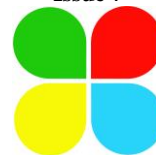


Weekly News

'Together we achieve'

Kelvedon Core Values: *Respect *Caring *Co-operation *Perseverance *Honesty *Responsibility
Reverence Compassion Service Endurance Virtue Trust

Spring term
Issue 7



*Making
Great
Memories*

Our Vision is to create an environment where every learner has the opportunity to amaze us

Good learners are: Responsible; Reflective; Resourceful; Resilient; Reasoning; Risk Taking

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to the second half of the academic year of learning – how fast the time passes! Keep up to date with how we, as a whole school, are **'Making Great Memories'** for everyone by following events on our blog. The blog helps us to involve our Parents/Carers whose work commitments prevent them from regularly visiting our events in school.

This Sunday, 25th, you are invited to join our community at St Mary's Church for an 11:00 service to celebrate Education Sunday. Come along and share in our journey as we know that our motto **'Together We Achieve'** is the key to our success. The dedication of the school and wider community to support and develop education has helped us to maintain our high standards – we can't do it alone.

You should have all received your appointment times and your child's personal evaluation ready for next Wednesday and Thursday's Learning Conferences. Our aim is that your child builds their skills to lead this conference by celebrating what they are good at and identifying how they know what their strengths are. Please bring your child and their evaluation along at your appointment time.

Next week we have our Book Fair back. This is a great opportunity for your child to build their own library collection at home. Your support has always been fantastic and each time we earn a considerable commission in the form of new books for our own library. Please can you make sure that your child brings their money in a clearly named envelope or purse.

World Book Day is next Thursday 2nd March and Mrs Taylor has designed an unusual competition to celebrate the event. Details should have reached you in a letter earlier this week.

Please note that due to unforeseen circumstances the next PTFA meeting has been moved from Thursday 8th March to Wednesday 14th March, 20:00 at Church Cottage, Kelvedon, all are welcome to attend and support.

Learning together, *M. Walsh*

PTFA News: The lottery winner for last week was Sara, winning £16.80
Buy your tickets from www.yourschoollottery.co.uk

Easyfundraising is the simplest way to raise money for the school.
Please register to support us today <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/invite/L3N4OP/>

Community Notices

Education Sunday This Sunday 25th February is our annual Education Sunday in church at 11.00 am. Everyone is very welcome to come. The Chair of Governors and the Head Teacher will answer some questions about the school and the Church Directors will say something about the links between Church and school. *Sarah Openshaw Church Director*

Mid-Day Assistant We have a full time position for Mid-Day Assistant available, five days per week. This will be for 10 hours per week Band 1, Point 7. If you are interested in joining our excellent team, then please contact the school office. Kelvedon St Marys CE Primary Academy is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children. This appointment is subject to satisfactory references and an enhanced DBS check.

Dates for your diary:

Last day of Spring Term:

- Thu 29th March

School Closed:

- Good Friday 30th March
- May Day Mon 7th May

Spring Learning Conferences

- Wednesday 28th Feb
- Thursday 1st Mar

Special events/days:

- Book Fair Mon 26th Feb- Thurs 1st March
- World Book Day Thu 1st Mar
- House Matches Tue 20th Mar
- Charity day Fri 23rd Mar
- Y2+Y3 Production Tues 27th Mar 15:30
- Y2+Y3 Production Wed 28th Mar 18:30
- Easter Service Thu 29th Mar

Sharing assemblies:

- 9th March 2B
- 16th March 5C

Open Door:

- Thu 29th Mar

PTFA

- Eggstravaganza Easter
- Meeting 14th Mar
- Mon 23rd April online Safety
- Quiz May
- Fri 29th June Bingo
- Car boot sale June

What's on next week?

Learning Conferences Wed/Thu

World Book Day Thursday

Attendance award winners

KS 1: 1F

KS 2: 4T

School attendance: 97%

Target: 97%

*** Stars of the week ***



Gold Book Honours - Building Learning Power

These Good Learners display one of our focused 6Rs or have been awarded their bronze, silver or gold

