



# Kexborough Primary School

## 2023-2024 : Newsletter #18

### Monday 4 March 2024

<b>Attendance</b>				<b>Whole School (Week 22 )</b>		<b>Whole School (To date)</b>	
				<b>94.31%</b>		<b>94.55 %</b>	
<b>FS1</b>	<b>FS2</b>	<b>Y1</b>	<b>Y2</b>	<b>Y3</b>	<b>Y4</b>	<b>Y5</b>	<b>Y6</b>
<b>94.6%</b>	<b>91.7%</b>	<b>96.7%</b>	<b>89.4%</b>	<b>95.4%</b>	<b>97.5%</b>	<b>93.9%</b>	<b>95.4%</b>

The requirement is if your child is going to be absent from school that daily phone calls are made to the school office on 01226 382288 providing a reason for their absence before 9am. Failure to make contact with school will result in your child's absence being unauthorised. Absence can also be reported via email on [KPSAttendance@ecmtrust.co.uk](mailto:KPSAttendance@ecmtrust.co.uk)

### Parent / Carer Review Meetings

These meetings will be held on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March. Appointments will be made through the online booking system. The system will open from **4:00pm on Wednesday 28 February** and will close for bookings at **4:00pm on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March**. Instructions on how to access the system are included at the bottom of this newsletter. **Please ensure that you have booked an appointment before the system closes.** Can we please ask that separated parents liaise with each other with regards to appointments. Separate appointments will be offered if a court order is in place.

Please note that if your child is in Y5, Mrs Powell will be leading the appointments on Tuesday and Miss Ramsden on Wednesday.

#### Nursery

Appointment times are 1:00pm – 4:00pm on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March and 3:30pm – 5:30pm on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March.

#### FS2 – Year 6

Appointment times are 3:30pm – 5:30pm on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> March and 3:30 – 6:00pm on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March.

### World Book Day

The official World Book Day is held on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March. However, this is during the Y4/ Y5 residential visit. Therefore, we will be holding our World Book Day on **Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March**.

On this day children can come to school dressed as a character from any book or story that they have read.

### Coffee Morning

Miss Warburton will continue to hold her regular coffee mornings throughout the Spring Term. The dates for these are

- Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024

If you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact Miss Warburton.

### Lakes Residential Meeting

The parent/ carer meeting with regards to the Y6 residential visit will take place at 3:45pm on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March. This meeting will be held in the Y6 classroom.

### Easter Raffle

We will be holding our annual Easter raffle and will begin selling tickets in the two weeks before we break for the Easter holidays. We would be very grateful for any donations of Easter eggs, Easter treats or Easter crafts which anyone is able to donate to enable us to run this raffle successfully. Any donations can be dropped off in the school office. Thank you for your support.

## Lunch Time Supervisor

**SCHOOL MEALS SUPERVISORY ASSISTANT KS1 – 6 Hours 15 Minutes per week (11.45am to 1pm) Term Time only**

**SALARY: Grade 1 Scale Point 2 – Actual Salary £3516 per annum**

**START DATE: 08.04.24**

We are looking to appoint an SMSA to our team of supervisors whose responsibility it is to oversee children during the lunchtime period. You will be expected to work both inside and outside the building, organising games, activities and one-to-one supervision of SEN children.

The ideal candidates will have suitable experience of working with children and a caring manner.

Application pack and further information is available from Reception at Kexborough Primary School or call Louise Kane 01226 382288 or email [j.conway@ecmtrust.co.uk](mailto:j.conway@ecmtrust.co.uk).

**Closing Date: Midday 14.03.24**

Please note for this post you will be required to undergo an enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service Check.

The School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

## Parents' Guide for Booking Appointments

Browse to <https://kexborough.schoolcloud.co.uk/>



The screenshot shows a 'Your Details' form with the following fields:

- Title: Mrs (dropdown)
- First Name: Kaitlyn
- Surname: JONES
- Email: kaitlyn.jones@kexborough.sch.uk
- Confirm Email: kaitlyn.jones@kexborough.sch.uk
- Parent's Details:
- First Name: Kaitlyn
- Surname: JONES
- Role Of Parent: Parent (dropdown)
- Phone: 01226 382288

### Step 1: Login

Fill out the details on the page then click the *Log In* button.

A confirmation of your appointments will be sent to the email address you provide.



The screenshot shows the 'September Parents Evening' booking page. It includes a header with the date and a main section with the following text:

