



KINGSBRIDGE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter 1 – 5th Sept 2025

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Dear Parents and Carers,

A very warm welcome back to school! It has been truly wonderful to see the children returning full of energy, ready to learn, and excited to be with their friends again. We are just as excited, as staff, to begin a new school year full of opportunities, growth and some exciting changes ahead.

It was fantastic to meet so many of you at our Meet the Senior Leadership Team sessions. Thank you for your thoughtful questions and for sharing in our enthusiasm for the year ahead. During these sessions, we introduced our new school mission, Mission 100, which underpins everything we do for our children. For those who were unable to attend, I have attached the slides so you can see what we shared.

One of the key messages from our discussions was the importance of creating memorable experiences for our children. These experiences stay with them for life and play such an important role in their learning journey. As you will be aware, school funding is very tight, and all of these opportunities are made possible through the generosity and hard work of our PTFA. We are currently looking for a new PTFA Chair. If you are interested, please do come along to our meeting on Tuesday 9th at 5pm in the school hall. Your involvement could make a real difference to the experiences we can offer our children.

You may also have noticed that some trees by the Foundation Unit have recently been removed. This was a difficult but necessary decision, made to ensure the safety of all children. However, we are not saying goodbye to green space for long, we have a lovely plan to involve the children in replacing the trees, giving them the chance to take ownership and learn more about nature in the process.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank you all for your patience and support with the new pick-up arrangements. We know that changes to routines can take some adjusting to, but your cooperation is helping us to ensure the end of the school day runs smoothly and safely for everyone.

Finally, some happy staffing news! We are delighted to share that Miss Sullivan, Miss Macro and Mrs Gray are all pregnant. We have already begun the recruitment process to ensure a smooth transition and thorough handover, so you can be assured that the high standards of care and teaching will continue without disruption.

Thank you once again for your ongoing support. I look forward to working closely with you all this year as we bring Mission 100 to life for our children.

Yours sincerely

Miranda Martyn

Headteacher

Dates for your Diary – 2025/26

DAY/S	DATE/S	Class	Event
Thursday	4th September	Whole School	Start of Term
Thursday	4th September	Whole School	Meet the Teacher
Thursday	4th September	Whole School	4pm & 5.30pm Meet the Headteacher
Friday	5th September	Whole School	9am Meet the Headteacher
Friday	26th September	Whole School	Tempest Family & Individual Photos
Friday	3rd October	Whole School	Harvest Festival
Monday – Friday	27th – 31st October	Whole School	Half Term
Monday - Friday	17th – 21st November	Whole School	Parents Evening (In Person)
Wednesday	19th November	Whole School	Flu Vaccines
Monday	1st December	Whole School	Non-Pupil Day
Thursday	11th December	Whole School	Christmas Dinner Day
Monday – Tuesday	15th & 16th December	KS1	Christmas Performance
Wednesday	17th December	KS2	Christmas Performance
Friday	19th December	Whole School	End of Term
Monday	5th January	Whole School	Start of Term
Thursday	5th February	Whole School	Open Classrooms
Monday – Friday	9th – 13th February	Year 6	Residential
Monday – Friday	16th -20th February	Whole School	Half Term
Monday – Friday	2nd – 6th March	Whole School	Parent Evening (Online)
Monday	16th March	Whole School	Non-Pupil Day
Thursday	2nd April	Whole School	End of Term
Monday	20th April	Whole School	Start of Term
Monday	4th May	Whole School	Bank Holiday
Wednesday – Friday	6th – 8th May	Year 4	Residential
Monday – Friday	11th – 15th May	Year 6	SATS Week
Monday - Friday	25th -29th May	Whole School	Half Term
Monday – Friday	1st – 12th June	Year 4	Multiplication Check
Monday – Thursday	8th – 11th June	Year 1	Phonics Screening Check
Friday	26th June	Whole School	Sports Day
Friday	3rd July	Whole School	Reserve Sports Day
Monday	13th July	Whole School	Reports Home
Wednesday	15th July	Year 6	Leavers Play
Thursday	16th July	Whole School	Open Classrooms
Friday	17th July	Whole School	End of Term