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Newsletter - 7th November 2025

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Hello everyone,

Welcome back to term 2. I hope you had a restful half term break. It's been another wonderfully busy and inspiring week here at school.

Our Year 1 children had a fantastic trip to the SS Great Britain as part of their topic on Isambard Kingdom Brunel, bringing history to life as they explored this remarkable ship. Year 2 enjoyed a special visit from the Fire and Rescue Team, linking with their work on The Great Fire of London. Year 5 also took their regular termly trip to Redcatch Gardens.

Across the school, we have been celebrating our Festivals of Light Week, exploring how light is used in different cultures and religions. Year 6 visited St Martin's Church and made beautiful Christingles, while Year 3 cooked delicious potato latkes as part of their learning about Hanukkah. Through RE, history, art, and DT, pupils have been discovering the traditions and stories behind Eid, Diwali, Christmas, and Hanukkah — a true celebration of diversity and creativity.

Please join us after school today for our Festivals of Light Showcase, taking place in the main and small halls from 3:30pm. It's a wonderful opportunity to see the children's work and to share in their learning.

Have a good weekend.

Helen Bailey

Attendance Matters

Attendance Ladder



Last weeks (week beg. 20/10/2025) attendance winners are:

KS1: Dolphins & Starfish with 97.50 %

KS2: 6S with 99.66%

Acorns: 81.82%

Our attendance target at Knowle Park is **96%**

Attendance Matters!



Every Student, Every School, Every Day



Term 2 P.E days

Mon: Yr2 **Tues:** Yr3 **Wed:** Yr4 **Thurs:** Yr6 **Fri:** Yr5

Dates for your Diary

Mon 10th Nov	Whole School - Odd socks, anti bullying
Tues 11th Nov	EYFS - Stay and Play 9:00 - 9:30am
Mon 17th Nov	Whole School - Individual Photos
Tue 18th Nov	Whole School - Individual Photos
Tue 18th Nov	Yr1 - Phonics Workshop 9:00 - 9:45am
Thurs 20th Nov	School Nurse drop in 9:00am
Thurs 20th Nov	Yr6 - Height & Weight
Thurs 20th Nov	Yr4 - Visit to the Mosque
Fri 21st Nov	Yr6 - Height & Weight
Wed 26th Nov	Yr4 - Class Assemblies 4R, 9:15 - 9:35am 4T, 9:45 - 10:05am 4F, 10:15 - 10:35am
Sat 6th Dec	PTA Christmas Fayre

Inset days:

5th January 2026
1st June 2026

Here is a link to the [School Calendar](#)

Reminder to Parents

Pick up time for children is

Reception - **3.10pm**

Years 1 & 2 - **3.15pm**

Years 3 to 6 - **3.20pm**

Acorns - **3.15pm**

We are having lots of children regularly brought to the office and the end of the day.

Stars of the Week

Well done to our stars:

1W - All of Whales, **1H** - Alex, **1GD** - All of Starfish, **2WP** - Daisy, **2M** - Rafael, **2T** - Arianna,

3B - Elen, **3J** - Darcy, **3HS** - litasha, **4R** - Ella, **4T** - Noor, **4F** - Esme,

5F - Luchia, **5C** - Jasiah, **5H** - Hunter, **6S** - Thomas, **6B** - Dexter, **6E** - Declan.

Parent Drop-In Sessions with the School Nurse

We are pleased to announce a series of Parent Drop-In sessions with our new School Nurse. These sessions provide an excellent opportunity for you to discuss any health concerns you may have regarding your child.

Session Dates - 9am-10am:

- **Thursdays:** 20/11/25, 18/12/25.



Feel free to drop by the school during these times to have a chat with the School Nurse. We look forward to seeing you there!

Well Done, Aruba !



Aruba has moved up to Stage 4 at swimming last week. He's worked really hard to move up a stage =)
Well Done!

If your child has an outstanding achievement you would like us to celebrate, please email the office at: Knowle.park.p@bristol-schools.uk with details and a photo.



Eco News

Eco Squad will start in Term 2. More details to follow. Please continue to save your empty crisp packets and batteries.

School Council Poster Competition

The **KS1** and **KS2** School Councils met for the first time this week. They have decided to launch a competition for Anti-Bullying week which is **Week 2 of term 2**.

Design a poster to promote the message of anti-bullying. Remember to make it bright, eye-catching and informative. The deadline for entries is **Wednesday 12th November** and winners will be announced in assembly on **Friday 14th November**.

