

Khalsa VA Primary School NEWSLETTER

31st March 2025

WAHEGURU JI KA KHALSA, WAHEGURU JI KE FATEH

Khalsa Values Badge - Learning

This week, we will be presenting our values badges to the recipients of this term's award for exemplifying our value: **Learning**. Please see the attached sheet for the full list of those pupils who will be receiving the reward. They will receive their badge in assembly this week and photos will be posted on Google Classroom. Well done to all of these pupils.

Achievement assembly

Well done to all the children who received an achievement certificate in assembly for outstanding achievement in the classroom and for excelling in all areas. Classes with high attendance received a trophy.



Sponsored Spelling Bee

We are excited to launch our 'Sponsored Spelling Bee' to promote spelling across the school. Each year group will learn and be tested on a set of words in class. Children can ask family and friends to sponsor them with a fixed amount or per correct spelling. The test takes place during the week beginning **Monday 21**st **April**, and all sponsorship money and forms are due by **Friday 25**th **April 2025**. Thank you for your support.

Headteacher - Ms. P. K. Sehmi

Reception Admissions 2025

If you have applied for a place in Reception for September 2025, you will find out the outcome on **16th April**. Please look out for the email from the Local Authority. If you have any questions, please contact the school office

Southall Nagar Kirtan - Sunday 6th April 2025

The Southall Nagar Kirtan will be taking place on Sunday 6th April. Please do your very best to attend.

Vaisakhi Events

Vaisakhi celebrations will take place on:

- Friday 25th April Activities in school and special lunch for pupils.
- Friday 2nd May Nishan Sahib Sewa led by Nursery and Reception pupils.

We would appreciate donations from parents to help fund the Vaisakhi events. If you would like to make a donation, please log into School Money to donate to school funds (the donation amount can be changed). Parents can also donate cash in the box at the school office. Thank you for your continued support.

Attendance

We would like to remind parents that all requests for term-time holidays will be denied and children's absences will be marked as unauthorised. Parents who take their child out of school without authorisation will be fined and referred to the Borough's Attendance Officers.

End of term

Friday 4th April is the last day of term and school finishes at the normal time. Pupils return to school on **Wednesday 23rd April**.

We wish all of our families a happy and safe holiday.

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This week in pictures

Year 4 trip to the Mandir

Year 4 visited the Mandir to learn about the Hindu faith and how it is practiced in Southall. The children were given an interesting insight into Hinduism and were able to ask questions regarding the deities (murthis). On the way there they passed by the Grand Union Canal, which tied in nicely with their History topic on 'our local area Southall'.





Year 3 Faith Assembly

Thank you to all of our families who joined us on Friday for the Year 3 Faith Assembly. It was an opportunity for parents and children to worship together in the school Darbar Sahib.









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EYFS - Muffins for Mums

Thank you nursery and reception parents for attending our 'Muffins for Mums' event. The children had a fantastic time engaging in the activities, and it was heart-warming to see their excitement and joy, and your presence truly made the day special.

















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Stickers for the Golden Rule of 'Caring and Sharing for the week ending 28th March were awarded to the following children:

Year 6:

Guru Gobind Singh Ji - Shraddha Kaur

Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji - Abhijot S. Sardar

Year 5:

Guru Harkrishan Sahib Ji - Tanveer S. Arora

Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji – Satkaar Singh

Year 4:

Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji – Kiranpreet Kaur

Guru Arjan Dev Ji - Prabnit S. Batra

Year 3:

Guru Ram Das Ji – Agamveer S. Samra

Guru Amar Das Ji – Gurpreet S. Jenna

Year 2:

Guru Nanak Dev Ji - Harserat Kaur

Guru Angad Dev Ji – Arjun S. Dhaliwal

Year 1:

Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji – Sargun K. Hans

Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji – Harley Kaur

Reception:

Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji – Japnoor K. Kubar

Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji – Aaronveer Singh

The 'Golden Rule' for the week beginning 31st March is 'Working hard.'

