

## Your weekly guide to life at **Kingsway Infant School**

27<sup>th</sup> September 2024

Where learning is fun!

It has been wonderful to watch the chicks grow over the week and see the children's reactions as they held a chick. Today we have welcomed three new members to the Kingsway Family, guinea pigs! Over the next week, the children will get the opportunity to meet them and enter the competition to name a guínea þíg.



Next week, we are celebrating Black History Month, with an active and engaging assembly. Wishing you all a restful weekend and look forward to seeing you on Monday.

Year 1 In Science, we have been looking at changes to our body since we were babies. We played a Guess who game, identify similarities and differences and found out that some features will never change such as eye colour and our fingerprints. In Art we explored different qualities of line, colour blending, mark making and smudging using chalk and oil pastels. Take a look at our wonderful spiral snail designs!



Reception This week, we have been reading "Funnybones" and discussing the different parts of our body and their functions. We created our own skeleton art using pasta, chalk, and cotton buds. In maths, we have been exploring various counting strategies and practising stable order counting to ensure our counts are accurate.





Year 2 This week, we started instruction writing inspired by our class text, 'How To Make Friends With A Ghost'. We identified imperative verbs in the story and used these to write our own commands. We learnt that commands need to be clear and specific. In science, we learnt about the human life cycle and how we change during each stage of life. We also discussed that animals, including humans have offspring which then starts a whole new life cycle.



















## **STARS OF THE WEEK**

Evie-Mae	lae Dexter	
Janvi	Erin	
George Co	Harlen	

WELL DONE to all the children who made it onto our 'You Make Us Proud' board.

Disha Ariya Lennon

Nicole

Shanaya Maanav



We are looking for donations of raffle prizes. Could you donate us any unwanted wine, chocolates or gift sets? Do you know of any local businesses that have gift vouchers or prizes to donate? Please hand any donations to the school office. Thank you.

## **Attendance**

Congratulations to YELLOW class. Keep up the amazing work ©

RED	90.7%	ORANGE	92.6%
PURPLE	97.3%	BLUE	89.0%
YELLOW	97.5%	GREEN	96.8%

## Starting School!

If you have a child turning 4 and due to start school in September 2025, please follow the link below to book a tour to come and view our amazing school!

https://www.kingsway.herts.sch.uk/



Monday 7<sup>th</sup> October Individual School Photos Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> October Maths & Phonics information session 2:30pm or 6pm Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October Reception stay and play 2:15-3:15pm Friday 18<sup>th</sup> October Bingo Night (adults only) Monday 21<sup>st</sup> October Parent Consultations 3:30-6:30pm Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October Parent Consultations 3:30-7:30pm Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October Harvest Assembly Red, Blue & Green 9:15am Orange, Purple & Yellow – 2:45pm