



# KNOCKHALL PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

## Dear Families

We have had a very busy week with our Year 6 children completing their SAT tests. All children worked hard and were an absolute credit to their families. These tests are implemented under strict test conditions, and they all conducted themselves beautifully. The rest of the school ensured they played their part by not interrupting the Year 6 classes and keeping the noise to a bare minimum. We have all been proud of the whole school during this time.

The weather finally seems to be improving so can you please ensure that you apply sun cream to your children before the school day. You may want to spend the half term teaching your children how to apply their own sun cream so that they can top up themselves at school. Please send your child in with their own named sun cream, a hat and a bottle with water ready for the lovely weather.

Our allotment and pond area redevelopment team will be in school on Friday 31st May (Half Term). A team from the PTFA and school staff will be joining them to carry out phase 2 of the plan. We have a selection of raised beds and soil arriving. If you would like to be involved and can lend your 'green fingers' to this project, then please let me know.

We hope you have a lovely weekend. Miss Yiannadji and the Knockhall Team.



The staff and children have worked really hard on the revamp of the outside space... we are very proud to share some pictures of what it now looks like. The children are enjoying interacting with the new look environment and are showing real pride in what they do. Please support us by ensuring any older siblings also respect this environment, particularly when waiting for younger siblings. We hope you like the pictures 😊





### Who Has Received a Golden Ticket This Week!



Nursery - Myles, Anil

Reception - Nevaeh

Year 1 - Danel, Sonia

Year 2 - Vinnie, Lara, Sharon

Year 3 - Bella, Gracie

Year 4 - Jeremy, Alexis

Year 5 - Shay, Macey

Year 6 - Brodie, Cassie, Penelope

### Sports Classes of The Week

KS1 Flamingos KS2 Robins



### ATTENDANCE

Ducklings - 85.71%

Cygnets - 91.86%

Owlets - 95.24%

Owls - 85.88%

Swans - 90.94%

Flamingos - 87.04%

Toucans - 95%

Falcons - 86.67%

Hummingbirds - **96.8%**

Robins - 84.17%

Kestrels - 95.71%

Woodpeckers - **97.04%**

Penguins - 92%

Puffins - **99.26%**

Parrots - 95.17%

Peacocks - 95.52%

Eagles - 93.43%

Minimum School Target - **96%**

Whole School attendance - 91.86%

### Knockhall Values Champions!!!



Ducklings - Adwoa

Owlets - Xavian

Cygnets - Amalia

Swans - Sapphire

Owls - Tenuli

Flamingos - Evie

Falcons - Jamane

Toucans - Andria

Hummingbirds - Semmy

Robins - Gerrard

Woodpeckers - Eloise

Kestrels - Abundance

Penguins - Teddy

Puffins - Mia

Peacocks - Malavika

Parrots - Bonike

Eagles - Sophie

### Our School Values In Action

Respect - We would like to thank and say a big WELL DONE to all of the children across the school, who showed fantastic respect towards the year 6 children this week by ensuring they remained quiet and calm throughout the tests to enable the children take their tests with no interruptions.

Honesty and Pride - We are incredibly PROUD of the year 6 children this week. They showed great resilience and focus throughout the week. We had some very mature and HONEST conversations with the children about their feelings about the SATs tests. They have really done themselves proud this week.

Teamwork - Thank you to all of the adults who have worked together to support the Year 6 children this week to ensure it was a success through being support during the tests, helping with the Year 6 breakfast club and generally being a smiley face to reassure the children. Also, a big shout out to the year 6 Team for their work with the children throughout the year to prepare the children for this week.



