



Khalsa VA Primary School

NEWSLETTER

16th September 2024

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Parental engagement and volunteering

We are looking for new and exciting ways to get parents involved in school life. You have been sent a short survey which will help us to find out more about which of you are able to offer your time and expertise to help at your child's school.

If you have not done so already, please complete and return the survey by Friday 27th September.

Medical forms

If you have not yet completed and returned your child's medical form, please do so as soon as possible. If your child has a medical need that requires medication, please send this into the school office.

Parent information meetings

Our start-of-term information meetings start next week. At these meetings, you will be given the chance to meet the teacher and find out important information about the year group. Please attend if you can. All meetings start at 8.45am

Monday 23rd September – Year 6

Tuesday 24th September – Year 4

Wednesday 25th September – Year 5

Thursday 26th September – Year 2

Friday 27th September – Year 3

Monday 30th September – Year 1

EYFS meetings will take place at a later date.

PE

We would like to remind parents that PE is an important part of the school curriculum and it is not optional. Please ensure that your child has their full PE kit on their PE day. They must come to school in full school uniform and bring their kit to get changed into. If your child has a significant injury which prevents them from taking part, you must send a letter or email to school explaining this.

Promoting children's independence

It is important that all children are given the support they need to become confident and independent. Parents can help with this in the following ways:

- Involve children in packing their own bags and getting their uniform ready for the day
- Encourage children to carry their own bags
- Help children to learn how to dress themselves, including tying shoelaces and patkas
- Set a routine for homework – children should know when they can sit down to complete their homework every evening
- Expect children to feed themselves independently, including using a knife, fork and spoon.

If you need any support, please do let us know.

School Uniform

Please ensure that your child is dressed correctly every day, in the correct uniform. Please note the following:

- Only black or navy blue tights or full-length leggings
- Small stud earrings only
- Patkas must be worn every day
- Black, sensible shoes which cover the child's feet

Attached to this email is a reminder about shoes that are allowed as part of our school uniform.

Jeans for Genes Day – Friday 20th September

This Friday, we are raising money for this important charity. Children can wear jeans to school along with their normal uniform. Please bring a minimum £1 donation.

After-School Clubs

Attached to this email is a reminder of the after-school clubs that are available this term. There are still a few places left in some clubs so please log in to your School Money account to secure your child's place.



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Stickers for the Golden Rule of 'Caring and Sharing' for the week ending 13th September were awarded to the following children:

Year 6:

Guru Gobind Singh Ji – Ulveen Singh
Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji – Diljit Kukreja

Year 5:

Guru Harkrishan Sahib Ji – Parveer K. Dhaliwal
Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji – Harshdev Singh

Year 4:

Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji – Avnoor Kaur
Guru Arjan Dev Ji – Karanveer S. Tal

Year 3:

Guru Ram Das Ji – Sanaya K. Bajaj
Guru Amar Das Ji – Harsimran K. Sidhu

Year 2:

Guru Nanak Dev Ji – Kaaraj Singh
Guru Angad Dev Ji – Anmit S. Ahuja

Year 1:

Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji – Divleen Kaur
Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji – Thaariga Anantharasah

Reception:

Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji – Sarbat Kaur
Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji – Barkat K. Bajaj

The 'Golden Rule' for the week beginning 16th September is '**Working Hard.**'

Best Attendance for week beginning 9th September:

MINIMUM TARGET ATTENDANCE: 96%

Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji class	97%
Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji class	93%
Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji class	93%
Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji class	97%
Guru Nanak Dev Ji class	96%
Guru Angad Dev Ji class	88%
Guru Amar Das Ji class	95%
Guru Ram Das Ji class	96%
Guru Har Gobind Sahib Ji class	97%
Guru Arjan Dev Ji class	92%
Guru Har Krishan Sahib Ji class	92%
Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji class	91%
Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji class	98%
Guru Gobind Singh Ji class	97%

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Key dates for your diary

Week commencing 16th September	After School Clubs start
Friday 20th September	Jeans for Genes Day
Week commencing 23rd September	Year Group Parents' Information Meetings
Friday 27th September	Macmillan fundraising day
Friday 27th September	Ms. Halai's Class Assembly
Friday 4th October	Ms. Jassal's Class Assembly
Friday 11th October	Mrs. Samra's Class Assembly
Week commencing 14th October	Diversity Week

Hukums of Guru Gobind Singh Ji

Dharam di Kirat karni – Earn by honest means

Sat-Saroop Satgur da dhian dharna – Concentrate on the True Guru (God)