



THE CHURCH
OF ENGLAND

**Kingsland CE (VA)
Primary School**



The Kingsland Times

Friday 20th October 2023

Let your light shine

“Let your light shine before others that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.” Matthew 5:16

Let your light shine on our vision:

As God’s children, overflowing with His light, we will shine before others to inspire, nurture and bring joy so all may embrace life in its fullness to the glory of God.

Our Christian value for this half-term is **LOVE**

Please help your child to reflect on the importance of this Christian value

Life at Kingsland CE Primary School: life in all its fullness (John 10:10)

On Thursday, Miss Williams continued to extend our thinking in Worship Time about **GROWTH MINDSET**, a concept developed by Carol Dweck. Her definitions of Growth and Fixed Mindsets are below:

Growth mindset: “In a growth mindset, people believe that their most basic abilities can be developed through dedication and hard work—brains and talent are just the starting point. This view creates a love of learning and a resilience that is essential for great accomplishment.”

Fixed mindset: “In a fixed mindset, people believe their basic qualities, like their intelligence or talent, are simply fixed traits. They spend their time documenting their intelligence or talent instead of developing them. They also believe that talent alone creates success—without effort.”

PLEASE DO NOT PLAN HOLIDAYS DURING TERM TIME

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Dates for your diary

Tuesday 24 th October	Open Morning for prospective new parents 9.30am
Wednesday 25 th October	Parents' Evening 3.30 – 6.30pm
Thursday 26 th October	Parents' Evening 4.30 – 7.30pm
30 th Oct – 3 rd Nov	Half term holiday
15 th – 17 th November	Y5/6 residential to Manor Adventure
Monday 27 th November	Open Morning for prospective new parents 9.30am
Thursday 7 th December	Y1/2 visit to Courtyard Theatre
Thursday 14 th December	Christmas dinner and parties ... party clothes can be worn
Friday 15 th December	Y3/4/5/6 visit to Birmingham Theatre

Term dates can be found on the school website following the link:

<https://www.kingslandceprimary.com/term-dates/>

Big Question

We continue our series of BIG QUESTIONS as a focus for family discussions. This week's BIG QUESTION is:

How could you develop a Growth Mindset?



This week's attendance – well done Class 2!

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3	Class 4	Class 5	School total
96.32%	100%	98%	94.85%	96.47%	97.26%

Congratulations go to the following children who have received Headteacher's Awards:

Lexi for fabulous maths work in Mastering Number; **Maximus** and **Jasmine** for super World War 2 silhouette art work; **Hatty** for being an outstanding individual; **Toby** for super writing about 'Would you like a supermarket to be built on Kingsland village green?' – well done!



An update from the school governors: this week the **Staffing Panel** met to discuss staff contracts, staff wellbeing and the staff pay structure. Staffing costs form the majority of a school's budget costs.

Y6 High School Applications

Y6 parents: reminder that the closing date for High School applications is 31st October. Applications should be made via the Herefordshire Council website.

House Tokens

Congratulations to the following children for achieving a house token!

Ambrey	Berrington	Croft	Mortimer
Cora	Alfred	Ed	Arlo
Ruby	Emily	Devon	Molly
Henry	Harriet	Jack	Elsie
Freddie	Emmy	Eleanor	Iris
Oliver	James	Connie	Nora
Henry	Oscar	Daisy	Arthur
India	Effie	Ronnie	Gilbert
Darcy	Ebby	Ava	Bella
Grace	Wilf	Yarna	Arthur
Scarlett	Charlie	Pixie	Alice
Jacob	Dilan	George	Hector
Bethan	Finn	Harry	Ruby
	Hugh	Lexi	Myla
	Helen		Claude
	Sophia		
	Ben		
	Ollie		
	Riley		

Squid Game – SAFEGUARDING CONCERN

We have become aware that some children have been talking about Squid Game. Due to the graphic content and nature of this television series, this is a cause for concern. We encourage parents to be vigilant about what their child is accessing online. Further details about Squid Game can be found [here](#).

Parking

We have received recent communications from local residents with concerns about parking at school drop-off and pick-up times. Please can we remind parents:

- **never to park (or drop-off / pick-up) on the yellow zig zag lines outside school**
- **never to block driveways of local residents**

We continue to encourage parents to always park in the Coronation Hall car park and use the back gate into school (except for those children using Breakfast Club).

Thank you for your cooperation.

Upcoming PTA Events

6th to 15th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HARVEST TRAIL IN KINGSLAND • Sheets sold at Treat Friday & after Harvest Festival
SATURDAY 21st October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TABLE TOP SALE & TEA ROOM • Coronation Hall, Kingsland 2-5pm
FRIDAY 27th October	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BREAK THE RULES DAY
FRIDAY 1st December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SCHOOL DISCO • Classes 1-3 @ 5:15 - 6:15pm • Classes 4&5 @ 6:30 - 7:30pm
WEDNESDAY 13th December	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CHRISTMAS BINGO • Leominster Sports & Social Club at 7pm

FURTHER DETAILS WILL BE AVAILABLE NEARER THE DATES.

