



# Reception Newsletter

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have been very pleased with the number of parents who have attended the workshops that we have held this half term.

The parents who have joined us for these sessions have informed us that they have found them very useful and they have helped them to understand the Early Learning Goals and end of year expectations.

We will be running many more parent workshops in the new year and are excited to continue to work closely in partnership with you to move your child's learning forward.



## Reception Homework

We encourage all parents/carers to support their children with their homework. Homework is given every Friday for completion the following Friday.

Please also support your child's reading by talking about their reading book and encouraging them to pick out phonemes/high frequency words that they know



## Promoting healthy eating.

Please remember to send a healthy **snack (fruits or vegetables only)** and a **bottle of water** daily with your child.

We are encouraging children to drink their water at school in order to stay hydrated, please continue to remind them of this at home.

Also remember there are children in Reception who have life threatening allergies and the food items to be avoided are indicated on classroom doors.

## PE Kits

Please remember to send your child in with their PE kit so that they can get changed for PE lessons.

Make sure that every item of clothing has their name on it.

## Dates for your diary



The Reception Friendship Assembly is on **Friday 30th November** at 9am in the main hall.

All parents/carers are invited welcome. We look forward to seeing you there!

The children will perform in the Christmas Production on **Tuesday 11th December** in the afternoon. This performance is for parents with young children under 5 and/ or in buggies. There will be two performances (am and pm) on **Thursday 13th December. These performances are for adults only.**

Our Christmas party will be held on **Thursday 20th December.**

More details to follow.

School will finish at 2.15pm on **Friday 21st December.**

Children must return to school on **Monday 7th January 2019.**

## Kenmore Park Infant & Nursery School

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## The reception team

### ☺ Unicorn Class—

Miss. Pennant (Phase Leader), Mrs Shea and Mrs. Kapadia.

### ☺ Dragon Class—

Miss. O'Grady, Mrs. Karia

### ☺ Fairy Class—

Miss. Hollingsworth, Mrs. Kapadia and Miss. Jo.

**Other support:** Mrs. Hirtopanu, Mrs. Kisner and Mrs. Sadiq.

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## Climbing Equipment

When you are dropping off or collecting your child, it is important that you do not allow them (or any other children) to climb onto the equipment in the Reception playground.

The climbing frames should only be used when there is a member of staff present to monitor and supervise the children, as part of the school's risk assessments.

Thank you in advance for your support and for helping us to keep our children safe and to maintain an effective outdoor learning environment.

