

EYE C E PRIMARY SCHOOL



NEWSLETTER



11.07.25

GROWTH AWARD

As we head towards the end of the school year, we've continued to celebrate the wonderful achievements of the children at Eye C of E Primary school. As always we had some excellent examples of those who have been showcasing our GROW standards. this week.



KS1 Award Winners: Isabella, Mikey, Esmail, Roman Isla, Samuel, Annika, Taliyah and Millie



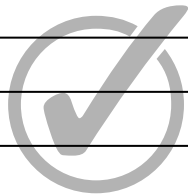
KS2 Award Winners: Olivia, Sienna, Elijah, Ella, Alfie, and Edward

/ATTENDANCE (%)

W/C: 30/06/2025-04/07/2025

WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE IS 96.84%

Badgers	99.33%
Squirrels	98.00%
Chimps	100.00%
Hedgehogs	96.00%
Dolphins	99.69%
Foxes	98.00%
Giraffes	97.42%
Jaguars	93.55%
Koalas	98.00%
Lemurs	100%
Meerkats	90.63%
Sharks	96.43%
Tigers	97.50%
Wombats	93.67%
Zebras	97.33%



UPCOMING KEY DATES

July

14th- Year 6 Performance- 2pm

15th-Year 6 Performance- 6pm

16th- ESA Summer Party

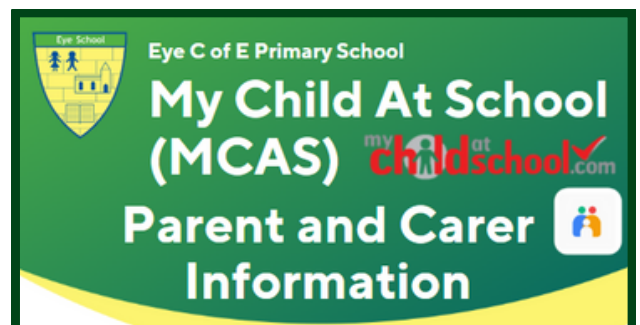
17th- Rocksteady Concert to Parents

22nd- Children's last day in school before summer holidays

September

1st & 2nd - Staff Training Days

3rd- Children's first day back at school



Please ensure that you have read the information sent out to parents and carers this week regarding the 'My Child at School' app that you will need to have ready for September.



GROWING BEYOND SCHOOL



Poppy performed in her show 'Joseph and his Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat' on Saturday. She sang a beautiful solo and a duet and did a fantastic job! Well done, Poppy, this sounds wonderful!



Elisabeth competed in the Eastern Regional gymnastics competition in Ipswich last Sunday. She did her routines so confidently in such a big event and her family are very proud of her! We are too, Elisabeth! A big well done!



Bryanna & Tayah took part in the Thorney girls tournament and their team won! Not only that but Tayah was invited to play for the day by Bryanna's team coach, the u11's, Tayah usually plays for ug's so she was the youngest on pitch by far. Well done to both of you!

SUMMER PARTY PENDING

The ESA summer party takes place this Wednesday! See the poster below for further details. Please note the arrangements for dropping off and collecting your child:

Summer party pick up and drop off points

EYFS and Year 1- Classrooms as normal
Year 2 - Pick up at Chimps door
Year 3- Pick up on the school field.
Year 4, 5 and 6 - Drop off and pick up on the school field.

Please wait patiently for your child to be registered and released by a member of staff.

Summer Party
Hosted by the
ESA
Service • Community • Charities • Cooperation • Peace • Thankfulness

£5
Per ticket

Including
non-uniform
day for all
students

EYFS & Year 1;
1.45pm - 3.15pm

Year 2 & 3;
3.30pm - 5pm

Years 4, 5 & 6;
5.15pm - 7pm

WITH
★ Inflatables ★ Disco
★ Tattoos & Glitter Tattoos
★ Face Painting ★ Games
★ Drink & Snack

16th July 2025
Eye C of E Primary School

Scan to book
your childs
ticket online
Or visit
pta events/summer-party





PRESCHOOL NEWS

Caterpillars Class

The children experimented with floating and sinking this week. We tested which objects stay on top of the water and which ones drop to the bottom. We added bubbles and colours to our water trays and even made colourful cornflour. They also practised pouring and measuring, noticing the different amounts of water and how containers can look full or empty even if they hold the same amount. We extended this by creating our own lemonade stand. The children enjoyed mixing, pouring, and serving refreshing cups of homemade lemonade to their friends and teachers. As part of the experience, we introduced the concept of money - what it is, what it's used for, and how it helps us get the things we need or want. The children practiced giving and receiving coins. It was a great way to explore the value of coins, counting, and turn-taking.



Eye C of E Preschool

Now accepting applications
for September 2025!

Contact us to arrange a tour!

Email: preschool@eye.peterborough.sch.uk

Phone: 01733 222314

PRESCHOOL NEWS

Butterflies Class

This week in Butterflies, we've been embracing the sunshine with a fun-filled focus on all things summer! The children have taken part in thoughtful discussions on how to stay healthy during the warmer months, and they've been learning how to keep safe in different summer settings – from the seaside and swimming pools to being around barbecues. The children have been practising their rhyming abilities this week while playing an ice cream-themed rhyming game, and they have also been working on grouping objects according to their initial letter sounds. While mark making, the children learned about postcards and had the opportunity to write their own to someone special. They've been creative with cutting and sticking, combining shapes to make some excellent sandcastle pictures. They've also been practising their classifying skills by sorting shells into groups based on their shared properties.