Kingsland School's Bedtime Story Event

Invitation

Who: Children in Reception, Year One and Year Two are invited to Kingsland School's Bedtime Story Event

Date: Wednesday 8th November

Time: 5.30pm - 6.30pm

Place: Class 2

Dress code: Please wear your pyjamas, slippers and a dressing gown. Make sure you bring your teddy along too, to enjoy the evening.



Parents / Carers,

You are invited to bring your child to our first ever Bedtime Story Event. Whilst your child is enjoying various stories including a hot chocolate and a biscuit, you will be able to go into the school hall to spend some time with other parents and to have a cup of tea or coffee and maybe even a biscuit or two. Rest assured; we don't expect you to wear your pyjamas! You will be invited to join us towards the end of the evening to listen to a story shared by our very own Mrs Green.

Tickets will be available to collect from your class teacher at Parents' Evening. Please let us know, when you collect your child's ticket, if your child has any dietary requirements so we can cater for all.

We look forward to seeing you there,

From

The Early Years and Key Stage One Team





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OPEN MORNINGS

Do you have a child due to start school in September 2024?



You would be most welcome to visit school on one of our Open Mornings:



Thursday 21st September at 9.30am

Tuesday 24th October at 9.30am

Monday 27th November at 9.30am

Please contact the school office to book a place
(bookings are essential): 01568 708436

admin@kingslandengland.hereford.sch.uk



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IMPORTANT NOTICE

Reception admissions for 2024-2025

Do you have a child born between
1 September 2019 and 31 August 2020

If so you will need to apply for a school place
by 15 January 2024
(to commence September 2024)

Applications can be completed from
11 September 2023 online
(scan QR code) or visit:



www.herefordshire.gov.uk/schools-education/primary-school-admissions

Please note: a place at a nursery does not
guarantee a place at the associated primary
school, therefore you must still apply.

For further information please contact the school
admissions team on 01432 260926 / 261574 or
schooladmissions@herefordshire.gov.uk



Break the Rules Day

Friday 27th October

Children are invited to break the rules below, in exchange for £2 donation to the PTA fund. Children will not need to wear PE kit on this day.

- 1. No crazy hair**
- 2. No colourful hair accessories**
- 3. No hats**
- 4. Only school uniform**
- 5. Only school shoes**
- 6. No nail varnish**
- 7. No football kits**
- 8. No make-up or face paint**
- 9. No odd socks or crazy tights**
- 10. No heroes capes**

PTA Treat Friday is also on Friday 27th October, after school in the playground.



Sunday 22nd October
9.30am Aymestrey Church

Joshua Fought the Battle of Jericho!
Explore the Bible with drama and dressing up!



Sunday 5th November
9.30am Kingsland Church
Luke and his Gifts

Messy activities and crafts, worship and a story ending with breakfast.



There is no I Sing Pop in November as the second Sunday is Remembrance Sunday and each church will have a special service to mark the occasion.

Please put the dates in your diary and we look forward to welcoming you. For more information contact the church on wendy@mortimerscrosschurches.co.uk

Christmas Lunch Kingsland C E Primary School Thursday 14th December 2023

This year Christmas Lunch and Christmas Party day will be on Thursday 14th December 2023. Christmas lunch is now available to order via Scopay. The cost for lunch is £3.75 unless children are entitled to a free school meal. Orders for Christmas lunch should be made by Monday 4th December. We would encourage you to order a hot Christmas Lunch for your child and join in the festivities. Party clothes and festive accessories may be worn on this day.

Menu

Roast Turkey
Bacon and Sausage Roll,
Stuffing and Gravy
or
Seasonal Vegetarian Parcel

Fresh Carrots, Broccoli and Peas
Creamed Potatoes

Festive Chocolate Sponge



KINGSLAND CORONATION HALL

TABLE TOP SALE

Saturday 21st October

2pm—5pm (Sellers access from 1pm)



FREE ADMISSION

£5 a table (must be pre-booked)

Call Jess 07769772878 or email

pta@kingslandengland.hereford.sch.uk

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Calling all
Heritage Heroes!



What's Your Name?

Half-term discovery fun for children
10:30am-1:30pm Wednesday 1 November
Free event, but places must be booked!
Venue: Kingsland Church

Archeologist and artist Yvie George leads a session full of storytelling...illustrated right before your eyes!
A scavenger hunt for fantastic letters, AND your name in black-&-gold gothic writing to take home.

Will especially suit 7-12 year olds.
Refreshments provided - please bring a light lunch

For info and to book, contact Jo -
activities.familiartreasure@gmail.com



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Half Term 30th October 2023



Dear Parents,

The Leominster Safer Neighbourhood Team would like to invite your child to a **free** event where they will be able to meet the local policing team whilst taking part in sports activities.

