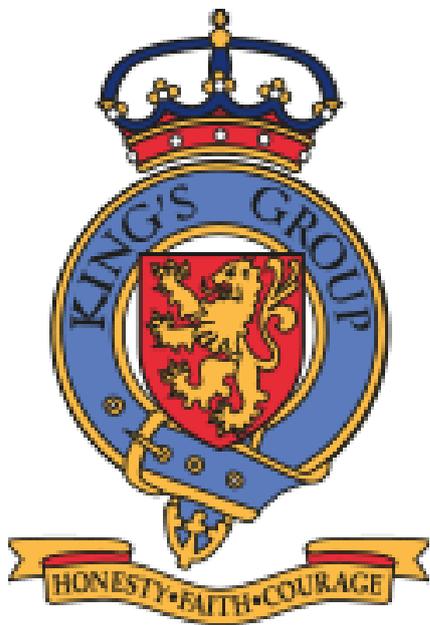


# KINGS ACADEMY BINFIELD & OAKWOOD PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

[Link to dates for the diary.](#)



## MESSAGE FROM MRS TATE

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been a wonderful week with lots of exciting activities across both our academies. Our primary students were delighted to see the snow this week, and it certainly added a bit of winter magic to their day! As the colder weather sets in, we'd like to remind everyone to please ensure your child comes to school dressed warmly with coats, hats, and gloves, and don't forget to label everything to avoid any mix-ups.

In other news, Year 5 students at both KAB and KAO took part in first aid training this week, learning valuable life skills. Year 6 also visited the secondary phase to begin working on their bird boxes as part of their design technology unit – a great way to combine creativity with nature!

It was lovely to welcome the KAO parents who participated in the Partnership for Inclusion and Neurodiversity in Schools (PINs) project. We are excited to welcome KAB parents on Monday, 25th November.

A further reminder for KAB parents to email the school office if you're interested in joining the new KAB PTA. Our Annual General Meeting will be held on Monday, 2nd December, at 5pm at KAB primary, and all parents and carers are welcome to attend.

Next week, Year 1 students will be heading off on their trips to Milestones Museum, which promises to be an exciting learning experience.

Wishing you all a happy and restful weekend ahead!

Warm regards,  
Jacqueline Tate  
Head of Primary  
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# KABKAO UPDATES

## CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY - THURSDAY 19TH DECEMBER



We are excited to announce that Thursday 19th December will be our Christmas Jumper Day, alongside our Christmas Dinner Day! On this day, students are invited to wear their festive jumpers in place of the usual jumper and blazer, while still adhering to the rest of the school uniform requirements.

In the spirit of giving, we will be collecting donations for Winston's Wish, a childhood bereavement charity, that provides support to students within our school community. Donations can be made online, and we encourage everyone to contribute generously to this worthy cause.

We look forward to seeing all the wonderful Christmas jumpers and thank you in advance for your support!

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## CHARLIE'S FABULOUS ACHIEVEMENTS



Well done to Charlie in Jade Class who completed stage 1 swimming and also has been invested in 1st Warfield Squirrels.

Nice work, Charlie!



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## SEND SERVICES SURVEY AUTUMN 2024



This is a message from Bracknell Parent Carer Forum, a group of parent carers who take your views of SEND services in Bracknell Forest (Health, Education and Social Care) to the service providers.

Our annual [SEND Services Survey](#) is now live, and we'd greatly appreciate your participation. The survey will close on 2nd December 2024.

We kindly ask that you:

- Complete the survey, even if you haven't accessed all services in the last 12 months.
- Submit a separate response for each child/young person with SEND in your family, as experiences can vary.

Your feedback helps us monitor service performance, compare with previous surveys, and advocate for necessary changes. It provides crucial evidence to demonstrate the impact of SEND Services on children and young people in Bracknell Forest.

[Bracknell Parent Carer Forum](#)

# DATES FOR THE DIARY

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<b>Wednesday 27th November</b>	KAO Year 1 Milestones Trip
<b>Thursday 28th November</b>	KAB Year 1 Milestones Trip
<b>Thursday 28th November</b>	Year 6 trip to KAB secondary
<b>Monday 2nd December</b>	KAO choir carolling at Astbury House - 1.30pm
<b>Wednesday 4th December</b>	KAB Primary Christmas Panto
<b>Thursday 5th December</b>	KAB Reception Christmas Showcase - 2.30pm
<b>Friday 6th December</b>	INSET Day
<b>Tuesday 10th December</b>	Nursery Christmas Sing Along - 10.45am
<b>Tuesday 10th December</b>	KAO Primary Christmas Panto
<b>Tuesday 10th December</b>	Nursery Christmas Sing Along - 2.45pm
<b>Wednesday 11th December</b>	KAB and KAO Christmas pyjama party - 5pm - 6pm
<b>Wednesday 11th December</b>	KAB choir carolling at St Clement House - 10am
<b>Monday 16th December</b>	KAO KS1/EY Christmas Show - 10.30am
<b>Monday 16th December</b>	KAO KS1/EY Christmas Show - 2pm
<b>Tuesday 17th December</b>	KAB KS1 Christmas Show - 10.30am
<b>Tuesday 17th December</b>	KAB KS1 Christmas Show - 2pm
<b>Tuesday 17th December</b>	KAO KS2 Christmas Show
<b>Wednesday 18th December</b>	KS2 Christmas Show - 6pm
<b>Thursday 19th December</b>	Christmas dinner and Christmas jumper day
<b>Friday 20th December</b>	End of term. Finish at 12.15pm
<b>Monday 6th January 2025</b>	Back to school. Start of new term