Best Attendance for week ending 28th March:

MINIMUM TARGET ATTENDANCE: 96%

Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji class	94%
Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji class	94%
Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji class	<mark>98%</mark>
Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji class	<mark>96%</mark>
Guru Nanak Dev Ji class	93%
Guru Angad Dev Ji class	<mark>96%</mark>
Guru Amar Das Ji class	98%
Guru Ram Das Ji class	99%
Guru Har Gobind Sahib Ji class	91%
Guru Arjan Dev Ji class	99%
Guru Har Krishan Sahib Ji class	97%
Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji class	97%
Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji class	95%
Guru Gobind Singh Ji class	94%



This week's Top 3 Participants:

- Sehaj S. Sagoo Reception
 - Jeevna K. Ahudja Year 2
- Kirat S. Sagoo Year 2

Key dates for your diary		
Thursday 3 rd April	Easter assembly	
Sunday 6 th April	Southall Nagar Kirtan	
7 th April to 21 st April	Easter break	
Wednesday 23 rd April	Pupils return to school	
Friday 25 th April	Vaisakhi activities and special lunch	
Friday 2 nd May	Nishan Sahib Sewa - led by Nursery and Reception children	

Thought of the week

Offer your prayers to your True Guru: He will resolve all your affairs.

Without devotional worship, Human life passes away in vain.



Khalsa VA Primary School – Values Badges Knowledge Harmony Ambition Learning Spirituality Achievement

Spring 2 Recipients: Learning

We are proud to announce that the following pupils have been awarded with a special badge for representing one of our values:

Year Group	Class	Name	Reason for nomination
Reception	Sahibzada Fateh Singh	Nirmeet Rajvansi	For showing exceptional learning behaviours at all times.
Reception	Sahibzada Fateh Singh	Manraj Singh	For verbalising and being able to explain his learning.
Reception	Sahibzada Zorawar Singh	Jehansh Manucha	For always trying his best and completing his home learning.
Reception	Sahibzada Zorawar Singh	Jasneet K. Batra	For excellent listening and learning behaviours at all times.
Year 1	Sahibzada Jujhar Singh	Jivek S. Taneja	For showing an increased level of independence towards his learning.
Year 1	Sahibzada Jujhar Singh	Avnoor Kaur	For always trying her best and positive attitude towards her learning.
Year 1	Sahibzada Ajit Singh	Tanmit Kaur	For always trying her best and positive attitude towards her learning.
Year 1	Sahibzada Ajit Singh	Aviraj Singh	For trying his best and dedication to his learning.
Year 2	Guru Angad Dev Ji	Arjun S. Dhaliwal	For being able to sustain learning across the curriculum.
Year 2	Guru Angad Dev Ji	Sargun Kaur	For being able to demonstrate exemplary learning behaviour across the curriculum.
Year 2	Guru Nanak Dev Ji	Kaaraj Singh	For achieving greater depth in all his assessments due to his persistent hard work.
Year 2	Guru Nanak Dev Ji	Hazel Gabba	For always being focused and completing learning to a high standard.
Year 3	Guru Ram Das Ji	Simarjeet S. Khalsa	For being able to sustain learning across the curriculum.
Year 3	Guru Ram Das Ji	Dhani K. Takhar	For verbalising and being able to explain her learning.
Year 3	Guru Amar Das Ji	Ekamjot S. Gill	For being able to sustain learning across the curriculum.
Year 3	Guru Amar Das Ji	Arshpreet K. Ghotra	For always trying her best and positive attitude towards her learning.
Year 4	Guru Arjan Dev Ji	Gurfateh Singh	For achieving improved results in his assessments due to maximum effort.
Year 4	Guru Arjan Dev Ji	Prince Ahuja	For his excellent learning behaviour and always working hard to achieve great results a true all rounder!
Year 4	Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji	Japleen K. Chopra	For excellent listening, for her great contributions and always completing her home reading
Year 4	Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji	Harshveer Singh	For achieving greater depth in all his assessments due to his excellent work ethic.
Year 5	Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji	Veer Singh	Veer consistently applies correct grammar in writing assessments, using accurate punctuation, sentence structure, and verb tenses to enhance clarity.
Year 5	Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji	Satkaar Singh	Satkaar actively supports peers in their studies and confidently explains his learning strategies, promoting a collaborative and effective learning environment
Year 5	Guru Har Krishan Sahib Ji	Parveer K. Dhaliwal	For her continuous effort in all subjects and producing high quality writing pieces.
Year 6	Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji	Damanjot S. Chawla	Damanjot works extremely hard and tries his best in all his learning at all times.
Year 6	Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji	Ikiara K. Bajaj	For demonstrating exemplary learning behaviours at all times, especially this term.
Year 6	Guru Gobind Singh Ji	Gurdev K. Nagpal	For an improvement in all her assessment results due to her focus and hard work this term.
Year 6	Guru Gobind Singh Ji	Jasnoor K. Bhatia	For achieving greater depth in all her assessments due to her excellent work ethic and extra learning she is completing at home.