Time & Date: 14:00 – 16:00 on 30/10/2023.

Venue: Bridge Street Sports Centre, Bridge Street, Leominster HR6 8EA

We will also provide drinks and a snack **free** of charge. Please inform us of any dietary needs.

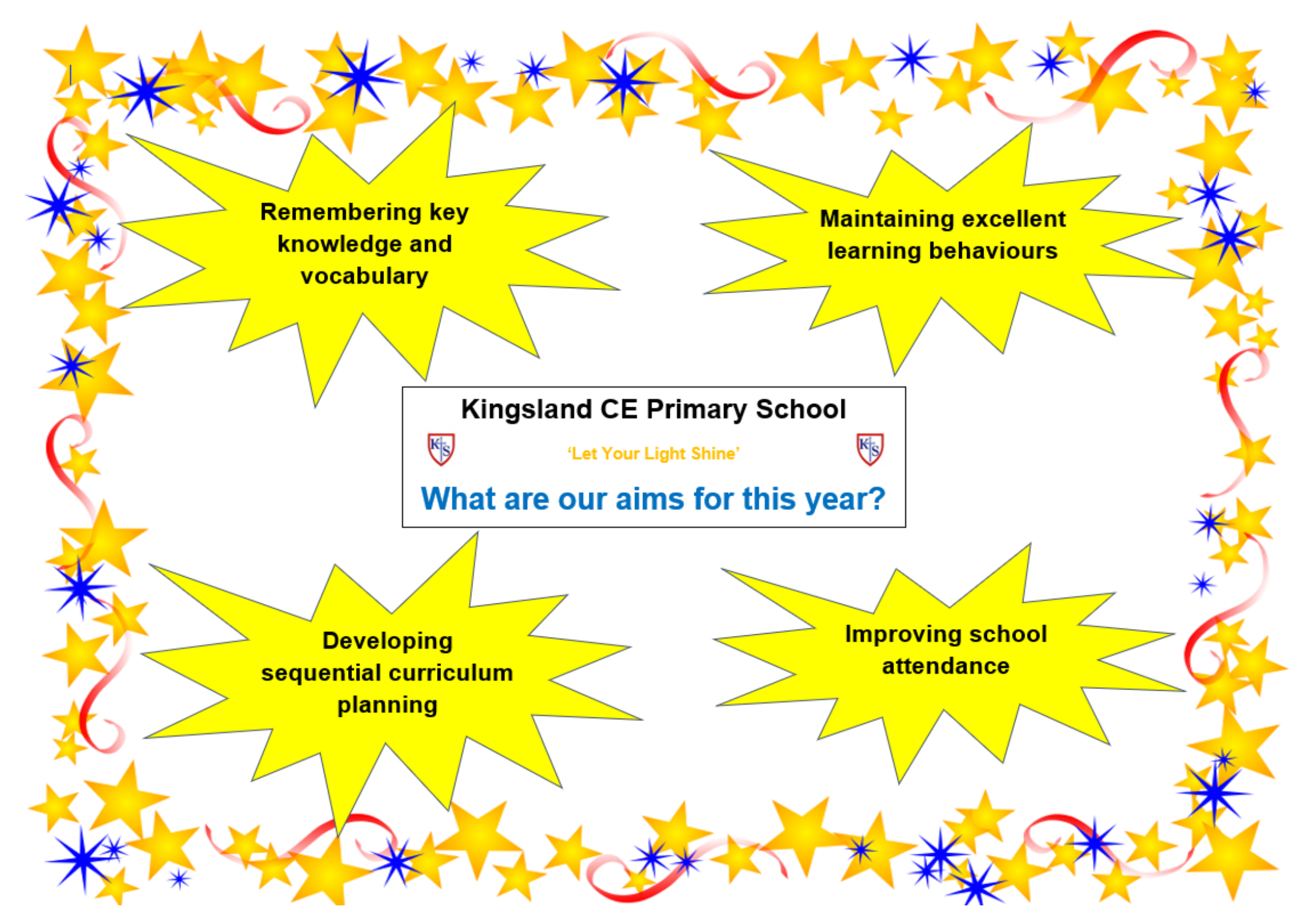
This event is for years 5 and 6 pupils only. The plan is to have lots of fun! All they need to do is turn up and have suitable PE clothing.

This poster and a consent form will be sent out to parents via email and a paper copy will also be handed out to the children.

All replies to be returned to your Primary School. The deadline for replies is 23/10/2023.

Once all replies have been received, we will allocate your child a place and confirm by email.

Leominster Safer Neighbourhood Team



**Remembering key
knowledge and
vocabulary**

**Maintaining excellent
learning behaviours**

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'Let Your Light Shine'



What are our aims for this year?

**Developing
sequential curriculum
planning**

**Improving school
attendance**