

Kingsnorth

Church of England Primary School

18th September 2026 - No. 575

ACHIEVEMENTS

Learning Award

1A – Ayda O	1B – Ala K
2K – Pearl F	2M – Arla W
3Go – Hayden W	3Gr – Archie B
4N – Sophie R	4S – Margot C
5KH – Oliver B	5T – Finlay R
6BC – Mya B	6L – Regan B

Value Award

1A – Ellia S	1B – Lottie R
2K – Jayden S	2M – Oliver F
3Go – Florence F	3Gr – Lena-Rose D
4N – Carter S	4S – Elliana G
5KH – Nevaeh P	5T – Chloe M
6BC – Oliver R	6L – Summer W

Dates for the Diary

21.09.26 – EYFS/KS1 Parent phonics workshop
 24th- 30th September – Book Fayre – (3for2)
 28.09.26 – EYFS/KS1 Parent Maths workshop
 01.10.26 – School Photos
 05.10.26 – KS2 Parent reading workshop
 09.10.26 – PFA school discos - tickets via Classlist
 12.10.26 – Flu vaccinations
 12.10.26 – KS2 Parent maths workshop
 16.10.26 – YR PFA story time - tickets via Classlist
 21st & 22nd Oct – Parents evening
 22.10.26 – Year 2 Harvest Festival
 23.10.26 – Last day of term
 26th – 30th October – **Half Term**
 02.11.26 – **Staff Development Day – No school**
 03.11.26 – Term 2 Begins
 07.11.26 – PFA Fireworks night

Spirituality Reflection

What makes you uniquely you, and what would our community lose if you tried to be exactly like everyone else?



**"TODAY YOU ARE YOU,
 THAT IS TRUER THAN
 TRUE. THERE IS NO
 ONE ALIVE WHO IS
 YOUER THAN YOU."**

– DR. SEUSS

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Reminders

Please ensure that all of your child's clothing and personal belongings are clearly named. We are seeing an increasing number of unnamed jumpers, cardigans and fleeces being placed in our lost property.

Please also remember to name lunch bags and lunch boxes, as these can easily be misplaced during the school day.

As we move into the colder months, please ensure that coats, gloves, scarves, hats and other winter items are clearly labelled with your child's name.

Clear labelling makes it much easier for us to return lost items to their owners and helps to reduce the amount of unclaimed lost property. Thank you for your support.

School News

Harvest Festival Donations

As part of our Harvest Festival celebrations, we will be collecting donations to support Family Food Bank and Vinnie's Diner at Bright City Church.

We would be very grateful for any donations of non-perishable food items to help families and individuals in our local community.

If you would like to contribute, please send donations into school by Friday 16th October. Thank you for your generosity and support in helping those in need.

<https://www.familyfoodbank.org/>

<https://www.brightcitychurchuk.com/community-action/>



Well done to Yanny in Year 5 for receiving his first ever Blue Peter Book Badge!

Over the summer holidays, Yanny enjoyed reading a range of books and shared his enthusiasm by writing an amazing book review for *Blue Peter*. His hard work and love of reading have been recognised with this wonderful badge.

Well done, Yanny! We hope you continue to enjoy your reading adventures!

Mini Police Cadets

This week, 11 of our pupils began their exciting Mini Police Cadets programme, working alongside Kent Police.

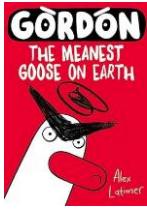
The children will take part in a one-hour weekly session designed to build confidence, communication, teamwork and problem-solving skills. They will learn about important topics including online safety, anti-social behaviour, road safety, bullying and how to contact the emergency services.

The programme also gives the children opportunities to meet local PCSOs and Police Officers, take part in social action and learn about respect, responsibility and supporting others.



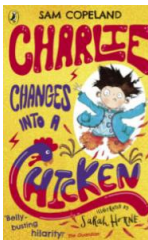
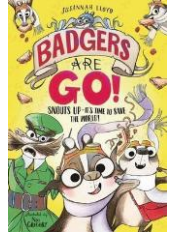
Reading for Pleasure

Weekly Book Recommendations



KS1 – Gordon the Meanest Goose on Earth, by Alex Latimer. *There are plenty of mean geese in the world. Five of them meet monthly at the Meanest Goose Society. One bites fingers. One makes old ladies carry her shopping. But Gordon is the meanest goose of all. He shouts at people and he directs zoo visitors to the open tiger cage! The message of being nice instead of mean is delivered with humour. This is a very funny story.*

KS2 – Badgers are Go! By Susannah Lloyd. *Lulu Whifferton-Rear is a young badger who loves to scamper about woodland glades, listen to birdsong and daydream. So she is rather taken aback when she is summoned to the Rumpington Academy of Badgering to undergo specialist training, before embarking on a Top Secret Mission. Bursting with imaginative gadgets, exciting covert operations and entertaining characters.*



KS2 – The Cheat Book, by Ramzee. *Kamal usually fades into the background at school, but when he gets called Puke Boy after an incident in assembly, things have to change. He finds a mysterious book in the library that promises him popularity and he follows its advice. Soon he is obsessing over his 'Popstock rating' and how to cheat his way to becoming school captain. Perhaps he'll sit on the cool gang's table! But is it worth abandoning his friends over? The message about being true to yourself and your friends, and not worrying about being cool, is given a light touch, as is the magic of the Cheat Book. Fun.*

Kingsnorth Vocab Challenge

This week's word is **skilled**

Remember, if you can use it in your writing correctly, show your teacher and you'll earn X Dojo 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: **skilled**

Pronunciation / Syllables

Definition:

Someone who is skilled has the knowledge and ability to do something well.

Word Class
(adjective)



Rumi was **skilled** at playing the guitar.

Synonym:	Antonym:	Prefix / Suffix	Rhyme:	Link Word:
talented	unskilled	un-	drilled	cook
proficient		multi-	filled	musician



Kingsnorth PFA Newsletter



Join Classlist Here!
Kingsnorth School
families only.

PFA Pupil Ambassador Badges!
Earn your PFA Ambassador badge
by volunteering at any of our events!
Sign up via Classlist!

Tickets On Sale Now via Classlist for:



**Years 1-6
Autumn Discos
9th October**



**Year R Storytime
Event
16th October**

**Fireworks Night
7th November**

<https://app.classlist.com/s/ITAC7A>

Dates for your Diary!

**Non Uniform
Donation Day
20.11.26**

**Christmas Fayre
28.11.26**

**Christmas Discos
(all years)
11.12.26**



**Class of 2027 Kingsnorth Hoodies were presented to
Year 6 this morning! Big thank you to PFA team
member Toni for organising these! They are fabulous!
Have an amazing time at the Isle of Wight everyone!**