# Information for Families

Please click on the link below to the school website for lots of information and resources about family online courses and details on parent/carer and family assistance programmes [CLICK HERE](#)

## Mrs Wady Deputy Head Teacher - Inclusion, SEND Drop in Dates Available



Slots are 30 minutes from 1pm-3pm on the dates below please contact the school office to book

- **Thursday 23rd May**

**IMPORTANT**



**Safeguarding**



## SAFEGUARDING

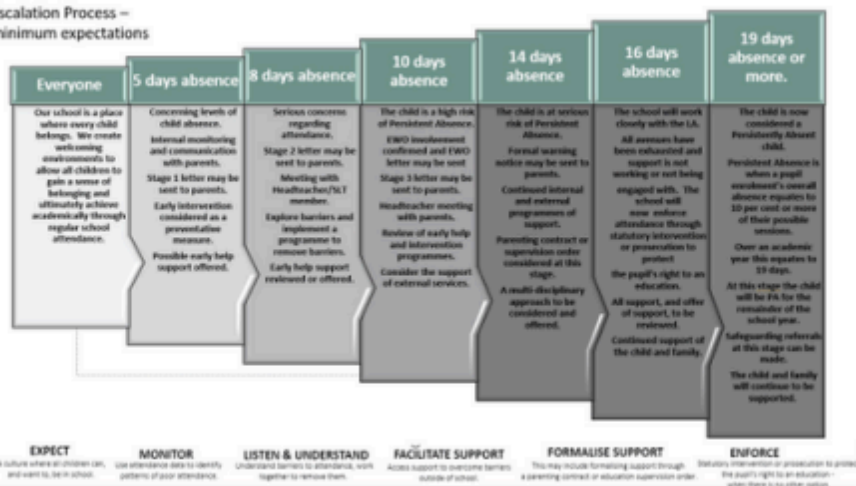
### Attendance & Punctuality

Attendance is one of our priorities as we work with our families to develop good habits for attendance and punctuality. Thank you to everyone for your support this half term. Please take a look at our escalation process which can also be found on our website.



Scan the QR Code

Escalation Process – minimum expectations



# Information for Families

## OUT WITH STRANGER DANGER IN WITH CLEVER NEVER GOES



**CLEVER NEVER GOES** is the new campaign that teaches children how to stay safe from abduction whether they are outside or online.

It's the modern, child-friendly alternative to the out-dated and fundamentally flawed 'Stranger Danger' message. Rather than fearing the worst in everyone they don't know, Clever Never Goes helps children to recognise specific situations that are unsafe and gives them the tools to respond.

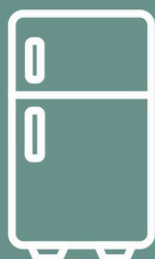
Our aim is for every primary school child to be taught Clever Never Goes. Already over 2,000 schools have downloaded our free lesson packs, and it is already working to keep children safe.

**CLEVER NEVER GOES**; please click this link for further information on how to keep children safe both outside and online



**Knockhall Primary School**

The Community Fridge is open for parents to come and select food for their family.



The Community Fridge will run from 3.30pm-4pm in the meeting room on a Monday and a Thursday. Please come along before picking your children up from school. Access will be from the Bus Stop Gate.

Please bring your own bags as these will not be supplied.

We look forward to seeing you all!

Kind regards,

Lauren Longhurst  
Parent Governor

The Community Fridge is now Opening at the new times of 3.30pm -4pm!



Reception 2024 Intake at Knockhall Primary School

Children born between 1st September 2019 and 31st August 2020



Ofsted have said EYFS is "GOOD"

Knockhall Primary School is situated in the heart of the wonderful Greenhithes community in Kent.



2024 Open Mornings/Afternoons with a school tour  
29th April 9am  
4th June 1.30pm  
Please email the school office to confirm your attendance

01322 382053

khppoffice@watschools.org.uk

If you have not already applied for a place it is not too late, please either email [kentonlineadmissions@kent.gov.uk](mailto:kentonlineadmissions@kent.gov.uk) or contact our school office on the number above.

We can't wait to welcome you into our wonderful Learning community!

Visit our website for more information about our school:

[www.knockhallprimaryschool.co.uk](http://www.knockhallprimaryschool.co.uk)



## What does 'Good Level of Development' mean for my child?

### Parent workshop about the end of year expectations in Reception

Wednesday 22nd May at 3.30



**Knockhall Primary School**

Part of the Woodland Academy Trust

The following link will provide information from RLSS regarding Drowning Prevention Week which is 15th to 22nd June.

