

EYE CE PRIMARY SCHOOL



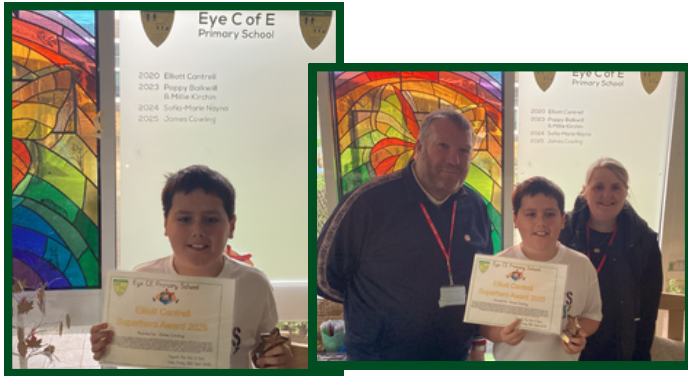
NEWSLETTER



25.04.25

SUPERHERO AWARD

With only a three day week to start our Summer term, it's certainly been packed full of exciting events. Today, we celebrated our superhero James C who was chosen from our Year 6 cohort to receive the Elliott Cantrell Superhero award this year. James was selected for his superhero qualities. A big well done to James.

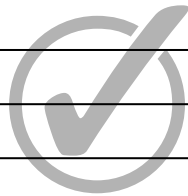


The wonderful Elliott would have been in Year 6 this year so it is a significant Superhero Day for our Year 6s. They marked this with an additional time of remembrance and reflection after our collective worship. The year 6s gathered on the field to think of Elliott and give thanks for all he was to them. Along with Mr and Mrs Cantrell, they released a balloon for Elliott on their last Superhero day together as a year group. We continue to give thanks for Elliott's life and the influence he had on so many.



ATTENDANCE (%)
W/C: 31/03/25 TO 04/04/25
WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE IS 92.1%

Badgers	89.33%
Squirrels	88.67%
Chimps	95.05%
Hedgehogs	83%
Dolphins	90%
Foxes	83.33%
Giraffes	89.68%
Jaguars	93.55%
Koalas	97%
Lemurs	89%
Meerkats	89.69%
Sharks	95.00%
Tigers	95.71%
Wombats	96%
Zebras	97.67%



UPCOMING KEY DATES

April

25th- Superhero Day to raise money for Elliott's Army

28th- Year 4 Trip to Think Tank Museum

May

2nd- EYFS and Year 6 Class Photos

5th- May Day Bank Holiday

7th- EYFS trip to Johnsons of Old Hurst

WB 12th- Year 6 SATS week

21st- National Numeracy Day- more details to follow

21st- EYFS New Parents (2025-2026) Open Evening

WB 26th- Half Term Week

June

6th- Pentecost Church Service at St Matthew's

WB 9th- Year 1 Phonics Screening Checks

WB 9th- Year 4 Multiplication Tables Checks

24th- Sports Day (KS1- am, KS2- pm)

July

1st- Reserve Sports Day (KS1- am, KS2- pm)

2nd- Transition Day to new classes



GROWING BEYOND SCHOOL



A great achievement for Amelia over the Easter holidays as she climbed Snowdon on Easter Sunday with her family. Well done for managing the 14km hike. Super job!



We are so pleased to hear about Joshua serving the Lent lunch at St Matthew's over the Easter holiday. What a brilliant act of service to the community! A wonderful example of our GROW standards and Christian values in action. Well done, Joshua!



SOCIAL ACTION AT MAYORAL ASSEMBLY

On Thursday evening, the social action team attended the Peterborough Citizens Mayoral Assembly at Peterborough College. They were able to hear from the candidates for Mayor for Cambridgeshire and Peterborough and presented to them about their work on the housing and homelessness campaign. We hope that the successful candidate for Mayor will work with us to improve the housing situation in Peterborough. The children all did an excellent job of speaking to the large audience and sharing a poem that they had written:

We NEED clean accommodation,
We've got mould and dirt.

We NEED more than one room,
We've got a small hotel room.

We've NEED clean clothes,
We've got a bedroom without a washing machine.

We NEED a nutritious dinner,
We've got take away food.

We NEED a place to stay,
We've got an old tent.

We NEED some help
Please give us someone to trust.

CHOIR AT PETERBOROUGH COLLEGE



Our school choir took part in the Peterborough Citizens Mayoral Assembly on Thursday evening. They performed two songs: 'The Best I Can Be' and 'A Million Brilliant Things'. They sang beautifully and the audience thoroughly enjoyed their contribution to the evening.





PRESCHOOL NEWS

Caterpillars Class

This week we have celebrated St George's day by making shields and decorating them. We discussed what St George did and why this day takes place.

We also continued this theme into discussing Superheroes and creating our own masks and extend our play into the garden. Our super heroes helped us water the plants, tidy the garden and ensure their peers were playing safely! This really encouraged the children to think of roles and responsibilities they could have amongst the class and create their own imaginative names. Well done to all the Caterpillar superheroes this week!



COMMITMENT TO ANTIRACISM

At Eye Primary School, we are proud to celebrate the uniqueness of every child and family in our community. We are committed to creating a safe, inclusive environment where everyone is treated with kindness, fairness, and respect—no matter their race, culture, or background. As part of our ongoing work to be an actively antiracist school, we teach our pupils about empathy, understanding, and standing up against unfairness. We encourage children to value diversity and speak up when something isn't right. We want, together with families and staff, to be building a community where everyone belongs. We value your support with this.



PRESCHOOL NEWS

Butterflies Class

It has been fantastic welcoming back all the children and their families this week and hearing all about their half term adventures. On Wednesday, the Butterflies celebrated St George's Day where they learnt about St George and the Dragon. They used their imaginations whilst using lollipop stick puppets and a castle to reenact the story, and they took part in a range of creative experiences where they made flags, swords and even their very own shields. The children have also been taking part in Superhero Day today in memory of the wonderful Elliott Cantrell. Throughout the day, the class have been thinking about what their desired superpowers might be, and they discussed how they would use them. The children have been busy taking part in a 'superhero training' exercise this afternoon, and they also completed their very own superhero missions, which consisted of following maps to rescue a range of toys which had been hidden around the garden.



ELLIOTT'S ARMY

Thank you for all of your donations on our Superhero Day today. We will share the total amount raised in next week's newsletter.





NEWS FROM THE FOREST

We were so excited to welcome new classes back into the forest this week! The children quickly noticed how much the trees and surroundings have grown and flourished since their last visit — a living reminder of nature's magic.

It's been wonderful seeing their confidence soar as they embraced risky play — climbing trees, flying down the zip wire, and exploring their physical limits with joy and courage. Creativity has been flowing too! Whether painting on logs or paper, or shaping clay sculptures from natural materials, the children have used the forest as both a canvas and an inspiration.

It's great to think the forest is not just a place to play but it's also a place to grow.



SAILING AT NENE PARK

The summer term has arrived and on Thursday afternoon we were able to take a group of children to take up the opportunity to go sailing at Nene Park, Ferry Meadows.



ROCKSTEADY CONCERT

Having performed to their parents and relatives at the end of last term, the Rocksteady bands performed to the whole school on Thursday morning. The children did a great job of remembering the songs and the school enjoyed rocking out to each of the nine bands' performances. A great display of musical talent.

