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Headteacher

I hope that you've all had an enjoyable week. What a fantastic week it has been at King's Academy Northern Parade.

A heartfelt thank you for your incredible support and donations. Our Bright is Brilliant Day for Sophie's Legacy was a real success! The spirit of generosity and remembrance was truly touching. Both year 5 and 6 had an engaging and informative assembly and all children took part in learning linked to inclusion and kindness.



On Wednesday, the amazing GB gymnast, Kelly Simms, paid us a visit! The children were absolutely captivated by her stories and were thrilled to learn from such a talented athlete. All of our children had the opportunity to take part in the workshop run by Kelly.

Next week, Year 3 are eagerly anticipating their dragon workshop on Tuesday! Also, we're all looking forward to our upcoming festive celebration: Christmas Jumper Day on Thursday 7th. It's going to be so much fun. Year R and 1 are busy rehearsing for the Nativity and Year 3 have been practising songs for the Christingle. The rest of the school have started learning songs for their Christmas events - you might like to ask them to share these with you at home.

As the weather gets colder, please ensure your child brings their coat to school to stay warm during outdoor activities. For outdoor PE lessons children are able to wear Navy Blue tracksuit bottoms and a Navy Blue Jumper.

Just a friendly reminder that Friday 1st December is an INSET day, so our school will be closed for the day. Enjoy a relaxing day with your children!

As of Monday 4th December, all mobile phones brought to school need to be handed in directly to the office for safekeeping and not taken into class. A letter regarding this has been sent to parents of Year 5 & 6 children from Miss Davies today.

Thank you for your continued support and involvement in our school community. Wishing you a wonderful weekend ahead! Warm regards, Keep smiling and remember to spread kindness wherever you go!

K Wilden

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Dragon Value of the Week

Team Work

Next week we're diving into the fantastic world of teamwork as our highlighted Dragon Value! It's going to be an exciting journey as we explore what teamwork means both within our school and outside in our daily lives. Teachers and children will focus on teamwork across various subjects and activities in our curriculum. Through collaborative group discussions, and team-based tasks, we aim to demonstrate and instil the power and importance of working together. We encourage you, as parents and guardians, to talk with your children about teamwork beyond the classroom. This could be during family activities, helping out at home, or participating in extracurricular activities. We'd love to hear how teamwork is practiced and valued in your daily routines!



Diary Dates

What's happening Next Week

Monday 4th December 2023	Year 4 Swimming - Alliance & Endeavour Class	12.30pm	Mountbatten
Tuesday 5th December 2023	Year 3 Dragon Workshop	All Day	School
Thursday 7th December 2023	Christmas Jumper Day	All Day	School
Thursday 7th December 2023	Panto trip - Foundation	9.45- 2.00pm	Kings Theatre

WE'RE CELEBRATING



CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY

DID YOU KNOW THAT EACH YEAR, 1 IN 4 CHRISTMAS JUMPERS END UP THROWN AWAY OR NEVER WORN AGAIN? WE WOULD LIKE TO CHANGE THIS AND SUPPORT SUSTAINABILITY AND THE COST-OF-LIVING CRISIS BY HOLDING A 'CHRISTMAS JUMPER/TSHIRT/OUTFIT SWAP'.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO TAKE PART, PLEASE DONATE A JUMPER OR CHRISTMAS TSHIRT/OUTFIT TO THE WASHBASKET IN THE OFFICE, THESE WILL THEN BE DISPLAYED FOR CHILDREN TO TAKE AFTER SCHOOL ON THE 6TH DECEMBER.

DONATIONS OF PRE - **LOVED CHRISTMAS CLOTHING COLLECTED FROM NOW.**