Eye C of E Primary School

FRIDAY 6TH NOVEMBER

NEWSLETTER

Learning and Growing Together for Life in All its Fullness

"I came to give life, life in all its fullness" (John 10:10)

THIS WEEK AT EYE PRIMARY...

It has been great to welcome the children back into school after our half term holiday. New topics and units of work have begun; one highlight being an amazing performance in Year 3 of a firework soundscape accompanied by some excellent artwork. We have welcomed a number of visitors into school this week ,including a group of trainee teachers, who have all been very impressed with the children, their learning and their attitudes around school. Mr Lawlor took some of year 5 and 6 girls to a football tournament at Jack Hunt School on Wednesday. We enjoyed an excellent fireworks evening on Thursday organised by our wonderful ESA. Thank you to all who attended and supported the event. A big thank you to the ESA time for their organisation, hard work and efforts towards making the event happen.



ALLERGY AWARE

Please remember that we are an allergy aware school with pupils who have severe allergies including nuts. Please make sure that packed lunches and snacks do not contain any nuts or nut products. Thank you for your understanding and support in helping us to keep every child safe.

ATTENDANCE

WB 19/10/26- 23/10/26

Hedgehogs 95.6%	Chimps 90.3%	Meerkats 100%	Tigers 91.7%
Squirrels 97.4%	Koalas 96%	Wombats 90.3%	Jaguars 97.2%
Badgers 93.1%	Sharks 93%	Zebras 97.5%	Whole School:
Foxes 94.8%	Dolphins 90.7%	Giraffes 95%	94.4 %

IMPORTANT REMINDERS



There will be no after school clubs next week due to TLCs taking place.



For parents and carers attending TLCs next week, please come into school via the front office and wait for your child's class teacher to collect you.



Forest School sessions start for some classes next Thursday. Please ensure your child has their kit with them.

UPCOMING DATES

Monday 9th - Thursday 12th November
TLC Week

Thursday 12th - Tuesday 17th November
Scholastic Book Fair

Friday 20th November
Non-uniform day

Friday 4th December
ESA Christmas Fair

Monday 7th & Tuesday 8th December
APDR Meetings

Tuesday 8th & Wednesday 9th December
EYFS and KS1 Nativities

Tuesday 15th December
Christmas Church Service

Thursday 17th December
Rocksteady concerts to parents 10am and 2pm

Friday 18th December
Last day of Autumn term

Please see the list of full dates for the school year.

LET'S CELEBRATE....



Key Stage Two GROW Award Winners

A big well done to...
Harper
Arlo
Violet
Giorgio
Ted
Harry
Amelia
Harry
Olly
Charlie

Amazing Work

PODCAST

Have you heard episode two of the 'Through Our Eyes' podcast? Find it on the website:

https://www.eyeprimaryschool.co.uk/page/?title=School+Weekly+Newsletter%2C+Letters+%26amp%3B+Leaflets&pid=20

Don't Miss

FOREST SCHOOL READY!

Mr Armstrong and Mr Webster have been working hard getting the forest ready for forest school sessions to begin again next Thursday. We have a new canopy, new fencing and a exciting space waiting for the children to come and get stuck in. If your child's class has forest school this half term, please ensure that they have the appropriate kit with them on Thursday. We can't wait to hear about the exciting learning experiences that will be enjoyed.



FOODBANK DELIVERY

On Friday, some children from the social action team were able to take all of the food donations, that were collected as part of our Harvest week, to the foodbank.
We are so grateful for the kindness and generosity of our school community. We were able to donate kg of food that will support a number of families in our city.



TERMLY LEARNING CONFERENCES

We're looking forward to welcoming parents and carers into school next week for our Termly Learning Conferences. Please enter school via the office entrance and wait in the reception area until your child's class teacher comes to collect you.

MORE TO CELEBRATE

We are delighted to welcome Mr Lane, our new Catering Manager, to the Eye school community. David is a highly skilled chef, who brings a wealth of experience and fresh ideas to our school kitchen. We look forward to working with him to provide delicious, nutritious meals for our children. Please join us in giving David a warm welcome!



25 primary SCITT trainee teachers observed lessons across the day on Thursday and were even treated to a mini phonics lessons by Mrs Cornell!. Miss Wilson trains teachers in Nottingham and wanted them to see our wonderful school.

YEAR GROUP UPDATES

Preschool: We have been exploring the exciting theme of light and dark, linking our experiences to the colourful celebrations of Bonfire Night and fireworks! The children have enjoyed building cosy dens, investigating our sensory light boxes and exploring shadows. We have been moving our bodies, experimenting with different positions and discovering how our shadows can change in shape and size. We have also been getting creative using a range of materials to produce our own wonderful firework-inspired artwork.
Reception: We have been thinking about the celebration of Bonfire Night and talking about the celebrations we have at home. The children have practised their printing and paint mixing skills to create some beautiful, sparkly artwork. In maths, we have explored common 2D shapes and talked about how we can identify them. We have also been spotting shapes in our environment and using them to create patterns.
Year 1: We have enjoyed their poetry unit this week in English- it was all about monsters! They wrote their own verses to add to the poem before performing it. Another exciting part of the week was being introduced to numbots! Year 1 have been set the challenge to get onto the to ten leader board... watch this space!
Year 2: We have had a great return to school! The children loved being introduced to the barn owl, Plop, in our English lessons this week. They also created some amazing, sparkly firework paintings to celebrate bonfire night!
Year 3: The children in Year 3 have been learning to use the column method in maths. They have loved getting to grips with this new process and have been challenging themselves by crossing the tens and hundreds boundaries. We are so proud of their perseverance and growing confidence!
Year 4: We've been busy exploring sound in Science! The children have enjoyed experimenting with a range of different instruments to investigate how sounds are made and what causes them to vibrate. In English, we've started our exciting new unit on Greek myths. We've been enjoying listening to the adventures of Odysseus and discovering some of the strange and wonderful mythical creatures he encounters along the way. We're looking forward to exploring these stories further and creating some of our own!
Year 5: We started our Geography unit, looking at the features inside the Earth like the core and the mantle. We started our brand new Science unit exploring push and pull forces. We have also been analysing lots of different poems inspired by the Moon in our English sessions this week!
Year 6: This week, we launched our new fractions topic. We began by recapping previous learning before moving on to applying this knowledge and developing our reasoning skills. At home, test us on finding equivalent fractions, simplifying fractions, and ordering or comparing different fractions!

NOTICES









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