



At Knights Enham Junior School we provide...

Inclusive and ambitious learning experiences where our school community feels safe and motivated to achieve their best.

Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you have all had a nice week. It's been another really nice week with the children. I have had the opportunity to go into class more this week and it has been a pleasure watching them work so hard. The children are so enthusiastic and showed such willingness to do their best. I hope in Parents Evening in Spring 2, you will see for yourself the hard work the children are putting in.

Thank you to those families who have donated books for the school, this will all make a positive difference to the children in class. They are already enjoying the books during the Reading for Pleasure time.

Teacher Strikes: We know many of you have questions about the impact of planned strikes, we will send out a separate communication next week if we have further information to share. At this stage we do not know the extent to which our school will be affected.

E-safety advice for parents -Explore online together: Ask your child to show you their favourite things to do online, and show an interest in what they do – just like you would offline. This will give you a much better idea of what they're getting up to. And it gives you a way to support and encourage them while learning what they know.

Year 3: Year 3 have written and presented some fantastic 'Flood' news reports. On Thursday, they witnessed an amazing volcano eruption as part of our geography and also the start of their next English text. In maths, they have returned to place value, making sure they have a really good understanding of 3 digit numbers. Dover class have enjoyed welcoming Miss Rigby and getting to know her!

Year 4: In Maths this week, the children have been looking at applying our knowledge of multiplication and division to solve problems involving the times tables up to 12 x 12. During their English this week, they watched the beginning of a clip about a lighthouse keeper. They then made predictions about what they thought would happen. In the History lesson, they continued to find out more about the Anglo-Saxons. This week, Year 4 researched where they came from. They also discussed why they decided to settle in England. Finally, during computing, they continued developing their 'chatbots'. The children have been programing it to respond to key questions.

Year 5: Year 5 have started their new English learning journey based on the book "Who Let the Gods out?" The hook lesson was great fun playing and designing Greek gods Top Trump cards. In maths we have been applying our rounding skills to estimate and check answers to calculations. In science we are investigating which material makes the best insulator to keep the teacher's coffee warm!

Year 6: Year 6 have been challenging themselves this week by solving problems involving Quantities and Ratio and Proportion. In English, they have been editing, improving and finishing their Non-Chronological Reports in collaboration with their Art. They have worked hard to finish their landscape pictures and have written their reports over the top to create an effective piece of work for the end of our unit. In Geography, we have been continuing to learn about South America and its contrasting landscapes and climates.

Have a lovely weekend. I plan on going to the Bournemouth beach for a cycle ride.

All the best, Mr Whitehouse and the KEJS Team!

Key dates/Events

3rd Feb – Year
4 trip to

Butser Farm

W/b 6th Feb –
Mental Health
Week

Fri 10th Feb –
Break The
Rule Day

Thur 9th –
Year 3 Sleep
Over

Fri 10th Feb –
Internet
Safety Day

Spring Half
Term 13th Feb
– 19th Feb

**Dates will be
updated
weekly.**

Total House Points This Week



Portchester



Wolvesey



Carisbrooke



Donnington



CamAlot

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CLASS ATTENDANCE

We are very keen on making sure that all pupils attend school every day! Great attendance means that the children have the very best chance of doing well at school and thus enhancing their life opportunities. We are always very grateful for the part you play as families in getting the children into school daily and on time! **CamAlot** will be coming out of retirement to support the children and to promote good attendance. The winning class will have him during the week so he can be involved in all lessons. We will publish the attendance figures every week, so that you can see how well your class is doing. You can also access your child's attendance through the Arbor App.

Dover Year 3	Leeds Year 3	Warwick Year 4	Windsor Year 4	Edinburgh Year 5	Highclere Year 5	Arundel Year 6	Balmoral Year 6
98.15%	96.07%	95.65%	96.5%	92.92%	94.09%	93.23%	92.59%



Supporting the School/PTA

- [Thank you for your generous donations for Bag2School, we managed to raise £70.50.](#)
- We're now registered with easyfundraising, which means you can help us for FREE. Over 7,000 brands will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to shop with them – at no extra cost to yourself! All you need to do is sign up and remember to use easyfundraising whenever you shop online. It's easy and completely FREE! These donations really mount up, so please sign up to support us at https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/knights-enham-junior-pta/?utm_campaign=raise-more&utm_medium=email&utm_content=rm-en-n1
- If you would like to be part of our PTA please see Jo in reception for further detail.

Supporting the Community

Parties by Personal Best

Our parties include (but are not limited to):

- ✓ Football
- ✓ Air Track (Gymnastics)
- ✓ Multi-Sports
- ✓ Giant Inflatable Obstacle Course

Packages starting from only £165 inc Venue Hire

Mountbatten School, Romsey

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