This is to allow parents and teachers to discuss progress and set new plans for 100 and 140-145-146-147-148-149-150-151-152-153-154-155-156-157-158-159-160-161-162-163-164-165-166-167-168-169-170-171-172-173-174-175-176-177-178-179-180-181-182-183-184-185-186-187-188-189-190-191-192-193-194-195-196-197-198-199-200-201-202-203-204-205-206-207-208-209-210-211-212-213-214-215-216-217-218-219-220-221-222-223-224-225-226-227-228-229-230-231-232-233-234-235-236-237-238-239-240-241-242-243-244-245-246-247-248-249-250-251-252-253-254-255-256-257-258-259-260-261-262-263-264-265-266-267-268-269-270-271-272-273-274-275-276-277-278-279-280-281-282-283-284-285-286-287-288-289-290-291-292-293-294-295-296-297-298-299-300-301-302-303-304-305-306-307-308-309-310-311-312-313-314-315-316-317-318-319-320-321-322-323-324-325-326-327-328-329-330-331-332-333-334-335-336-337-338-339-340-341-342-343-344-345-346-347-348-349-350-351-352-353-354-355-356-357-358-359-360-361-362-363-364-365-366-367-368-369-370-371-372-373-374-375-376-377-378-379-380-381-382-383-384-385-386-387-388-389-390-391-392-393-394-395-396-397-398-399-400-401-402-403-404-405-406-407-408-409-410-411-412-413-414-415-416-417-418-419-420-421-422-423-424-425-426-427-428-429-430-431-432-433-434-435-436-437-438-439-440-441-442-443-444-445-446-447-448-449-450-451-452-453-454-455-456-457-458-459-460-461-462-463-464-465-466-467-468-469-470-471-472-473-474-475-476-477-478-479-480-481-482-483-484-485-486-487-488-489-490-491-492-493-494-495-496-497-498-499-500-501-502-503-504-505-506-507-508-509-510-511-512-513-514-515-516-517-518-519-520-521-522-523-524-525-526-527-528-529-530-531-532-533-534-535-536-537-538-539-540-541-542-543-544-545-546-547-548-549-550-551-552-553-554-555-556-557-558-559-560-561-562-563-564-565-566-567-568-569-570-571-572-573-574-575-576-577-578-579-580-581-582-583-584-585-586-587-588-589-590-591-592-593-594-595-596-597-598-599-600-601-602-603-604-605-606-607-608-609-610-611-612-613-614-615-616-617-618-619-620-621-622-623-624-625-626-627-628-629-630-631-632-633-634-635-636-637-638-639-640-641-642-643-644-645-646-647-648-649-650-651-652-653-654-655-656-657-658-659-660-661-662-663-664-665-666-667-668-669-670-671-672-673-674-675-676-677-678-679-680-681-682-683-684-685-686-687-688-689-690-691-692-693-694-695-696-697-698-699-700-701-702-703-704-705-706-707-708-709-710-711-712-713-714-715-716-717-718-719-720-721-722-723-724-725-726-727-728-729-730-731-732-733-734-735-736-737-738-739-740-741-742-743-744-745-746-747-748-749-750-751-752-753-754-755-756-757-758-759-760-761-762-763-764-765-766-767-768-769-770-771-772-773-774-775-776-777-778-779-780-781-782-783-784-785-786-787-788-789-790-791-792-793-794-795-796-797-798-799-800-801-802-803-804-805-806-807-808-809-810-811-812-813-814-815-816-817-818-819-820-821-822-823-824-825-826-827-828-829-830-831-832-833-834-835-836-837-838-839-840-841-842-843-844-845-846-847-848-849-850-851-852-853-854-855-856-857-858-859-860-861-862-863-864-865-866-867-868-869-870-871-872-873-874-875-876-877-878-879-880-881-882-883-884-885-886-887-888-889-890-891-892-893-894-895-896-897-898-899-900-901-902-903-904-905-906-907-908-909-910-911-912-913-914-915-916-917-918-919-920-921-922-923-924-925-926-927-928-929-930-931-932-933-934-935-936-937-938-939-940-941-942-943-944-945-946-947-948-949-950-951-952-953-954-955-956-957-958-959-960-961-962-963-964-965-966-967-968-969-970-971-972-973-974-975-976-977-978-979-980-981-982-983-984-985-986-987-988-989-990-991-992-993-994-995-996-997-998-999-1000-1001-1002-1003-1004-1005-1006-1007-1008-1009-1010-1011-1012-1013-1014-1015-1016-1017-1018-1019-1020-1021-1022-1023-1024-1025-1026-1027-1028-1029-1030-1031-1032-1033-1034-1035-1036-1037-1038-1039-1040-1041-1042-1043-1044-1045-1046-1047-1048-1049-1050-1051-1052-1053-1054-1055-1056-1057-1058-1059-1060-1061-1062-1063-1064-1065-1066-1067-1068-1069-1070-1071-1072-1073-1074-1075-1076-1077-1078-1079-1080-1081-1082-1083-1084-1085-1086-1087-1088-1089-1090-1091-1092-1093-1094-1095-1096-1097-1098-1099-1100-1101-1102-1103-1104-1105-1106-1107-1108-1109-1110-1111-1112-1113-1114-1115-1116-1117-1118-1119-1120-1121-1122-1123-1124-1125-1126-1127-1128-1129-1130-1131-1132-1133-1134-1135-1136-1137-1138-1139-1140-1141-1142-1143-1144-1145-1146-1147-1148-1149-1150-1151-1152-1153-1154-1155-1156-1157-1158-1159-1160-1161-1162-1163-1164-1165-1166-1167-1168-1169-1170-1171-1172-1173-1174-1175-1176-1177-1178-1179-1180-1181-1182-1183-1184-1185-1186-1187-1188-1189-1190-1191-1192-1193-1194-1195-1196-1197-1198-1199-1200-1201-1202-1203-1204-1205-1206-1207-1208-1209-1210-1211-1212-1213-1214-1215-1216-1217-1218-1219-1220-1221-1222-1223-1224-1225-1226-1227-1228-1229-1230-1231-1232-1233-1234-1235-1236-1237-1238-1239-1240-1241-1242-1243-1244-1245-1246-1247-1248-1249-1250-1251-1252-1253-1254-1255-1256-1257-1258-1259-1260-1261-1262-1263-1264-1265-1266-1267-1268-1269-1270-1271-1272-1273-1274-1275-1276-1277-1278-1279-1280-1281-1282-1283-1284-1285-1286-1287-1288-1289-1290-1291-1292-1293-1294-1295-1296-1297-1298-1299-1300-1301-1302-1303-1304-1305-1306-1307-1308-1309-1310-1311-1312-1313-1314-1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#### Choose Teachers

