



# Khalsa VA Primary School

# NEWSLETTER

11th March 2024

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## Vaisakhi Celebrations

We are excited to announce that our Vaisakhi celebrations will take place on Thursday 18th and Friday 19th April. Children from all year groups will take part in engaging activities and there will be a special lunch too. Parents will be invited to join us – please look out for details in future newsletters.

## Parental engagement – Maths

This week, our parents' information meeting is focused on Maths for KS2 parents. Please join us if you can.

**Wednesday 13th March at 8.45am – KS2 parents**

## International Women's Day

This year, we are marking International Women's Day with an exciting poster competition which is open to children across the school. See Google Classroom for full details.

## Support for parents with transition to secondary school for pupils in years 5 and 6

Please see the flyer attached to this email for details of a workshop offered by the Speech and Language service. This is an opportunity to receive specialist and practical support on how best to help your child with the transition from primary to secondary school.

## School Admissions

We have a few places available for immediate start in some year groups. If you know of any family or friends who are looking for a primary school place for their child, please ask them to contact the school office, giving details of the child's name and date of birth. [info@khalsa.ealing.sch.uk](mailto:info@khalsa.ealing.sch.uk)

## Individual parents' meetings

We will be holding parents' meetings during the week commencing 18th March. These will be held in school. Teachers' sign-up sheets will be on the hall doors at collection time, and at the school office at all other times. Please make sure that you sign up for a slot and attend on time. If you are late for your appointment, we may not be able to fit you in.

## Parents' information mornings

Thank you to all parents who have attended our parents' information meetings on Reading and Maths this term. They have been very well received by parents.

For the summer term, our meetings will focus on other aspects of teaching and learning, as well as pupils' emotional and social needs. If you have any comments or feedback about our programme of support for parents, please see Ms. Butler or contact the school office.

## British Values Assembly Theme – Democracy

In assembly last week, pupils learned about democracy, and how life at school is based on democratic principles. Parents can help by discussing this with their child, or watching this short video:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zyg2xbk/articles/z76gr2p#z3m88hv>



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**Certificates for the Golden Rule of 'Remembering God' for the week ending 8th March were awarded to the following children:**

**Year 6:**

Guru Gobind Singh Ji – Tavleen Kaur

Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji – Avneet K. Chana

**Year 5:**

Guru Harkrishan Sahib Ji – Ravmeet Ahudja

Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji – Agam S. Chopra

**Year 4:**

Guru Hargobind Sahib Ji – Tajman Singh

Guru Arjan Dev Ji – Kashmir S. Sidhu

**Year 3:**

Guru Ram Das Ji – Gursohbit Singh

Guru Amar Das Ji – Jagmanjot Singh

**Year 2:**

Guru Nanak Dev Ji – Manreet Kaur

Guru Angad Dev Ji – Arshpreet K. Ghotra

**Year 1:**

Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji – Jayveer S. Kataria

Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji – Parveena K. Hakimzadaa

**Reception:**

Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji – Ekamjot Kaur

Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji – Harleen Kaur

The 'Golden Rule' for the week beginning 11th March is 'Remembering God.'

**Best Attendance for week beginning 4th March:**

**MINIMUM TARGET ATTENDANCE: 96%**

Sahibzada Zorawar Singh Ji class	91%
Sahibzada Fateh Singh Ji class	92%
Sahibzada Ajit Singh Ji class	94%
Sahibzada Jujhar Singh Ji class	94%
Guru Nanak Dev Ji class	95%
Guru Angad Dev Ji class	95%
Guru Amar Das Ji class	94%
Guru Ram Das Ji class	92%
Guru Har Gobind Sahib Ji class	94%
Guru Arjan Dev Ji class	95%
Guru Har Krishan Sahib Ji class	95%
Guru Har Rai Sahib Ji class	96%
Guru Tegh Bahadur Sahib Ji class	97%
Guru Gobind Singh Ji class	95%

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Key dates for your diary	
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 2 Class Assembly – Mrs. Sangha
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> and Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	Parents' meetings – individual pupils (Will be held in school)
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March	Year 3 Faith Assembly - Year 3 parents are invited to join us in the Darbar Sahib
Week commencing 25 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter events in school, including movie afternoon, Easter Egg Hunt and Easter Egg Sale
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	Last Day of term for pupils
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> April – Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter Holidays
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> April	INSET day – Staff training (no school for pupils)
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> April	First day back for pupils
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> and Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> April	Vaisakhi celebration in school

### Thought of the week

**Your first thought in the morning should be "Thank You"**

**Be someone who makes someone else look forward to tomorrow.**