



New End News



Newsletter 7
Thursday, 10th October 2024

See the future



...it starts here!

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Events over the Next Week

Friday, 11th October

CSSA Cross Country

Karyn Ray Headteacher
Alan Girling Deputy Headteacher
Helen Andrews Chair of Governors
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Parent-Teacher Meetings

This term's opportunity to meet the teacher and discuss how well your child has settled into their new class will be similar to last year. In order to reduce risk we will operate a controlled-entry system whereby Year Group teachers will be available from 3.50pm - 7.30pm for 10 minute slots on

Tuesday, 22nd October

Bookings will open on Tuesday, 15th October at 8.15am. In order to be allocated a slot with the appropriate teacher, please go via your Scopay account and ensure you book **by 2pm Friday, 18th October.** If you do not have a Scopay account, please contact the school office for an online code.

On the evening of your allocated slot, all access to the building will be via the Main Gate in Streatley Place. We ask that you arrive **5 minutes** before your time in order to be admitted. The meetings will be held in your child's classroom. Adhering strictly to timings is important so that we can regulate the flow of parents in and out of the building. **This is particularly important with the current building works.**

Harvest Festival

New End Primary School will be celebrating Harvest Festival next week. We will be talking about Harvest in our Wednesday assemblies and asking families to make their donations.

So that we donate essential items which will help, could we please ask for donations of dried or tinned goods and please ask you to ensure that all goods are in date.

Last year families were very generous in their donations. Please bring all donations **on Tuesday, 22nd October.** Each class will add to the collection at some point in the day. If you are able to contribute several items, please ensure that your child has ONE item in their bag that they can bring to the collection with their class and leave the others with the member of staff in the bottom hall at drop off that morning.

We hope you will agree that this is a very worthwhile cause, helping people in need. Thank you for your ongoing support.



Photo of just some of the donations collected last year

Snack Reminders!

Parents and carers are reminded that children from Reception to Year 2 have access to fresh fruit and vegetable snacks each day. Children in all years can bring in their own snacks but these must be healthy snacks and preferably fruit or vegetables. Ideas for snacks can be found on the school website.

Please remember that these are snacks that can be eaten in 5 minutes and not a full meal AND THAT CRISPS ARE NOT ALLOWED!

Star Awards

As a school we enjoy celebrating the achievements of New End children.

During Friday celebration assemblies, staff hand out certificates to those children who have achieved something special during the week. Certificates are also awarded for projects completed or for representing the school at a sporting or other event.

Since February 2009 we have been recording the names of children who receive either a class or headteacher certificate or who represent New End at a sporting or other event.

Each half term we award those children whose names have been recorded five times with a New End star. We ask parents and carers to attend these assemblies to share in their child's achievements.

During these assemblies, children who have achieved a multiple of 5 also receive a medal or trophy to mark their achievement.

The first star assemblies will be held on Friday, 8th November with children receiving their letters during the final week before half term.



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Coffee with Karyn (and Lucy) - Unlocking Potential

We will hold a Coffee with Karyn (and Lucy) on **Wednesday, 23rd October** at 9am so that any interested parents can hear about how Unlocking Potential works at New End.

Lucy Brown will be there to talk about the role she plays at New End in supporting the children through various activities.

We hope to see you there!

Attendance and Punctuality

Here is last week's attendance and punctuality for individual classes.

	Attendance	Unauthorised Absence	No of Lates (no of chn)
RF	96.67%	0 😊	0 😊
1D	90.91%	0 😊	1 (1)
1K	94.12%	0 😊	2 (2)
2S	95.86%	0 😊	0 😊
3J	98.00%	0 😊	4 (2)
3P	93.15%	0 😊	4 (3)
4M	95.58%	0.88%	4 (1)
4W	95.22%	0 😊	0 😊
5M	95%	0 😊	5 (4)
5P	98%	0.80%	0 😊
6R	94.40%	0 😊	4 (2)
6S	96.67%	0 😊	3 (2)

Well done Reception, 1D, 1K, 2S, 3J, 3P, 4W, 5M, 6R and 6S – the classes with no unauthorised absence last week!

Well done RF, 2S, 4W and 5P - everyone in school on time last week!

Attendance across the school last week is 95.45%, with an unauthorised absence level of 0.14%. Remember that good attendance is seen as 96% or better. Attendance to date this academic year is 96.39% with an unauthorised absence level of 0.54%.

As always, if children are ill, they must remain at home. Please ensure that you contact the school office to explain any absence to ensure that it is authorised.

There have been **27 lates** last week (1 less than the week before) involving **17 children** (3 less than the week before) throughout the school.

Children who are late will miss important learning time. Children who are late disrupt teachers' teaching and other children's learning!



