AQUILA Diocese of Canterbury Academies Trust

English Hubs
Kingsnorth English Hub
Where every child loves to read

Kingsnorth
Church of England Primary School

6th November 2026 - No. 581

ACHIEVEMENTS

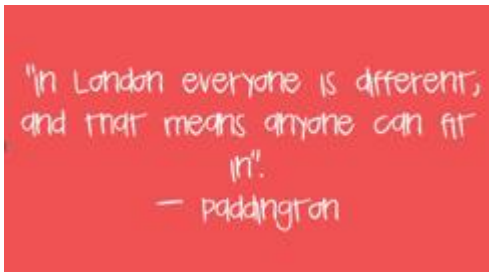
Learning Award		Value Award	
RF – Tommy B	RH – Arthur A	RF – Liam O	RH – Molly R
1A – Ron V	1B – Ella R	1A – Oscar S	1B – Mia W
2K – Jace GC	2M – Otis H	2K – Gracie W	2M – Shoshana Z
3Go – Elizabeth H	3Gr – Freya H	3Go – Arthur O	3Gr – Alex S
4N – Harry B	4S – Ella H	4N – Violet K	4S – Tom J
5KH – Amanah J	5T – Lydia J	5KH – Andrea-Maria A	5T – Tommy M
6BC – Isabelle P	6L – Harry R	6BC – Adrianna H	6L – Olivia S

Dates for the Diary

07.11.26 – PFA Fireworks night
20.11.26 – PFA Non-school uniform day
27.11.26 - PFA Non-school uniform day
28.11.26 – PFA Christmas Fayre
28.11.26 – Mr Taylors Quiz night @ 19:30 start
03.12.26 – 5T Class Assembly @ 10am
08.12.26 – Choir to sing at the Church lunch
09.12.26 – EYFS Nativity Play
10.12.26 – EYFS Nativity Play
11.12.26 – PFA Christmas Disco
14.12.26 – Rocksteady Concert
15.12.26 – Choir to sing at Park View Care home
16.12.26 – Christmas at Kingsnorth!
16.12.26 – Y3 Learn to Ride - Bikeability
16.12.26 – Carols around the Tree @ 15.30
18.12.26 – Last day of term – **13.30 finish**
21st Dec – 1st Jan – CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY
04.01.27 – **Staff Development Day – NO SCHOOL**
05.01.27 – Term 3 begins
07.01.27 – Year 5 Swimming starts
08.01.27 – PFA School Disco

Spirituality Reflection

Is difference simply something we accept, or can it be a gift that makes a community stronger?



Poppies and other Royal British Legion merchandise are now available in school in exchange for a donation.
They will be available at the school gates during morning drop-off and afternoon pick-up times.
We kindly ask that children do not bring snapbands into school.
Thank you for your support and cooperation.

Reminders

A gentle reminder that if your child is absent from school due to illness or an appointment, this must be reported by 9.00am on the day of absence, if not before. You can do this by emailing absence@kingsnorth.kent.sch.uk or by calling the school and leaving a voicemail on our absence line (option 0).

If you bring your child into school via the school office, either because they have missed the morning gate (close at 8.45) or because they are returning from an appointment, an adult must sign them in using the signing-in screen. This is an important safeguarding procedure to ensure we know exactly which children are on site at all times. A member of the admin team will be pleased to welcome you.

School News

Mr Taylor will be hosting one of his famous Quiz Nights on Saturday 28th November, and everyone is welcome to join us for a fun-filled evening! Gather your friends, put your thinking caps on and get ready for some friendly competition! This will be held in the school hall.
Doors open: 7.00pm - Quiz starts: 7.30pm - Teams: 6 people per table - Cost: £3.50 per person
If you would like to book a table, please let the office know ASAP via email or phone. We need to have an idea of numbers to ensure the evening can go ahead, so please register your interest as soon as possible.

The Queen's Christmas Present to Year 6 - In celebration of the National Year of Reading 2026, Her Majesty The Queen has gifted every child in Year 6 a very special Christmas present – a free, special-edition copy of *Impossible Creatures* by Katherine Rundell.
A passionate advocate for literacy, Her Majesty hopes this wonderful gift will inspire children to discover the magic of books and develop a lifelong love of reading.
This generous initiative is supported by the National Literacy Trust and Bloomsbury. What a fantastic Christmas surprise for our Year 6 children!

October was Black History Month - This year, children across the school have been learning about inspirational figures from history such as Mae Jemison, Rosa Parks, Katherine Johnson and Benjamin Zephaniah, and have created fabulous pieces of art about them. We had a special Collective Worship at the end of last term to share their incredible stories with the whole school!



Harrison in Year 5 and his drama club, Ark Drama 2000, had the wonderful opportunity to sing at the civic ceremony for the Mayor of Ashford, Mayor Winston Michael MBE.

The ceremony marked the launch of the Mayor's charity fundraising campaign, which aims to support local youth services and SEND provision.

Well done Harrison for using your talents to support such worthwhile causes.



