

Welcome to Kingsbury Episcopi PTA



All parents and carers at KEPS are automatically members now that your child has enrolled in the school. It's your association.

What is the PTA?

The Parent Teacher Association is an open community of parent volunteers working alongside the school/teachers/and other “friends” to benefit the school and ensure the best educational experience for all its pupils.

The PTA is a small charity that is independent from the school.



How does the PTA benefit the school?

Parents and care givers have a big impact on how well their kids do at school. Taking an active role in your PTA is one of the ways you can make a difference and get involved:

- We raise money to fund school initiatives through activities and events
- We provide a social support network for parents
- We provide a forum for parents to have a say
- We provide volunteers and opportunities so that parents can support their child's learning.



“How can my skills be useful?”

Although a warm welcome is great, there's more to PTA activities than home baking and serving tea:

- *Any* parent can be a member, and *every* parent has skills to bring, from graphic design to gardening; from events management to balancing the books; and from wrapping up lucky dip gifts to handing out flyers!
- Could you help?
- What skills do you have that we may need?



“How much time can I commit?”

- Some of our most active mums and dads work full-time, or have other commitments
- If your child has younger siblings, the PTA is a great way to familiarise them with their future school
- We all have lives away from school, and it's OK to say “no”
- Examples of how you can commit, either at an event or behind the scenes, include:
 - sort secondhand uniform
 - promote easyfundraising
 - help with particular event discos, cake sales, June Fair.



Doing things properly

Our PTA is one of nearly 14,000 members of Parentkind. Being a member provides us with advice and support, ensuring:

- we run our PTA well according to good practice
- our events are properly insured, legal and safe
- Visit parentkind.org.uk and subscribe for all the latest updates.
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- Parent page: facebook.com/Parentkind.org.uk/
- PTA page: facebook.com/PTAExpertbyParentkind/
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- Class Whatsapp groups
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Your class reps are:

- Beech class: Sarah Attley
- Willow: Emma Lewis
- Ash/Elm: Claire Kelly
- Oak: Ginine Herridge