



Kemble Primary School

28th March 2017

**This Terms Worship Theme is:
Compassion**

March 28th Parents
Evening 3.30-5.30pm

April 6th
Easter Service
9.30am

April 7th
Last day of term 4

April 24th
Return to school

5th May
Parent Head Chat

8th May
SATS Week—no
absences for all
classes

24th May
Beech assembly
9am

26th May
Last day of school

5th June
Return to School

7th June
District Athletics
Deer Park Y3-6

8th June
Leavers Service
Gloucester Cathedral

Dear Parents,

I am sorry to be away at present, I have had my operation and am now recovering. I hope to be well enough to be back part time next week. I am still available via phone and email if you need me and am still able to work from the sofa! I miss the children and you all very much. I am so pleased that we have Mrs Newton and Mrs Hamlett to be there for you while I am absent - we are very lucky.

We are going to be changing our procedures in the mornings. When the bell rings, please would all parents please say goodbye and leave so that a member of staff in the playground can ensure the gate is shut and internal doors are locked. Unfortunately, the internal doors are not always locked when the children are brought in as there are still parents in the corridors.

Please help us by leaving your children in the playground so teachers can lock the doors behind their class.

Thank you

Easter service

Please remember the Easter Service on Thursday April 6th at Kemble Church at 9.30am. All Welcome. Parents are also welcome for tea and cakes in the school hall afterwards c/o KPG



Horse Chestnut Trip to Chedworth Roman Villa

Horse Chestnut Class recently enjoyed a great trip to the Roman Villa at Chedworth. They behaved impeccably and amazed the guides with their knowledge of Roman facts. Here they are enjoying dressing up and making aromatherapy medicines



Swimming Gala

A Y5 and Y6 team recently took part in the School swimming Gala and performed incredibly well. The team finished 3rd overall; there was a nail-biting finish in the Y5 relay in which we finished 2nd and we managed to win the Y6 relay by a tip of the finger. Well done to all who took part!

Red Nose Day

Well done to everyone and thank you to the school council for organising the day. We are still waiting to find out the final total of money raised but thank you for your generosity.

Here are the winning jokes:

How do you make an Octopus laugh? Give it 10 tickles! (Will U)

What did the cheese say when it looked in the mirror, haloumi !! (Maddy)

How do you know when an elephant is under your bed? When your nose touches the ceiling? ! (Peter)

Why did the horse cross the road? To see his neigh-bours! (Jeannie)

Website for newsletter:

Thank you for the recent parent feedback regarding the school website. We have taken on board your comments and have had some issues with the Kemble website which hopefully now are mostly corrected. We have added some new links on the English page to include additional information for parents and some websites where help and information can be found. Work will be started on the maths page after Easter.

Beech Class trip to Birdland

Beech Class enjoyed a lovely trip to Birdland and explored a Jurassic Jungle and had a talk on dinosaurs.



School Lunches

Just to let you know that your child will be coming home with the new menu for next term shortly. The price of a school lunch has also been raised to £2.28 from £2.20 by the Local Authority. This is the first rise since 2013. Children in KS1 continue to get free meals as before.

Please can parents **PAY VIA PARENTPAY ONLINE**. It really does save the office time if we do not have to handle cash for the school dinners. Please also remember to keep your account in credit so we do not need to chase you when it goes into debt.

Nature Quiz

Well done to our Y5 and 6 team who are through to the next round having won their round against Rodmarton.

I CAN Holiday Club

Please find attached a flyer for the ICAN Easter Holiday Club

Clubs

A list of clubs for next term will be sent out shortly, please return it ASAP to enable us to compile the lists of who would like to do which club.

April Birthdays

Sophie H, Isabella H, Blossom, Louis, Harry E,
William L, Carter, Emily, Lara,