Set the earliest and latest times you can attend, select which teachers you'd like to see, and then press the button to continue.

#### Choose earliest and latest times



Your availability 14:00 - 17:00

#### Step 4: Select Availability

Drag the sliders at the top of the screen to indicate the earliest and latest you can attend.

#### Choose Teachers

If there is a teacher you do not want to see, please click their name you continue.

[Name added]



#### Step 5: Choose Teachers

Select the teachers you'd like to book appointments with. A green tick indicates they're selected. To de-select, click on their name.



#### Step 6: Book Appointments (Automatic)

If you chose the automatic booking mode, you'll see provisional appointments which are held for 2 minutes. To keep them, choose Accept at the bottom left.

If it wasn't possible to book every selected teacher during the times you are able to attend, you can either adjust the teachers you wish to meet with and try again, or switch to manual booking mode.

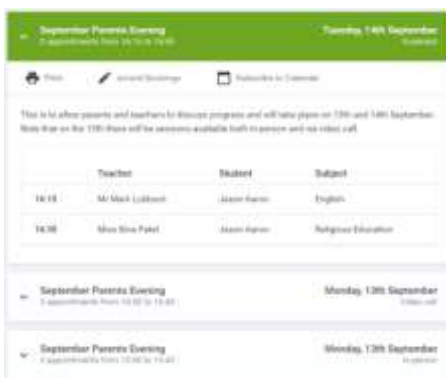


#### Step 7: Book Appointments

Click any of the green cells to make an appointment. Blue cells signify where you already have an appointment. Grey cells are unavailable.

To change an appointment, delete the original by hovering over the blue box and clicking *Delete*. Then choose an alternate time.

Once you're finished booking all appointments, at the top of the page in the alert box, press *click here* to finish the booking process.



#### Step 8: Finished

All your bookings now appear on the My Bookings page. An email confirmation has been sent and you can also print appointments by pressing *Print*. Click *Subscribe to Calendar* to add these and any future bookings to your calendar.

To change your appointments, click on *Amend Bookings*.

# Wider Services and Information

## Barnsley Book Festival

Barnsley Book Festival, which started on Friday last week, will run until Saturday 23 March with an ambitious and diverse programme of events, showcasing local and national authors, storytellers, artists, and speakers, and celebrating the power of literature and our shared love for reading.

You can take a look at the full programme by using the link below.

[https://www.barnsley.gov.uk/media/3mufxqmw/book-festival-programme\\_aw\\_screenreader.pdf](https://www.barnsley.gov.uk/media/3mufxqmw/book-festival-programme_aw_screenreader.pdf)

### Addictive Behaviour

FREE



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**21st March** (7pm to 8pm)

Available to book now via the website

[facefamilyadvice.co.uk](http://facefamilyadvice.co.uk) on the PARENT page



7.30pm Fri 26th April  
7.30pm Sat 27th April  
2.30pm Sun 28th April

Pontefract Town Hall, 3 Bridge Street, Pontefract, WF8 1PG

**Tickets on sale now!!**

Scan the QR code or type in this link:  
<https://stagestubs.com/ellite-productions-ltd/annie-jr>

# School Calendar

<b>FEBRUARY HALF TERM</b>		
Weds 6 <sup>th</sup> – Fri 8 <sup>th</sup> March All day	Selected Y4 and Y5	Y4/5 Residential
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> March After school	All	Parent / Carer Review Meetings
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> March All day	All	KPS World Book Day
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> March After school	All	Parent / Carer Review Meetings
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> March All day	All	Comic Relief
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March 3:30	All	Break for Easter holidays
<b>EASTER HOLIDAYS</b>		
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> April 9:00	All	Return to school after the Easter holidays
Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> April Selected days	Y5	Bikeability
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> May All day	All	School closed – Bank Holiday Monday
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup> – Thu 16 <sup>th</sup> May Every AM	Y6	KS2 tests to be administered
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May AM	FS2, Y1 and Y2	Sports Day
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May PM	Y3 – Y6	Sports Day
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May 3:30	All	Break for Spring Bank Holidays
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May All Day	All	INSET DAY
<b>SPRING BANK HOLIDAYS</b>		