



# Kew Riverside Primary School Newsletter

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[A new logo for Kew Riverside Primary School](#)



These are certainly egg-citing times for Kew Riverside as we launch our new school logo competition! The logo chosen will serve as a representation of our school for many years to come so it is a huge responsibility to get it right - for this I need the children's help.

I urge the children to think about what is special about our school and its location next to the river and near Kew Gardens. We are the only school in Richmond to have 'Kew' in its name! Also, to consider our vision and ethos of an inclusive and nurturing high standard education for all as they design our new logo for the years ahead. Templates are available from class teachers and the deadline for entries is the 23rd April. I will use the winning design(s) to collaborate with graphic designers to create our new logo.

A big thank you to all the staff, pupils and parents for ensuring the return to school was a safe and happy one for all the children. Enjoy the break and look forward to seeing you all refreshed and ready for the Summer Term on Tuesday 20th April.

**REMEMBER 19th April is an INSET Day.**

**Have a lovely long weekend**

**Liz**

## Big Cat Ebooks

Whilst the children were completing remote learning, we purchased an e-book subscription to the Big Cat books. To make the most of this resource, we will allocate children all of the books, at the level they are currently reading at, for them to continue to read at home if they wish. Alongside this, the children will of course continue to bring home actual reading books each week (you can't beat the real thing!). Books will be changed twice a week after the holidays and children will be able to bring new books home on a Friday, returning these on a Monday, and again on a Tuesday, returning these on a Thursday. It is important that children re-read books to build fluency and comprehension, therefore please do keep books for longer if needed and return these in time for the next available book change day.

We are also excited to inform you that we have now started to use our wonderful school library again! The 'Book Jungle' slots have been timetabled in line with current COVID guidance and our school risk assessment. Children will be able to take home 2 books to enjoy - these can be returned to school in time for the children's next library slot.

The library slots for the next half term are as follows:

Lions - 5th May, 21st May

Rhino - 21st April, 7th May

Crocodiles - 23rd April, 10th May

Monkeys - 26th April, 12th May

Elephants - 28th April, 14th May

Zebras - 30th April, 17th May

Giraffes - 3rd May, 19th May

## SMSA - Vacancy

**We have a vacancy for a School Meals Supervisory Assistant**

**Fixed-Term Contract until July 2021 (to be reviewed)**

**7.5 hours per week (12.15-1.45 Monday to Friday)**

**39 weeks per year**

**To start as soon as possible**

**Please find further details here:**

<https://www.eteach.com/job/school-meals-supervisory-assistant-1142533?lang=en-GB&frmsrh=Y>

## Summer Term Dinner Money

### **Summer Term**

1st half term : £68.15

2nd half term: £79.99

Total: £148.14

**Invoices for Spring 2 have been sent out, please can the outstanding invoices be paid before Summer Term.**

## PTA - Good Friday Easter Trail



Kew Riverside Primary School's

### EASTER TRAIL

A trail around Kew looking for clues to  
an Easter phrase  
Bring completed sentence to the school  
field for a prize from our Easter Bunny!

To book, email your child's name to  
[kewriversidepta@gmail.com](mailto:kewriversidepta@gmail.com)

You'll be sent a link to make payment  
with a trail map and clues

£3 per child   Fri 2nd April   2-4pm

Please ensure you social distance from pupils/families in different 'bubbles' to you and are in groups no larger than 6 or two households.

### Covid-19 Track and Trace

As we near the Easter break it is vital that you notify us should your child develop symptoms up until the morning of Sunday 4th April. Please email:

[estrong@kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk](mailto:estrong@kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk)

[nellwebb@kewriverside.richmond.primary.sch.uk](mailto:nellwebb@kewriverside.richmond.primary.sch.uk)

### Facebook and Twitter

Kew Riverside has an exciting new Facebook Page, please follow, like and share to see what your children have been up to

<https://www.facebook.com/kewriversideprimaryschool>

If you are not already following our official school Twitter account then please do so. We aim to bring you photos of your wonderful children and fabulous examples of their work at school on an (almost) daily basis.

<https://twitter.com/kewriversideps?lang=en>

Here comes the sun! (We hope)



As the hot summer days of the summer term approach please ensure your child brings a hat to school for playtimes and lunchtimes and applies sunscreen in the mornings before leaving home. Sunglasses should not be worn unless accompanied by a note from a Doctor.

Term Dates

**Summer term 2021**

**INSET Day - Mon 19 April - School Closed**

**School starts - Tues 20 April 2021 - Friday 28th May 2021 (Mon 3rd May BANK HOLIDAY)**

**Half term - Mon 31 May 2021 - Fri 4 June 2021**

**INSET Day - Mon 7 June 2021 - School Closed**

**School starts - Tues 8 June 2021 - Friday 23 July 2021 - 2pm Finish**

**Summer Holidays - Mon 26th July 2021 - Tues 31 Aug 2021**

## Safeguarding

A reminder that if you have any safeguarding concerns about a child, please contact the school's DSL and refer to the school's Safeguarding and Child Protection Policy (on the school website). If you feel a child may be in danger, you may contact the SPA directly on the number below or the police directly.

Key contacts:

Designated Safeguarding Leads (DSL) Liz Strong 0208 487 8437  
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[nellwebb@kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk](mailto:nellwebb@kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk)

Designated Teacher for Looked After Children (LAC) and Post-LAC Nell Webb 0208 487 8437  
[nellwebb@kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk](mailto:nellwebb@kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk)

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) Rachel Roberts 0208 487 8437  
[rachelroberts@kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk](mailto:rachelroberts@kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk)

Safeguarding Governor(s) Denise Long Peter King Patrick Neave 0208 487 8437  
[governors@kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk](mailto:governors@kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk)

Chair of Governors Stephen Hyams 0208 487 8437 [governors@kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk](mailto:governors@kewriverside.richmond.sch.uk)

Single Point of Access (SPA): 020 8547 5008 Out of Hours: 020 8770 5000

Local Authority Designated Officer (LADO): 020 8891 7370 / 07774 332675  
[lado@achievingforchildren.org.uk](mailto:lado@achievingforchildren.org.uk)