

Weekly Round Up



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News from KEPS

It's been a lively and memorable week in school, filled with achievement, teamwork and plenty of community spirit. Our Year 6 pupils have shown incredible determination as they completed their SATs. Their focus, resilience and positive attitude have made us all proud, and we hope they enjoy a well-earned rest after such a big milestone.

We also celebrated sporting excellence at this week's cricket festival. Pupils represented the school brilliantly, demonstrating great teamwork, enthusiasm and sportsmanship throughout the event.

Back in school, we enjoyed our much-loved singing assembly, where the hall was filled with energy and joyful voices. In addition, our OPAL play assembly helped pupils reflect on the importance of creative, active and inclusive playtimes—something we continue to develop across the school.

It's been a week full of learning, celebration and togetherness, and we look forward to building on this momentum as we head into the next one.

2026/2027 INSET DAYS

1st September Admin Day
2nd September INSET Day
27th November INSET Day
22nd February INSET Day
28th July INSET Day

Dinner Menu

Week 3



Coming Up



Tuesday 19th May 2026
Class photo day

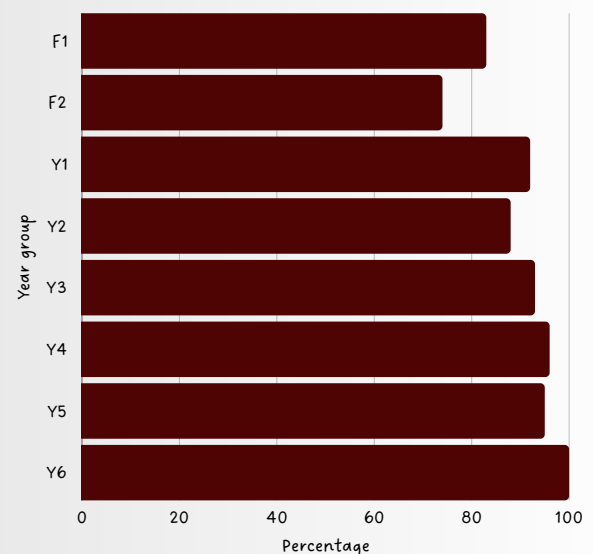
NEW DATE- 24th June 2026
OPAL Stay and Play

Friday 12th June 2026
Summer Fair-after school



Weekly attendance : 94%

Target = 97%



This Week's Superstars

Seedlings



Saplings



Acorns



Willow



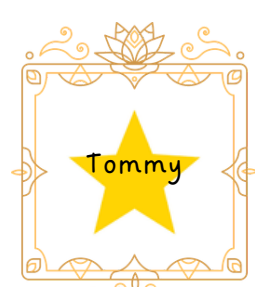
Maple



Birch



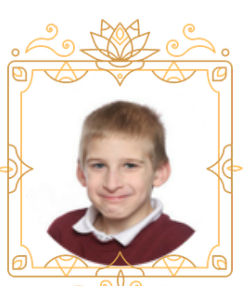
Ash



Elm



Sycamore



Palm



Kapok



Cedar



Banyan



Oak



Pine



Staff Shout Out!



Mr Jenkins



A huge thank you to Mr Jenkins for being an absolute superstar. His brilliant organisation of the KS2 football fixtures has kept everything running smoothly, and his dedication to coordinating our after-school clubs ensures every pupil has exciting opportunities to get involved. Your hard work makes a real difference, and we appreciate you.

thank
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Summer Fair

Our fabulous HSA are organising a summer fair which will take place on **Friday 12th June 2026**. The fair will start at **15:15 p.m.** and will finish by **17:00 p.m.**

