# Kingfisher Courier

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The EEF Summary for the app trial stated that "A longitudinal study found some possible longer term impacts for EasyPeasy. Pupils who participated in EasyPeasy were slightly more likely to achieve a 'good level of development' as defined by the EYFSP, equating to two months' of additional progress, on average, compared to children in other schools.

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https://www.easypeasyapp.com/



#### Attendance Matters

Here are our attendance figures for last week. Our whole school attendance target this year is 96% our whole school attendance currently stands at 93.9%. Thank you for helping us to reach our target by ensuring that you are in school everyday

Class	Current Attendance
1	93.0%
2	89.0%
3	95.0%
4	94.0%
5	93.0%
6	94.0%
7	95.0%
8	93.0%
9	93.0%
10	94.0%
11	95.0%
12	96.0%
13	96.0%
14	94.0%



#### Up and coming Sports...book the date in your diary



Following the extremely hot weather which we can experience in the second half of the summer term and which has meant that our Sports Day's could not go ahead. We didn't want that to be the case and so they will be taking place in the final week of this half term, when we hope the weather will enable these to take place. We will send reminders out about the timings of the Sports days for the different year groups—this will be via the app and Facebook so please watch out.

We have listened to your feedback from last year and we are hoping to have The Hepworth open so that we can serve refreshments throughout the event.

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May 2024 = KS2 Sports Day (Y3/Y4/Y5/Y6)

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2024 = EYFS Sports Day (Nursery/Reception)

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2024 = KS1 Sports Day (Y1/Y2)

The Sports Days will take place in the morning. The EYFS Sports Day will also take place in the afternoon to ensure that all children who attend our Nursery can take part.

#### Summer Fayre Date



We are super excited to announce that our Annual Summer Fayre is going to be held on **Wednesday 26th June** between 3pm and 4.30pm.

We are preparing a fun day for all the family to enjoy with lots of activities, refreshments, stalls and competitions. We also hope to have some games and displays on the field to keep you entertained whilst you relax in the sunshine.

There will be lots of fun things to do, see and even create..... so pop along, come and yoin in the fun!

### **Remembering Mrs Johnson**

As I outlined in a letter to all families in March 2024, when the time was right we would share with you what we would be doing in school to remember Mrs Johnson.

I want to share with you the start of our project in school, which will create lasting memory of Mrs Johnson and the impact she had at Kingfisher on the lives of all our children.

Mrs Johnson, really loved the outdoors and all things to do with the natural world. We therefore think it would be fitting to create a sensory garden which all our children can use and which can become of the learning we do in school.

In the coming weeks we will be working with the company who will be actioning this for us to draw up the plans of what this will look like and how we can develop a bespoke space in school to create the garden.

will keep you all updated so you know the time

As the project progresses we will keep you all updated so you know the time line of the development.

### **Term Dates:**

The last day of Term is Friday 24th May 2024 and we return on

Tuesday 4th June 2024

The next INSET Day is:

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2024