NESA News

Calendar of events 2024-2025

12th Sep 8:30AM - 9AM	UNIFORM SALE Purchase items for just £1. OUTSIDE NEW END SCHOOL HOUSE.	4th Feb All day	STAFF APPRECIATION DAY Donations of breakfasts, lunches and gifts, to show our amazing New End Staff how awesome they are!
26th Sep 6:30PM - 8PM	NESA DRINKS AND AGM A brief overview of NESA's current position, followed by drinks and nibbles. Adults only, crèche available.	15th May 7PM - 9PM	SECRET GARDEN PARTY Enjoy a cool drink and chat with other adults from New End. Adults only.
20th Oct 2PM - 5PM	FILM AFTERNOON New End Cinema returns, with two screens offering films for both younger and older children.	6th July 12PM - 3PM	SUMMER FAIR Stalls, games, a BBQ and much, much more; get the date secured in your diary now! Friends & family welcome.
9th Nov 5PM - 7pm	INTERNATIONAL EVENING Join the community for a feast of international tasting; bring a dish, try a dish!	16th July Time TBC	UNIFORM SALE Purchase items for just £1. Cash and card accepted.
15th Dec 12PM - 3PM	WINTER FAIR A winter wonderland with festive favourites, a BBQ and a grotto! Friends & family welcome.	To find out more information, or to volunteer at any of these events, please email NESACHair@gmail.com	

NEW END SCHOOL PRESENTS

HALLOWEEN MOVIE AFTERNOON

FEATURED FILMS...

THE ADDAMS FAMILY (PG)
PARANORMAN (8+)

OCTOBER
20THDOORS OPEN AT
2PM, FILM STARTS
AT 2:30PMFEEL FREE TO
BRING A PILLOW
TO MAKE YOURSELF
COMFORTABLEALL CHILDREN MUST BE
ACCOMPANIED BY AN ADULT£3 PER
TICKETINCLUDES
POPCORN AND
A DRINKCASH BAR
AVAILABLE

And Finally

It has been lovely to see the support shown across the school community this week. Let's all keep showing understanding, kindness and respect which is the basis of the wonderful New End Primary School community.

Continue to take care of yourselves and look out for each other.



Karyn Ray Headteacher

2024-2025 Dates for your Diary

Tuesday, 22nd October	Parent – Teacher Meetings
Wednesday, 23rd October	Coffee with Karyn and Lucy (Unlocking Potential) – 9am
Wednesday, 23rd October	Parent – Teacher Meetings
Mon, 28 th Oct – Fri, 1 st Nov	Half Term
Fri, 8 th November	Star Assemblies
Wed, 27 th November	3P Class Assembly
Mon, 16 th Dec	Year 5 and 6 Christmas Concert – 2.30pm
Tues, 17 th Dec	Year 1 and 2 Christmas Concert – 10am
Tues, 17 th Dec	Year 3 and 4 Christmas Concert – 2.30pm
Wed, 18 th Dec	Nursery and Reception Christmas Concert - 2.30pm
** Children can wear Christmas or Party Clothes on the day of their concert **	
Thurs, 19 th Dec	Christmas Lunch – wear your Christmas Jumper!
Fri, 20 th Dec	Last Day of Autumn Term
Mon, 6 th Jan	INSET Day – school closed to children
Tues, 7 th Jan	Children return to school
Fri, 10 th January	Star Assemblies
Wed, 29 th January	4M Class Assembly
Wed, 5 th February	4W Class Assembly
Mon, 17 th Feb – Fri, 21 st February	Half Term
Fri, 28 th February	Star Assemblies
Wed, 26 th March	2S Class Assembly
Wed, 2 nd April	Nursery Class Assembly
Fri, 4 th April	Last Day of Spring Term
Tues, 22 nd April	INSET Day – school closed to children
Wed, 23 rd April	Children return to school
Fri, 25 th April	Star Assemblies
Wed, 30 th April	Reception Class Assembly
Wed, 7 th May	3J Class Assembly
W/B 12 th May	Year 6 SATs
Wed, 14 th May	1K Class Assembly
W/B 19 th May	Year 6 School Journey
Wed, 21 st May	1D Class Assembly
Mon, 26 th – Fri, 30 th May	Half Term
W/B 2 nd June and W/B 9 th June	Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check
Fri, 6 th June	Star Assemblies
W / B 9 th June	Year One Phonic Screening
Fri, 18 th July	Last Day of the 2024-2025 Academic Year
Mon, 21 st July	INSET Day
Tues, 22 nd July	INSET Day

IF A DATE CHANGES OR IS ADDED, IT WILL BE HIGHLIGHTED IN THIS SECTION.

DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE – OFTEN BY OUTSIDE FORCES!