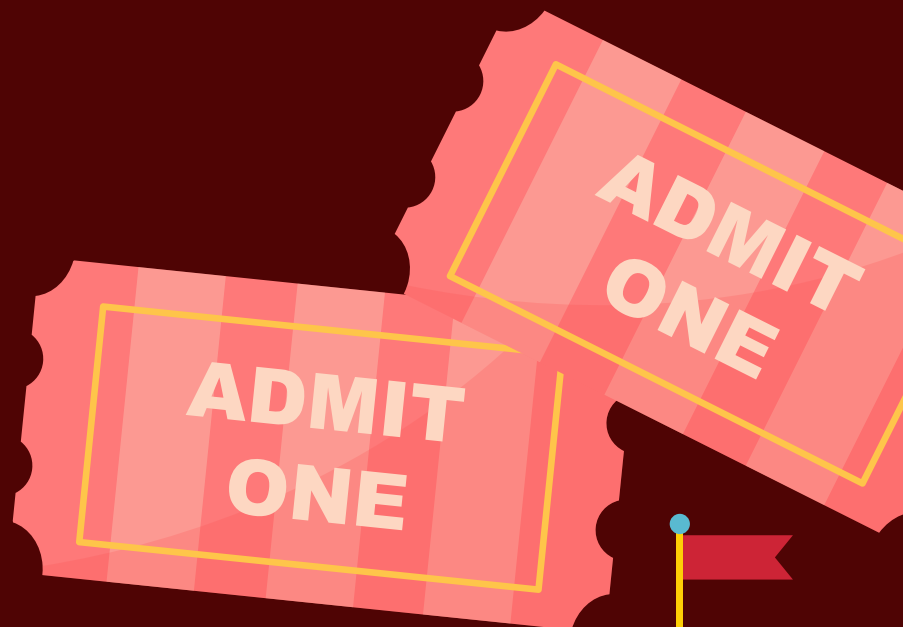
There will be a wide selection of stalls such as, Tombola, Hook 'a' Duck, Cake Stall, Bouncy Castles, Ice Cream, Face Painting, Candy Floss and many, many more!

Donations are more than welcome for the raffle and tombola, but please would you make sure the donations are in perfect condition (no jumble or bric-a-brac).

There will be a raffle which will be drawn at approximately 4:45 p.m. on the day of the Fair. **We have some fabulous prizes already, including a £100 cash, a luxury hamper and much more!** I have enclosed a book of 5 tickets which are £1.00 per ticket. Please can you sell the tickets to your friends and family returning the ticket stubs and money to the school office before close of play Thursday 11th June 2026. Please also return any un-wanted tickets at your earliest convenience so we are able to sell them on the day.

We will also be holding a non-uniform day on the day of the summer fair. We are politely asking all children not wearing uniform to make a 'bottle donation' for our bottle bag stall. This can be anything in a bottle e.g. alcohol, shampoo, bubble bath etc. Donations can be handed in as children go into class and should be new and unopened.

The school appreciates your participation in this as it usually generates a lot of funds which will be invested in the children. If you require any additional tickets to sell or work for a company that can offer a raffle prize, please speak to our school office.



OPAL Update

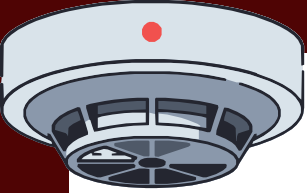
We would like to inform you of a change to our upcoming Stay and Play session.

We have decided to postpone the event until 24th June.

This decision has been made as we are currently working on a number of projects that we would like to complete beforehand. These improvements will enhance our OPAL play provision, and we are excited for you to see the developments once they are finished.

We appreciate your understanding and look forward to welcoming you in June to share in our children's play experiences.





Keeping Your Family Safe - The Importance of Smoke Alarms

At King Edward Primary, the safety and wellbeing of our families is always a top priority. We would like to take this opportunity to remind all parents and carers about the importance of having working smoke alarms in your home and ensuring they are regularly tested and maintained.

Smoke alarms are one of the simplest yet most effective ways of protecting your household in the event of a fire. They provide an early warning, giving you and your family valuable time to react, escape safely, and call emergency services. However, they can only do this if they are fitted correctly, working properly, and regularly checked.

Key reminders for all households:

Install smoke alarms on every level of your home, particularly near sleeping areas.
Test your smoke alarms weekly by pressing the test button to ensure they are working correctly.
Replace batteries regularly—at least once a year, or immediately if you hear the low battery warning sound.

Keep alarms clean by gently vacuuming them to remove dust and debris that could affect performance.

Never remove batteries unless replacing them, even if the alarm sounds unnecessarily.
Replace smoke alarms every 10 years, or sooner if advised by the manufacturer.
It is also important to talk to your children about what the alarm sounds like and what they should do if they hear it. Having a clear family escape plan, which everyone understands and practises, can make a vital difference in an emergency.

If you are unsure about your current smoke alarm provision, or need support with installation or maintenance, your local fire and rescue service may be able to offer advice or carry out a free home safety check.

By taking a few simple steps, you can significantly reduce the risk to your family and help keep your home safe.

Thank you for your continued support in keeping our community safe.

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4 Bank Holiday	5	6	7	8
11 SATS WEEK	12	13	14	15
18	19 Class photo day	20	21	22
25 Half term	26	27	28	29

OPAL PLAY CHARTER



Own Our Actions



Play Kindly

Opal Play Charter



Accept



Leave it Tidy

Community links



Mental Health Support



Adult Learning



Home Learning



Translator

5C Focus and Tweak of the Week

5C's Focus



Courage

Tweak of the Week!

Integrity



Doing the right thing even though no one is watching!