Why not get creative over half-term to spread the important message of anti-bullying!



Deadline for entries
Wednesday 12th November



SEND News Corner

Visit our new look Special Educational Needs page on the school website:

[Special Educational Needs and Disability | Knowle Park Primary School](#)



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October is ADHD awareness month. The official website “adhdawarenessmonth.org” has lots of useful information, videos and resources to support us all in our understanding. We hope you find it helpful.

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PTA UPDATES- Friday 7th November



PTA Social — Friday 7th November from
7:30pm at the Knowle pub BS4 2LL.

Join us for drinks, meet other parents and find out what we have planned for the Winter Fair

Winter Fair — see main flyer

Saturday 6th December 12-3pm

Get into the Christmas spirit and help out at a stall for a couple of hours or in the run up. Stalls can only go ahead with enough helpers! WhatsApp 07846405738 for more info. Could you sponsor a stall or a raffle prize at the Winter Fair?

Do you own your business or work for a company that could support the Winter fair either with a financial contribution or a raffle prize or volunteer hours? We would love to hear from you! Email Diana at knowleparkpta@gmail.com



Please contact us if you can help at any of the above events.

Email knowleparkpta@gmail.com

Join our Facebook page:

[Knowle Park PTA](#)

WhatsApp: Join our PTA volunteer

WhatsApp group using this QR code



WINTER HOLIDAY CLUBS

YATE - FITLON - KNOWLE - STAPLETON - PILNING

22 DEC - 23 DEC - 24 DEC - 2 JAN

9AM-4PM



EARLY / LATES



9AM - 1PM



NERF

£24

MULTI-DAY DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE

Early Bird - 10% OFF
until 23rd Nov
WINTERHOL



LUNCH PROVIDED

FREE HAF HOLIDAY CLUB SPACES
FOR CHILDREN WHO RECEIVE
BENEFIT-RELATED FREE SCHOOL MEALS.



9AM-4PM



YEARS 1 TO 6



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Community News

OPEN EVENTS AT KNOWLE PARK PRIMARY

Are you looking for a school space for your Reception age child for 26/27?

Come and have a look at our wonderful school on one of our open events. You can come and have a look around our school, peek into the EYFS area and meet our wonderful team. Dates and times for our open events are:

02 October at 05.30pm

10 October at 09.30am

13 November at 05.30pm

14 November at 09.30am

09 January at 09.30am

If you would like to attend one of the above events, there is no need to book or inform us in advance, just turn up to your chosen date and time.

**Life
Cycle**



Windmill Hill,
Bristol

October half term
Bikeability
Level 3

Bikeability Holiday Courses

Unlock your child's cycling potential!

Cycling confidence, road safety, and planning skills – taught by Life Cycle's qualified, DBS-checked instructors.

Scan to
book



Book now!

<https://bit.ly/48Ai378>

Registered Charity Number: 1077575

THE BRISTOL BRICK SHOW

info@gertlug.co.uk

Sat 15th NOV 2025, 10am - 5pm
Sun 16th NOV 2025, 9.30am - 4pm
*Quiet Hour - 9.30 - 10.30am Sun only

The Bristol Pavillion
Gloucestershire Country Cricket Club, Neville Road BS7 9EJ

 **Lego® Exhibition**
Tombola
Prizes
Brick Play Area
All ages welcome

Morning & Afternoon tickets available.
£8 adult, £4 Under 14's, Under 2's Free, Family £20
Limited carparking available (purchase required)

SUPPORTING: 
Registered charity numbers: 1003314 & 1162639

Presented by:  

Winter fair

We are still looking for helpers for the Winter Fair
6th December 12-3pm.

We will only run stalls that have volunteers signed up,
so if you can spare 3 hours to make it a great day

PLEASE CONTACT 07846 405 738

Volunteers for stalls needed

Activities:

- Biscuit decorating
- Craft a snowflake (1-3)

Games:

- Snowman Pong
- Doubty Sprouty

Shopping:

- Pocket Money Shop
- Door Stewards
- Sweet Stall (12-1)
- Hot dog stand
- Parents Presents
- Outdoor refreshments.

Volunteers confirmed for stalls

- Glitter tattoos/face paints
- Grinch Bar
- Token Stall
- Teddy Tombola
- Uniform
- Bracelet Making
- Snowflake crafting(12-1)

Want to help in other ways?

Sponsor a stall, donate a raffle prize or help with prep -
let us know 07846 405 738

Thank you to our wonderful volunteers, past present and future!