

EYE CE PRIMARY SCHOOL



NEWSLETTER



07.02.25

GROW AWARD

We are delighted to have shared in some more outstanding examples of our GROW standards this week from the children who received the GROWTH award, chosen by their teachers. It was great to celebrate together and share in these as a school. Well done to all GROWTH award winners.



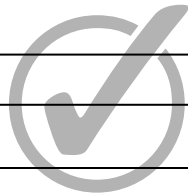
EYFS and Key Stage 1 GROWth award winners: Sophia, Harrison, Fausta, Saachi, Gracie, Johnny-Lee and Kristela



Key Stage 2 GROWth award winners: Anthony, Johnny, Lorin, Penny, Kayla, Isabella, Lily and Elija

ATTENDANCE (%)
W/C: 27/01/25 TO 31/01/25
WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE IS 94.80%

Badgers	97.00%
Squirrels	92.76%
Chimps	95.00%
Hedgehogs	92.76%
Dolphins	97.19%
Foxes	99.33%
Giraffes	89.35%
Jaguars	92.58%
Koalas	95.71%
Lemurs	90.50%
Meerkats	95.94%
Sharks	99.00%
Tigers	91.79%
Wombats	95.00%
Zebras	93.67%



Donations Appreciated: We are in need of some kind donations of board games that would be suitable for our upcoming EYFS board game club. If you have any that are no longer needed, please consider donating them to school. We also needs some socks suitable for EYFS.

UPCOMING KEY DATES

February

7th- Pyjama day to celebrate National Storytelling Week

12th- Difference and Diversity Workshops- Yrs 1, 2 and 3

13th- ESA Discos (see the flyer on page 4 for details)

14th- Children's last day of half term

17th-21st- Half term holiday

March

WB 3rd- Spring Term TLC Week

7th- World Book Day celebrations in school including author visit.

11th and 12th- APDR Meeting afternoons

April

1st- Rocksteady Concert to parents

3rd- Rocksteady Concert to parents



NATIONAL STORY TELLING WEEK

We have had a great time in school this week celebrating National Storytelling Week. On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the children finished each day by enjoying a story shared with them by Miss Scane, Mrs Jackson and Mr Gough. The children had to guess who they thought their storyteller would be from some clues about the teacher! On Thursday, the teachers all did a class swap for our end of the day story time and children enjoyed hearing a different teacher's favourite story. On Friday, we've had a very cosy day dressed in our pyjamas and spending time in the hall sharing stories with a different class. It has been wonderful to see the children enjoying a range of stories and interacting together to share their enthusiasm for the books. Here are some photos from across school.





GROWING BEYOND SCHOOL



Well done to Eden and Elise who fought in the ICO Combat Martial Arts Championships at the weekend. Eden won a silver medal and Elise won 2 gold and 2 silver medals. These are incredible achievements. We love to see pictures of you wearing your medals with pride. Amazing work, Eden and Elise!

NEWS FROM THE FOREST

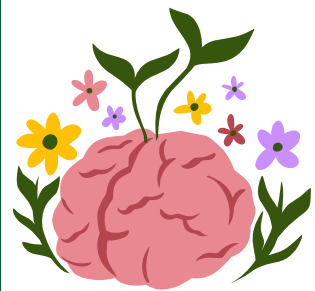
This week, in the forest, we have recognised National Children's Mental Health Week by thinking about our own mental health. We have been practising breathing techniques, doing mindful meditation and learning yoga poses. We chatted about our feelings and how sometimes just because someone smiles, it doesn't always mean they're happy. We thought about being mindful of others' emotions and checking in on our friends.

We also talked about our wonderful forest school and how it contributes to a positive mental health. The children reflected on their feelings while in forest school and came up with lots of great vocabulary like excitement, chilled, happy, 'happy heart' and 'brave belly'. It was great to hear such positive feedback. Getting outdoors and being in the fresh air can have such a positive impact on our mental health. We definitely recommend it here at forest school! It only takes a minute to start a conversation which can change your child's mental health for the day.



This week, at Cubs, Patrick got promoted to seconder. Patrick was chosen for his leadership skills and being a role model for the rest of the group. Patrick will now have extra responsibilities such as helping new members settle in,

taking charge of games or activities and promoting positive behaviour. What a superstar, Patrick! Well done!



