



King's Court First School
A School for Children
Caring, Sharing and Learning Together
Winter/Spring Term Issue 2



Dear Parents and Carers,

We are delighted to share that the children have settled extremely well into the Spring Term. Their enthusiasm, positive attitudes, and growing confidence have been wonderful to see. Many children have made impressive progress in their reading, with several moving up phonics groups or even graduating from their keep-up groups. **Well, done to all of them for their hard work—and thank you for your continued support at home. It truly makes a difference.**

In Robin Class, we have also enjoyed welcoming our families into school for our Stay and Play sessions. The children have absolutely loved having you join them in their learning environment. Your involvement means so much to them and helps strengthen their sense of belonging and excitement about learning.

Ofsted Toolkit Parent Video Link.

In November 2025, Ofsted introduced their new report cards into schools. Please follow the link below to find out more about the report cards and how schools are now inspected by Ofsted.

[New Ofsted report cards and grades: a guide for parents - YouTube](#)

We are delighted to share a warm welcome to Mrs Payne, our new Learning Support Assistant. She will be working across the *Magic* and *Believe* classes. Mrs Payne brings a wealth of experience working with children and is deeply passionate about supporting their well-being and learning here at KC. Congratulations, and we look forward to officially welcoming her to the team.

Don't forget it is Coffee Morning Friday 30th January at 8.40am, we would love you to join us for a drink and a chance to chat to other parents.

Have a lovely weekend in the meantime,

With best wishes,

Mrs. Pye-Beraet
Headteacher

WHAT ARE THE CHILDREN LEARNING ABOUT THIS WEEK?

This week in Team Magic:

In Literacy, Robins have been learning about 'The Enormous Turnip' story. We have been exploring root vegetables, labelling the growing process, and learning about the important role of farmers in society as part of our work on people who help us.

In Math's, we have been focusing on finding 1 more and 1 less, exploring the different ways these can be represented using practical resources as part of consolidating our knowledge of numbers 0-5.

In Phonics, we have been improving our oral blending by reading green word cards, spotting our special friends, and practicing careful handwriting and correct letter formation.

Throughout our provision, the children have enjoyed using shapes to create pictures, getting immersed in our outdoor learning and developing their fine motor skills through fun activities such as Dough Disco. <https://www.kingscourtfirst.co.uk/early-years-optional-homework-zone/>

This week in Team Believe:

As writers, Squirrel class have been bringing our characters to life from our class story 'The Papaya that Spoke' by using adjectives and expanded noun phrases to describe them. We created actions to represent our characters when retelling the story. As Scientists, the children have been learning about materials and their uses while identifying the properties of the objects. In PE, both of the classes have been building resilience while working as a team to support each other.

As writers, Hedgehog class have been retelling the class story 'Monkey See, Monkey Do' through actions. This week, the children have been using adjectives to describe the characters. Next week we will begin writing the story. As Mathematicians, the children have been learning the value of the numbers 1 -20, through comparing and ordering numbers from greatest to smallest and vice versa. As Scientists, the children have been learning about materials through identifying the materials of different objects. <https://www.kingscourtfirst.co.uk/key-stage-1-optional-homework-zone/>

<https://kings-court-first-school.secure-primariesite.net/maths/>

This week in Team Inspire:

As writers, the Owls have enjoyed retelling the story of *Nail Soup*, focusing on identifying and applying the key features of narrative writing within their own work. In mathematics, the children have worked diligently to explore a range of methods for solving multiplication and division involving two-digit numbers. As scientists, the Owls have shown great enthusiasm for our topic on rocks, participating in an experiment to investigate their properties. In art, pupils have explored a variety of print-making materials and techniques, creating their first prints inspired by the work of William Morris using styrofoam relief printing.

As writers, Deer class have continued cementing their understanding of the different elements of 'Little Red Riding Hood', and this will continue to be our writing focus this term. The children have used drama and actions to retell the story, using the Pie Corbett's Talk for Writing Strategy. During this 'Imitation' stage the children have learnt the story off by heart, created their own story maps and finally explored vocabulary and language patterns. They shall be moving onto 'Innovation' stage in the coming week, where they will use their imagination to change the characters, setting and events to adapt the original story.

On the TTRS platform, the children have started to take part in the mock MTC-style check, called the Soundcheck. This will help build the children's resilience and confidence – for the upcoming test in June 2026. Using these results and the children's heat maps, we can focus on the areas where each child requires extra help. The children really have worked incredibly hard to remain focused and are certainly pushing themselves out of their comfort zones!

Owl and Deer Class: <https://www.kingscourtfirst.co.uk/key-stage-2-optional-homework-zone/>

Owl Class: <https://primariesite-prod-sorted.s3.amazonaws.com/kings-court-first-school/UploadedDocument/80202ba0-2b0c-4381-852f-373d01dbde95/multiplication-and-division-spring-term.pdf>

Children's Corner

During Monday's assembly, we enjoyed sharing *The Little Red Hen* story using Pie Corbett's storytelling approach. All children were encouraged to join in with the actions, and our older pupils were challenged to learn the story confidently so they can help lead and support the younger children.

We've shared the link below so you can enjoy the story together at home and let your child teach you the actions!

[Bing Videos](#)

We are excited to invite all parents and caregivers to a **Phonics and Reading Presentation** at our school- on **Thursday 12th February 2026: 9.00 am & 3.30 pm**

This session will give you a better understanding of how we teach phonics and reading in the classroom, the strategies we use, and simple ways you can support your child's reading development at home. There will also be time for questions and discussion.