It has been a wonderful week with lots of sand, water, and outdoor fun, and we're excited to continue exploring our summer theme next week, with even more creative and engaging activities in store!





NEWS FROM THE FOREST

This week, we focused on revisiting the Forest School rules. The children have been learning and demonstrating a strong understanding of these important guidelines, which help us stay safe, respectful, and responsible as we explore the forest environment.

One of our key sayings is: "No Pick, No Lick, No Sick!"

🌿 We don't pick our forest.

👄 We don't lick our fingers or put anything in our mouths.

😊 Then we don't get sick!

We also talked about the importance of always wearing full clothing and a change of shoes to protect ourselves from ticks and bugs, and to avoid bringing any unwanted mess (like faeces) back into the classroom.

The children showed great awareness around tree-climbing safety, remembering to always:

- Tell an adult before climbing.
- Only climb on strong, chunky branches.

We discussed fire safety too especially the importance of not running near the fire pit.

The children have shown a fantastic understanding of how to keep themselves and each other safe while enjoying all that Forest School has to offer.



YEAR 5 CATHEDRAL TRIP

On Monday, Year 5 visited Peterborough Cathedral to deepen their understanding of Christian beliefs around salvation, sacrifice, and the significance of the Eucharist. Throughout the visit, the children showed great respect and enthusiasm, representing our school brilliantly. It was a meaningful and memorable day of learning and reflection. A big thank you to St Matthew's church who fund the entrance to the cathedral and make this trip possible each year for our year 5s.



STAFF ROCK THE STAGE!

On Thursday, we enjoyed a Rocksteady concert where we celebrated the excellent performances by each of the 10 rock bands in school. They will be performing to parents this coming Thursday (17th). In addition to this, we had an extra treat in the debut performance of our staff rock band! A huge well done to singers, Mr Johnson and Ms Sargeant, guitarist, Mr Dickinson, drummers, Miss Marriott and Miss Stafford and keyboard players, Miss Howsam and Miss Canham. They performed 'Living on a Prayer' as if they were performing at Glastonbury and it was thoroughly enjoyed by pupils and staff! We're very proud of all our rock bands!





NOTICES

THE READING AGENCY Summer Reading Challenge

Story Garden

Looking for ways to keep your children reading through the summer holidays?

The Summer Reading Challenge 2025 at Peterborough Libraries!

The Reading Agency have teamed up with award-winning illustrator Dapo Adeola to inspire children to explore the magical connection between storytelling and nature.

From Saturday 5th July, children can join the Summer Reading Challenge for free at their local library and collect a Story Garden sticker booklet and stickers by reading library books over the summer holidays.

Read six or more library books to earn a certificate and a special Story Garden bookmark.

Visit your local library from Saturday 5th July to join the fun for free!

Peterborough Libraries & Archives

Story Garden illustrations by Dapo Adeola and © The Reading Agency 2025

To launch the Summer Reading challenge in Woodston a special event will be held by the Friends of Woodston Library with local author Katie Rose who will be reading from her children's book 'The Monster Story' on Saturday 5 July 2.30pm to 3.30pm.

This will be followed by:

- Thursday 14 August, 2.30pm - Adventures of the Imagination - inspired by 'Stanley's Stick'
- Thursday 21 August, 2.30pm - Magical Lands and Creatures - inspired by 'The Magic Faraway Tree'
- Thursday 28 August, 2.30pm - Dragon Adventures - inspired by 'How to Train Your Dragon'

Places are limited, so advance booking is recommended online at eventbrite.co.uk and search the event title. Help with booking will also be available at Woodston library during staffed hours. Children must be accompanied by an adult. The activities will last around an hour.

There will be a further two events hosted by the Library service on:

- Saturday 2 August, 2.30pm - Rapunzel - a special story time and colouring. This event is free.
- Thursday 7 August, 2.30pm - Summer Nature Crafts - explore crafts and activities inspired by nature and the environment, including junk modelling and seed planting. This event costs £1 per child.

Booking in advance for Rapunzel and Summer Nature Crafts is recommended at any Peterborough Library or email reading@peterboroughlimited.co.uk

All events will take place at Woodston Library, Orchard Street, Peterborough PE2 9AL

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EYE SUMMER FESTIVAL

Saturday 12th July

1pm - 8pm
 Lindisfarne Recreation Ground

Live Music
Bar & BBQ
Bouncy Castle
Raffle

FREE ENTRY

Thank you to all our local sponsors

daltonseeds *EDWARD STUART* *PIONEER* *Central coop*

Music Line up

- 1pm Zumba with Michelle
- 1.30pm Midnight Hoboes
- 2.30pm Rock Choir
- 3.10pm Eye2Eye
- 4pm James Edmunds
- 4.50pm Gabriella Pineda-Rodrigues
- 5.35pm Steve Strawhead
- 6.20pm Gman
- 7pm Sandra Morris
Free Soul Sista

Timings of performers are subject to change.
 Bring a picnic blanket, garden chairs and enjoy the day!!
FREE ENTRY
 No glass or alcohol to be brought on site