



Kemble Primary School

Weds 24th February

February 26th
Non-Uniform Day

March 3rd
World Book Day

March 3rd
Clean for the Queen

March 4th
Parent / Head Chat
9.30am

March 10th
Kemble Arts Evening 6
-7pm (selected
instrument players)

March 15th Parents
Evening 3.30-5.30pm

March 17th Parents
Evening
5-7pm

March 18th
School Fundraising
day—Sport Relief

March 24th Easter
Service 9.30am
Kemble Church
End of Term 4

April 11th
Return to School
Term 5

April 29th
School Council Non-
Uniform Day

**This Terms Worship Theme is:
Truthfulness**

Dear Parents,

Welcome back to Term 4! Doesn't time fly! I do hope everyone had a super half term break in amongst the showers and cold. This is the shortest term of the year - only 5 weeks, and there is so much to pack in! Please look at the website class pages for topics, homework and ideas / links or ask your teachers.

Inset Day - the staff from both schools spent the day moderating & assessing pieces of work so that there is consistency across the schools. These are then shared across our cluster schools and then we have a county moderation session too.

The interim reports are being written by staff. I want to thank Mrs Janvrin, Mrs Luff and Mrs Kenyon from Kemble and Mrs Clapton and Miss Brazier from Siddington who helped shape the new interim reports and the end of year expectation booklets. The reports will be given out with a letter of explanation before the parent's evenings.

Attendance:

Please have a look at the attendance for each school from September to the end of term 3. Please remember that some children are poorly and cannot attend school which can affect certain year groups.

	Kemble	Siddington
Reception	97.2	87.8
Year 1	97.4	94.8
Year 2	97.3	97.3
Year 3	97.4	95.9
Year 4	97.4	93.2
Year 5	98.5	92.3
Year 6	95.0	97.6

We aim for 95% or above as this is the National expectation, taking illness into consideration. Well done to all those children who come to school on a regular basis. And parents please remember that there are 13 weeks during the year to take holidays - I can only agree them for exceptional circumstances, for example to attend a funeral or for service personnel, if they need to take a family break after a tour. Attendance has come up as an area of weakness in both schools and will be checked upon by Ofsted when they visit - so please do your best to keep the children at school - thank you.

✓ Upcoming events

Friday 26th February - Non uniform day - for Syrian Refugee Children please can everyone bring either 50p or £1 as a donation and then you can wear what you want for the day - staff too! There will also be a sponsored silence.

Thursday 3rd March— World Book Day - At Siddington all the children are asked to come dressed up as a character from a Roald Dahl book and at Kemble as a character from a 'Traditional tale'

Thursday 3rd March—Clean for the Queen Campaign

We will be taking groups of children round the village to 'Clean for the Queen'. It would be great if parents can help as we can take more children out.

Friday March 18th - School Council fundraiser - this will be for sport relief - and children will be asked to wear sports gear or dress up as their favourite sports personality There will also be a sponsored run.

Handyman

We are please to tell you that Mr Bob Piesing will be the handyman working at Kemble and Siddington from this week. Welcome to the team!

Clubs

Clubs restart this week. Please note, Code Club and I Can Sports, and Football club all split with the children who did not do the club before half term now getting their chance. This term, I Can Sports will be KS1 and Football Club KS2.

Parents evenings

Please note the next parents evenings are on March 15th 3.30-5.30pm and March 17th 5-7pm. Sheets will be put up on Monday 7th March for signing up for an appointment.

School Cooking

The School cooking lessons are going very well and the children are really enjoying them. However, not all of the containers that the food is being sent home in are being returned and we now only have 2 left. Please can you return them ASAP. We would also be grateful for any containers that can be donated.

March Birthdays

Tye

Amelie

Henry

Jazmin

Reuben

Erika

Zach R