



Mrs K Wilden
Headteacher

I hope this newsletter finds you all in good health and high spirits.

It has been a truly positive week of learning here at King's Academy Northern Parade and I am thrilled to share some exciting updates with you. Our newest additions to the King's Academy Northern Parade family, our Year R children, have settled in exceptionally well. Their enthusiasm and curiosity have been a delight to witness and we are confident that this year will be filled with memorable learning experiences for them.

This week marked the commencement of our Zuko Sports and music lessons and it's safe to say that the children absolutely loved it! These activities are not only a source of enjoyment but also essential for their holistic development. We are excited to see their talents flourish in these areas.

Our Children have been making strides in their writing lessons. We've witnessed some truly exceptional work, showcasing their creativity and dedication.

I would like to extend my heartfelt thanks to all the parents and caregivers who attended our Curriculum Evenings this week. Your participation and engagement is invaluable to us. These evenings provided an overview of this year's learning objectives and expectations, strengthening our partnership in nurturing your child's educational journey.

We would like to bring to your attention some important updates regarding our school site policies to ensure the safety and well-being of all our students. Effective immediately, we kindly request that students should not arrive on the school site before 8:30 AM. This is crucial for several reasons: Our staff members are present and ready to ensure the safety and well-being of your children from 8:30 AM onwards. Arriving earlier can pose potential safety risks as adequate supervision may not be available. We understand that exceptional circumstances may require earlier arrival, and we will work with families on a case-by-case basis. However, we kindly ask for your support and cooperation in adhering to this schedule as closely as possible.

Additionally, we would like to remind all Children and parents that bicycles and scooters must not be ridden on the school site. Riding bicycles and scooters on school premises can pose significant safety risks, including collisions and accidents, especially during busy arrival and departure times.

We kindly request that you discuss these policies with your children to ensure their understanding and compliance. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation regarding this, your partnership in maintaining a safe and positive learning environment is greatly appreciated.

As we move forward, please remember that our doors are always open. If you have any questions, concerns, or simply wish to discuss your child's progress, our staff and I are here to support you. Once again, thank you for your continued support. We are excited about the possibilities this year holds for our students and look forward to celebrating their growth and achievements together.

Wishing you all a wonderful weekend and looking forward to another fantastic week of learning ahead.

K. Wilden

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Miss Dalhuisen and her family welcomed a healthy baby boy last week.

Congratulations!



Weekly Wellbeing

Have you noticed that when you ask your child how their day was they often say *"fine"* or *"I don't remember"*

Try asking these questions instead to get conversation flowing...

5 things to ask your kids instead of "How was school"?

1. What made you smile today?
2. Who did you sit with at lunch?
3. If you could change one thing about today what would that be?
4. What was the hardest rule to follow today?
5. Tell me something you know today that you didn't know yesterday.

Diary Dates

What's happening next week

18th September 2023	Year 2 Parent Curriculum Evening Year 4 Swimming - Mayflower & Eagle Class	3.30pm 12.30pm	Studio Mountbatten
20th September 2023	Parent Forum	9.00am	Junior Hall
21st September 2023	Year R Reading & Phonics Parent Meeting	4.30pm	Studio

Coming soon..



PARENT FORUM

Date: Tuesday 26th September

Start Time: 9.00am
End Time: 09.45am

We are excited to hold our first Parent Forum of the year. This is an opportunity for parents to have their say and speak with member of SLT. We are pleased to say that Mrs Beech will also be in attendance.

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