



King Edwin Primary School

November 2025 Newsletter

Top Tips for Wobbly Mornings

We are pleased to offer a session with the Education Welfare Team who will be in school on **Monday 10th November at 9am** offering support to parents. They will be covering:

- Morning routines
- Bedtime routines
- Use of electronic gadgets
- Grounding techniques
- Distraction techniques
- Attachment
- What help kids sleep
- Lessons missed and the impact

There is no need to book. Please drop off your children and then meet the team in the school hall.

Children in Need

Children in Need Day is **Friday 14th November**. Children are welcome to come to school in spots or non-uniform and we will be collecting donations for the charity. The theme this year is 'Challenge Yourself to 25'. Will be providing the children with a number of fun, challenge options which they can choose to complete at school or over the weekend.

Non-Uniform for Christmas Fair Items

In preparation for the Christmas fair, we will be holding non-uniform days to collect prizes. In return for wearing non-uniform, we would be grateful for donations of the following items:

Friday 21st November - bottles

Friday 28th November - Sweets/Chocolates

We would also be grateful for any donations of raffle prizes. If you, or anyone you know, would be able to help us, please get in touch with school. Many thanks.

Remembrance

Children from Year 1 - 6 will be visiting the cenotaph in Amble town centre at 11am on Tuesday 11th November. Poppies and other items are available to purchase in school.

PE Days - Autumn 2

Reception	Tues	Thurs
Year 1	Tues	Thurs
Year 2	Mon	Fri
Year 3	Mon	Fri
Year 4	Wed	Thurs
Year 5	Tues	Fri
Year 6	Mon	Wed

Packed lunches

A reminder that **no products containing nuts** should be included in children's packed lunches. Please check carefully that any items such as chocolate spread or cakes/pastries do not contain nuts. Additionally, we request that you do not send sweets or chocolates into school. Thank you for your support with this.

Reading Safari Challenge

During the last half term, we held our first reading challenge of the year. Children were asked to read three books set in nature or based on animals. All children who took part were entered into a prize draw and a child from each class won a new book. Below is the number of children who participated from each class. We will be holding further challenges across the year and would ask for your support in encouraging your child/ren to take part in these.

Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
7	7	5	4	0	2

Attendance

October attendance by year group:

Reception	97.72%	↓0.79%
Year 1	94.18%	↓2.16%
Year 2	96.52%	↓0.37%
Year 3	96.77%	↑0.91%
Year 4	96.44%	↓1.03%
Year 5	97.52%	↓0.10%
Year 6	96.81%	↑0.40%

Well done Years 3 and 6 for your improvements last month!

Respect Happiness Growth

Key Dates

November

- 11th Remembrance - visit to cenotaph
- 14th Children in Need Day - non-uniform
- 20th PTA Movie Night (details to follow)

December

- 2nd EYFS Drop in session 9am
- 4th Y1&2 Christmas Performance and drop in
PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF DATE
- 9th Y5&6 Christmas Performance and drop in
- 10th EYFS Christmas Performance
- 11th Y3&4 Christmas Performance and drop in
- 12th Christmas Fair
- 15th EYFS Christmas Party
- 16th Year 5 & 6 Christmas Party
- 17th Year 1 & 2 Christmas Party
- 18th Year 3 & 4 Christmas Party
- TBC Christmas Dinner Day
- 19th Last day of term

January

- 5th Staff Training Day
- 6th All children return to school

