

21<sup>st</sup> November 2025 - No. 548

## ACHIEVEMENTS

### Learning Award

RF - Phoebe B	RH - Bishwas G
1A - Joshua J	1B - Ava GC
2K - Finley R	2M - Ellis EC
3G - Alexis W	3H - Amelia-Rose C
4N - Minnie-Mai R	4S - Luna D
5B - Layla T	5T - Clara BP
6C - Lavanya J	6L - Bella WP

### Value Award

RF - Charlie M	RH - Ayla G
1A - Henry R	1B - Gracie W
2K - Elsie-Jo W	2M - Hope G
3G - Elliot M	3H - Amara V
4N - Sofia B	4S - Zac O
5B - George P	5T - Regan B
6C - Bethanie MW	6L - Ryan G

### House Points

Beckett	1743
Dickens	1612
Churchill	1600
Harvey	1547
Holmes	1575
Shakespeare	1408

### **CONGRATULATIONS TO**

### **BECKETT**

**This week's Winners**

### Hot Chocolate Friday

Year R - Lottie R

Year 1 - Aura-Marie O

Year 2 - Joshua T

Year 3 - Elliana G

Year 4 - Wren F

Year 5 - Harry R

Year 6 - Emerson C



### Dates for the Diary

27.11.25 - 3G Class Assembly @ 10am  
 28.11.25 - PFA NSU - donations for xmas fayre  
 05.12.25 - PFA NSU - donations for xmas fayre  
 05.12.25 - PFA Christmas Bake Off  
 06.12.25 - PFA Christmas Fayre @ 11am  
 10.12.25 - EYFS Nativity to parents @ 2pm  
 11.12.25 - EYFS Nativity to parents @ 2pm  
 11.12.25 - Panto to the whole school  
 12.12.25 - PFA Christmas Disco - tickets via Classlist  
 15.12.25 - Rocksteady concert to parents  
 17.12.25 - Christmas Jumper Day  
 17.12.25 - Christmas Dinner Day  
 17.12.25 - Carols Around the Tree @ 15.30  
 19.12.25 - Last day of Term - **13.30 Finish**  
**22<sup>nd</sup> Dec - 2<sup>nd</sup> Jan - Christmas Break**  
 05.01.26 - **Staff Development Day - NO SCHOOL**  
 06.01.26 - Term 3 Begins

### Donations

We are looking for a few toy baby dolls for our home corner - specifically:

\*girl / boy / different ethnicities.

\*LOTS of clothes to fit the dolls (Different seasonal clothing / anything with buttons and zips)

\*No battery dolls please.



## School News

Thank you to everyone who donated money for the Poppy Appeal. As a school we raised an impressive £308.71 for the charity.

Children in Need - As a school we raised a total of £174.47 for odd sock day last Friday. This is amazing, thank you to everyone who donated.

### Lunchtime

A reminder that children should eat their *own* lunch and not seek to share food with others. Children do not always know about the allergies of others and the sensitivity of this allergy. Please remind and discuss this with your child/ren to ensure that we keep the children in our school community safe.

Children have been getting into the Christmas spirit this week in the Rainbow room, by making Christmas tree decorations. Children have created these using their own ideas and designs. Well done everyone, your decorations all look amazing.

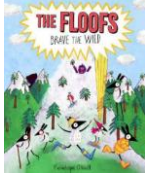
Next week we plan to design and create more decorations, to decorate our school Christmas tree.



# Reading for Pleasure

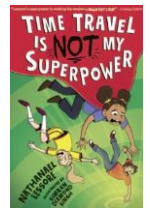
## Weekly book recommendations

**KS1 - Astrosaurus: Mission to Infinity by Steve Cole.** Teggs, the Stegosaurus captain of the spaceship DSS Sauropod, heads off with crewmates Ginni, Arx and Iggy to face hungry raptors, rescue endangered dinosaur eggs, and unravel strange events beneath Aqua Minor. Presented in fun, wild and wacky graphic novel form with vibrant artwork.



**KS1 - The Floofs Brave the Wild, by Penelope O'Neill.** The floofs are back - and this time, they're heading into the wild. Join this loveable group of friends as they set off on new adventures filled with fun, friendship and plenty of surprises. From forest hikes and snowy slopes to secret places hidden in nature, the Floofs never shy away from a challenge.

**KS2 - Time Travel is NOT my Superpower by Nathanael Lessor.** Sara has been practising her new teleport powers and she's getting pretty good! Except when she accidentally transports herself and her best friends (Georgie and Javier) and her nemesis (Jock) back in time... They're warned not to interact with ANYONE, to make sure they don't change anything in the future, but that becomes difficult when they're dragged into a birthday party. They get out as quickly as they can, although not before causing some minor chaos. But how much damage can a squashed cake really do?!? A laugh-out-loud series about all the different ways of being extraordinary.



**KS2 - Letters from the Upside by Katya Balen.** Con is a boy wrestling with anger after his father walks out. Suspended from school and drifting from this best friend, he strikes up an unlikely friendship with Mr Williams, the neighbour who keeps homing pigeons on the roof. A highly convincing, moving and ultimately uplifting story about friendship and family.

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## Kingsnorth Vocab Challenge

This week's word is **alienate**.

Remember, if you can use it in your writing correctly, show your teacher and you'll earn 2 house points for completing the challenge. Try and talk about the word around the dinner table or with your friends.

The more you say it, the more you'll remember it!



## Shinobi Word of the Day

Word of the Day:

**alienate**

Word Class  
(verb)

Pronunciation / Syllables

(a-li-en-ate)

### Definition:

If you alienate someone, you make them become unfriendly or unsympathetic towards you.

Separated from you.



Jonah felt **alienated** from the game.

Synonym:

isolate

divide

Antonym:

unite

join

Prefix / Suffix:

-ed

-ing

Rhyme:

debate

berate

Link Word:

deliberately

slowly



# Kingsnorth PFA Newsletter



PFA Non Uniform/Bend the Rules day NEXT FRIDAY (28th Nov)

We are asking pupils to bring any of the following to school please (for our Christmas fayre tombolas!)

### Pupils can:

- Wear own clothes/shoes
- Have coloured hair
- Wear nail varnish
- Wear temporary tattoos
- Have crazy hairstyles



- Chocolates
- Biscuits
- Sweets
- Bottles (wine etc)
- New Games
- New Toiletries/Gifts



PFA CHRISTMAS MOVIE  
SUNDAY 14<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER  
@TIAM SCHOOL HALL  
**£4 ENTRY & FREE POPCORN!**



Tickets via Classlist events

**Carols around the tree**  
School hall free entry  
Book tickets via Classlist  
17th December 3.30pm



Christmas Fayre  
Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> December  
Grotto Slots available  
to book via classlist

Please return your Christmas raffle tickets by Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December. Extra tickets available from School reception!



**YEAR R NATIVITY FILMING PERMISSIONS**

THE PFA NEEDS PERMISSION FROM ALL YEAR R PARENTS TO FILM THE NATIVITY. PLEASE SIGN HERE: →



**Christmas Discos**  
Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December  
Tickets available on Classlist now  
Lower Disco Years R, 1 & 2 @4-5pm  
Upper **SILENT** disco Years 3 -6 @6-7.15pm