<https://www.rlss.org.uk/news/dpw-resources-refresh>

# All Children are Welcome at our Breakfast Club!

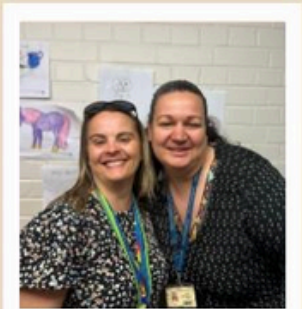
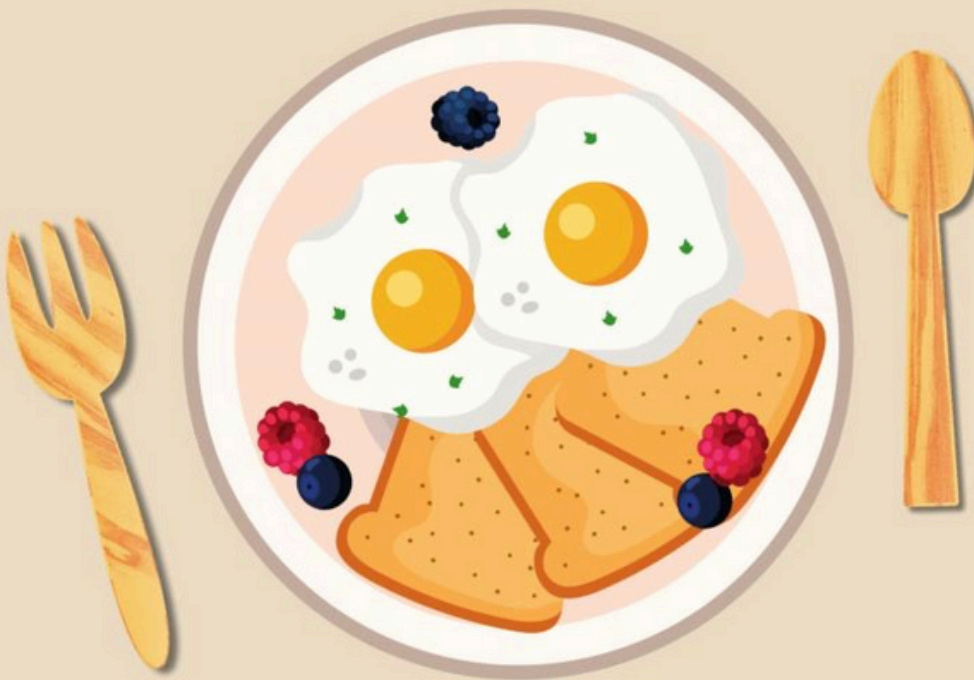


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## Breakfast Club



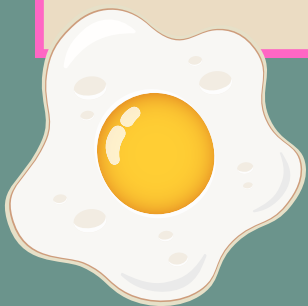
**Play**



**Socialise**

A healthy breakfast each day 8-8:30 - £1 per day

**Come and join the fun - let's start the  
day with a full up tum!**



# Breakfast





# Important Dates and Events

## Dates For Your Diary



- Wednesday 22nd May- Parent Workshop (end of year expectations for Reception)
- Thursday 23rd May - LAST DAY OF TERM
- Monday 3rd June - TERM STARTS - Children back to school
- Tuesday 4th June 1.30pm - School Tour Open Day for prospective Reception 2024 pupils
- Monday 17th June- School photos



Congratulations to Miya who won first place in a gymnastics competition, well done!



On Friday Connor and Ronnie, attended their annual football presentation for Swanscombe tigers- Connor was awarded mangers player and Ronnie was awarded a general award for playing for his team . Well done boys!

If you would like to raise anything with us, please contact us via the school office

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