest assemblies (for children only)
Tuesday 19 th October 4 – 7 pm	Parents' Evening
Thursday 21 st October 4 – 7 pm	Parents' Evening
Wednesday 10 th November	School Photographer (individual and siblings)



Communication with the office and class teachers

Parents entering the school building will continue to be by appointment only for the time being, please continue to communicate with the office and teaching staff via email or telephone wherever possible.

If you need to contact your child's class teacher, please use the email addresses below:

Email address	Class Teacher
ladybirds@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Mrs Meadowcroft
bumblebees@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Miss Nice
red@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Miss Crowther
blue@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Mrs Cawkwell
yellow@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Miss Boyd
purple@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Mrs Tribe / Miss East
orange@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Miss Barakeh
green@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Mr Andreotti
dahl@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Mrs Oraziatti / Mrs Seward
rosen@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Mrs Newport
nichols@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Miss Sutton
rowing@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Miss Bagridge
horowitz@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Miss Slater
gavin@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Miss Clarkson
dickens@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Mr Rosewell
shakespeare@keston.croydon.sch.uk	Mrs Loft and Mrs Eason

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,



Mrs H Green
Head of School