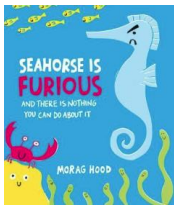
CONTACT US

Main Office: 01233 622673
Email: office@kingsnorth.kent.sch.uk
Breakfast Club: breakfastclub@kingsnorth.kent.sch.uk
PFA email: kingsnorthschoolpfa@gmail.com
After School Club: asc@kingsnorth.kent.sch.uk
Vanessa **07749 280043**
Caterlink Catering: kitchen@kingsnorth.kent.sch.uk
KMAC Uniform: www.kentschooluniform.com

Website: www.kingsnorth.kent.sch.uk
New **School Mobile:** 07934 713 586

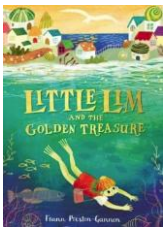
Reading for Pleasure

Weekly Book Recommendations



KS1 – Seahorse is Furious by Morag Hood. *When Seahorse wakes in a bad mood, he stubs his tail, and only gets angrier as the day goes on. Other sea creatures offer hugs, stories and snacks but nothing improves his mood. The clever, funny and poignant repetition gives this outstanding picture book and addictive read aloud rhythm. It is a useful picture book for talking with young children about bad moods, frustration and what helps.*

KS1 – Little Lim and the Golden Treasure by Frann Preston-Gannon. *Little Lim is on a mission: to win the young explorers' competition by finding the rarest shell in her rockpool town. With her friend Kai by her side, the search proves tricky until a tale of a golden shell sparks a new idea. Set on a tiny island, this charming illustrated adventure book blends fiction and marine facts showing teamwork and a bit of curiosity can lead to the best discoveries.*



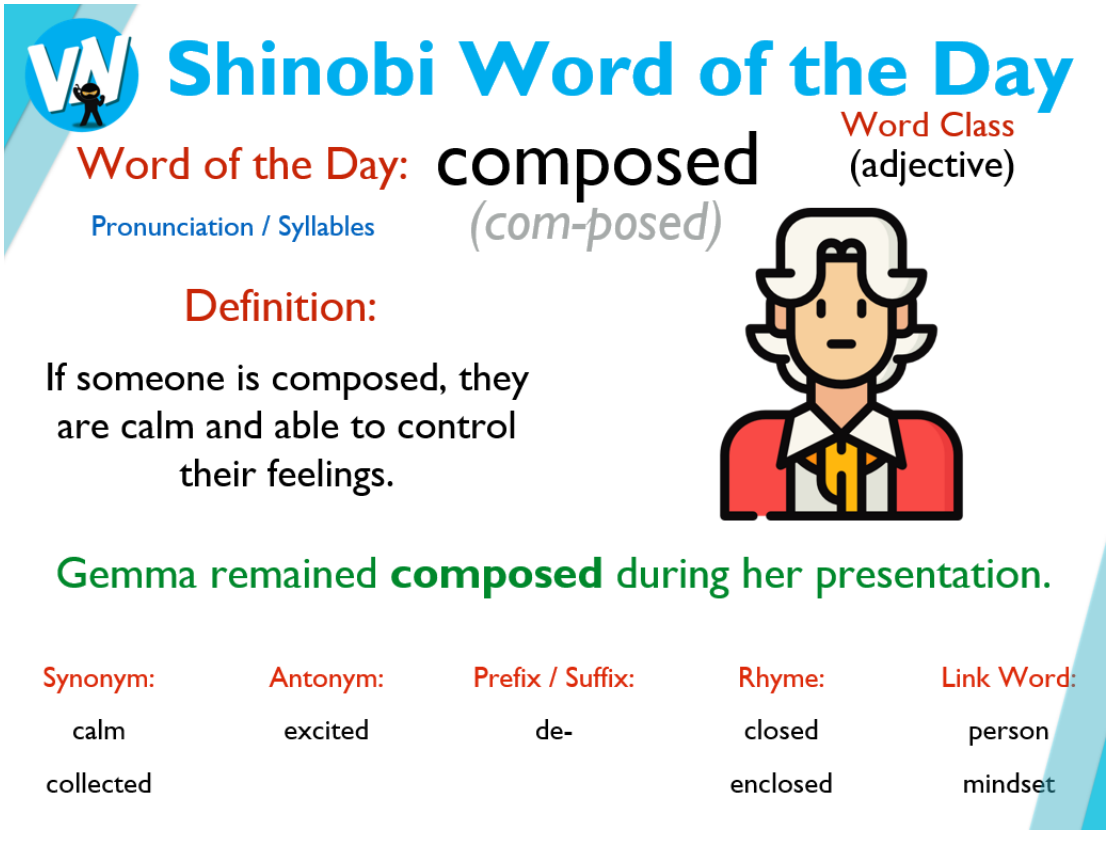


KS2 – Unfairies by Huw Aaron. *Forget everything you thought you knew about fairies. Rather than the wish-granting, magical flying characters you might have heard about, fairies are in fact about as magical as slugs and are among the most treacherous, violent and backstabbing creatures you could ever chance to meet! Unfairies is a rollercoaster ride of high energy hilarity and anarchic chaos.*

Kingsnorth Vocab Challenge

This week's word is ***composed***

Remember, if you can use it in your writing correctly, show your teacher and you'll earn 1 Dojo point 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!



Kingsnorth PFA Newsletter

06.11.26

Christmas Raffle Tickets came home this week. Please complete counterfoils and return to School via Bookbags with payment! Cash or cheque (cheques payable to Kingsnorth School PFA) Thankyou!

Kingsnorth School PFA Fireworks Night

Tomorrow! Gates open 5pm

Display @ 6.30pm

Food and Licensed bar In School Hall from 5pm!

Entertainment from Ashford Panto team @6pm on the field!



Class of 2027
Year Six Party Parents' Meeting
Thursday 12th Nov
6-7pm
@School hall

All Volunteers to arrive at the school hall for 4pm please. Please bring a torch if you can! Thank you!

Push the button competition exclusively for Kingsnorth Pupils available here:

Fireworks Night Tickets here!