Thank you. Mrs. Sharma

Calendar Dates

January	Burns Night
25	Sun 2026
February	NSPC Number Day - Mufti Day - Number Day is the NSPCC's mega maths fundraising event.
6	Fri 2026
February	Safer Internet Day
11	Wed 2026
February	Term Ends
13	Fri 2026
February	End of Half Term - Mufti Day
13	Fri 2026
February	Valentine's Day
14	Sat 2026

February	Shrove Tuesday (Pancake Day)	February	Ash Wednesday
17	Tue 2026	18	Wed 2026

February	Term Starts
23	Mon 2026
February	Coffee Morning 08:20 to 09:00
27	Fri 2026
March	St. David's Day
1	Sun 2026
March	World Book Day
5	Thu 2026
March	Science Week
9	Mon 2026
March	Parents Book Look 15:30 to 15:45
10	Tue 2026
March	Mother's Day
15	Sun 2026
March	Parent - Teachers Consultations
16	Mon 2026

Congratulations on The Top Table 15-1-26 – 22-1-26



Important Information



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Caring, Sharing and Learning Together

Lunchtime Controller

Term time only

Scale 2a, Spinal Point 1 - £21777 FTE

We are looking for a lunchtime controller to oversee and assist our children during lunchtimes and supervise indoor/outdoor play during the lunch period on a Monday to Friday 12pm to 1pm

You will play a key role in influencing our children's social skills, therefore it is essential you enjoy working with children, playing games with children, have a sense of humour and are able to follow school policies at all times.

For further details please contact our school office on 01753 866272 or email office@kingscourtfirfirstschool.co.uk

Please note that applications will be considered on receipt.

The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people, and expects all staff to share that commitment. Successful candidates will be subject to an enhanced DBS check and satisfactory references.

Friends of King's Court First School Update: Looking forward to the year ahead!

As ever, the success of our group and its fundraising efforts is driven by the pool of amazing volunteers who offer their time and support. If you would like to get involved (in any way!), please do join our WhatsApp group to find out more.



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The Stadium Roof Walk – a unique opportunity for families to walk all the way around the roof of **Twickenham Stadium**, taking in breath-taking panoramic views across West London.

The Home Changing Room Experience – a behind-the-scenes visit to the England changing rooms, where families can sit where their sporting heroes sit and even **meet a former England international legend.**

These headline experiences help make Family Traveller Live a truly memorable family day out, with the added bonus of exclusive holiday offers, competitions, and inspiration for parents planning their next trip. We would love to collaborate with your school community by sharing details of Family Traveller Live via newsletters, email campaigns, social media, or event listings. We're happy to provide ready-made copy, imagery, and an **exclusive 50% early-bird discount code (SCH50)** for your audience. Full event details can be found here: <https://live.familytraveller.com>

February Holiday Activities

Make a Viking Longship

18th Feb 2026
11am-12:30pm or 2pm-3:30pm
Cost: £4.50

Come along to the museum to find out more about longships and then make your own out of card - complete with a dragon's head on the front!
Age: 5-12. (5 year olds with an adult)

Roman Mosaics

19th Feb 2025
11am-12pm or 2-3pm
Cost: £4.50

Find out about Roman mosaic tiles and then make your own creation using stone mosaic pieces and grout.
Age: 5-12 (5 year olds with an adult)

BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL
<https://www.zeffy.com/en-GB/ticketing/half-term-holiday-activities>
Or by phone 01932 565764



www.chertseymuseum.org/events
Call 01932 565764 to book your place

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For All
The
Family

1st Saturday
of the month
1.30pm-3.30pm

Museum Makes

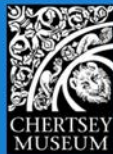
Join us for a fun family craft activity where imagination meets history in a hands-on experience for all ages!



FREE
DROP IN
SESSION

Chertsey Museum, 33 Windsor Street, Chertsey KT16 8AT
chertseymuseum.org

Runnymede
MUSEUM



back in 2026
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Kids Saturday



Sewing Circle

From buttons to back
stitch, blanket stitch to
daisy stitch - come along
and learn how to sew.

Learn a new stitch each
month and take home your
handsewn creations.

Suitable for ages 7 to 12
£4.00 per session
Advanced booking required

Book online at <https://www.zeffy.com/en-GB/ticketing/saturday-sewing-circle>

Chertsey Museum 33 Windsor Street Chertsey KT16 8AT
Tel 01932 565 764

11.15am
to
12.30pm

7 February
7 March
4 April

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Inspired by YouTube challenge culture, players get exclusive access to one hour of high-energy football games including crossbar challenges, top-bin shootouts, free kicks, freestyle tasks and more.

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Fun packed day of football.

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From 3pm to 5pm, children can enjoy indoor fun games, arts & crafts, and films after a brilliant day of football.

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= £4.50

£25
10% OFF
= £22.50

£35
10% OFF
= £31.50

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- BEGINNERS
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BOYS & GIRLS
AGED 4-13
ALL WELCOME

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FROM 8:30AM

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Thursday 6:00pm - 7:00pm	Thursday 7:00pm - 8.00pm
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MONDAY 16TH - FRIDAY 20TH FEBRUARY

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RUN THROW JUMP


We're excited to share our February Athletics Camps at Thames Valley Athletics Centre! This February we are running two camps!

TrackStart Camp –
Ages 5-13


Fun athletics activities for kids to learn, play, and develop skills! Sprints, long jump, javelin, shot put, high jump, discus, triple jump... and more.

The Next Level Performance Camp –
Ages 11-16

For young athletes ready to take it to the next level! Improve technique, get faster, and enjoy a range of track & field events all while having fun.

 Dates: 16th -20th February

 info@trackstart.co.uk

 www.trackstart.co.uk/athleticcamps

Thanks so much for helping us get kids moving this February!

Best wishes,

Sukarja