Poppy took part in her musical theatre talent show on Saturday, singing Castle on a Cloud from Les Misérables. She came in 3rd place after a close result. We've heard it was an excellent performance. Well done, Poppy!





PRE-SCHOOL NEWS

Caterpillars Class

This week we have been learning all about The Three Little Pigs. We have been recalling the story in the garden, making masks and building small and large scale houses for the pigs to protect them from the wolf. This week has also been National Story Telling Week so we have been sharing even more stories including watching some videos of stories told by some of the teachers in school. Miss Stafford even visited preschool to read us a story. Today, we joined in with Pyjama day and brought some of our favourite books and teddies from home to share and in the afternoon we visited the school to share stories with the children and teachers in year 4.



Butterflies Class

As part of our celebrations on National Storytelling Week, this week in Butterflies we have been focusing on the story 'Monkey Puzzle' where we have been looking closely at each of the animals featured in the book. The children have learnt lots of exciting new facts. They have engaged in a wide range of animal related activities to practise lots of new skills. They created paper plate snakes, which introduced the term 'spiral' and they practiced using the creative technique of concertina whilst creating a 3D monkey. The children have been developing their fine motor skills whilst creating their very own spider webs, and they have engaged in parachute play whilst developing their mathematical awareness during songs. The children have particularly enjoyed watching the elephants live via a webcam at the zoo. They were also extremely excited to come to Preschool in their pyjamas today and to conclude their week by reading lots of lovely stories with the big children at school.

SPORTING ACHIEVEMENTS

Congratulations to the year 3 and 4 Cross Country team who successfully defended the school's championship title after winning the competition for the second year running.

The girls, Elise, Arabella, Matilda, Hollie and Zoe, all finished in the top 6 of over 50 girls with Elise winning the race. The boys, Reuben, Cole, Dylan, Harrison and Noah, also went on to win their race with 3 in the top 10 and the next 2 not far behind giving Eye Primary school the overall win.

We're extremely proud of the dedication and commitment shown by these children as they train regularly at lunchtimes to build up their stamina in cross country running. Their hard work and dedication has truly paid off. Thank you, also, to Mr Taylor, who works extremely hard in training and supporting our cross country runners.



TERMLY LEARNING CONFERENCES

We hope that you will have all received a letter regarding our Spring term TLCs, this week. Please look out for the link to book your appointment with your child's class teacher that will have been sent to you via email. Thank you to those parents who have already booked their appointment. If you have any questions, or need support with booking your appointment online, please speak to your child's teacher or contact the school office. We look forward to sharing more of your child's learning journey with you next month.



NOTICES

EYE C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL
HOLIDAY CLUB
 17th-21st February

SPORTS
CRAFTS
SWIMMING
GAMES

Email
wranarou@eye.peterborough.sch.uk

ESA Presents
DISCO TIME!

THURSDAY 13TH FEBRUARY 2025
£3 per child
INCLUDING:

DRINK	NON-UNIFORM DAY	SNACK
Reception; 2.15pm - 3pm	Year 1 & 2; 3.15pm - 4.15pm	Year 3 & 4; 4.30pm - 5.30pm
Year 5 & 6; 5.45pm - 6.45pm		

Scan the QR Code or visit
www.pta-events.co.uk/esaeye
 Book your tickets by
 12th February 2025

Scan me to book

esa.eyepriamary@yahoo.co.uk

EYE COMMUNITY BABY AND TOTS

Every Friday morning (term-time only)
 9:45am-11:30am

£3.00 per child additional children £1.00 each

healthy snacks are provided for the children, tea and coffee are available for parents/carers

Manor Farm Community centre , 70 High Street, Eye, Peterborough, PE6 7UY

Supported by your Local Coop

The Sandringham Estate Family Forest School
February Half Term

Dens	Tuesday 18th	
Crafts	Wednesday 19th	Meet ups
Fire	Thursday 20th	Friendships
Games	10.30am-12pm	Play Dates
Mud... and more		Investigate
		Activate

Forest School Site (Entrance opposite the west carpark)
 £10 per child adults free.
 Booking essential.
 Suitable for all ages.
 Children must be accompanied by an adult.

<https://sandringhamestate.co.uk/events/february-half-term>