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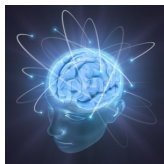
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Mental Health Awareness Week

For the week beginning Monday 13th May, we will be marking Mental Health Awareness Week.

The theme of the week is Body Image and children will be focussing on this in their classrooms.

Please see the poster attached to the newsletter for more information.



WORD OF THE WEEK

Bulbous

Defini- tion of
Bulbous (adjective) in English:

- 1) Fat, round or bulging.
- 2) (Of a plant), growing from a bulb.

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Allergies

Just a gentle reminder for parents that there are children with nut allergies in the school and that we are a **nut-free school**. Please consider this when bringing treats (for birthdays) into school. Also, a member of staff is severely allergic to kiwi.

Please refrain from including these in your child's lunch box.

Thank you for your support.



Parent Forum: New Curriculum Focus

The Pioneer curriculum is based around the 3 Is - Intent, Implementation and Impact. The overview of topics taught (Intent) is in line with the national curriculum and is designed to offer children a varied and broad range of learning experiences throughout a 2 year cycle of topics.

The skills delivered (Implementation) focus on what the children will be able to 'do' following the delivery of each unit of work under each curriculum subject area.

The knowledge gained (Impact) focus on what the children will know following the delivery of each unit of work.

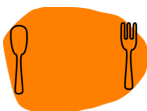
Explanation about how each new topic will be discussed with the children, in terms of identifying areas that they would particularly like to focus on, prior to the lessons being planned. Each topic will also be reviewed and evaluated by the children to ensure tweaks are made as required for future cohorts.

Menu Change

Please be aware that on **Thursday 16th May**—the menu will change.

On Thursday, there will be fish fingers or Quorn dippers (V) with chips with strawberry ice-cream.

On Friday, there will be BBQ Meatball Pasta or Cheese and tomato pasta (V) with pear upside down cake for dessert.



East Hoathly Vision

Value and Bible link	Quote from Bible	Bible story linked to it
Resilience - James 1:12	¹² Blessed is the one who perseveres under trial because, having stood the test, that person will receive the crown of life that the Lord has promised to those who love him.	Rebuilding Jerusalem
Creativity - Proverbs 1:5	⁵ Let the wise listen and add to their learning, and let the discerning get guidance.	The Story of Creation
Working Together - 2 Corinthians 13:11 -	¹¹ Finally, brothers and sisters, rejoice! Strive for full restoration, encourage one another, be of one mind, live in peace. And the God of love and peace will be with you.	Jesus' Disciples go Fishing
Excellence - Proverbs 14:23	²³ All hard work brings a profit, but mere talk leads only to poverty.	The Parable of the Two Builders
Respect - Luke 6:31	³¹ Do to others as you would have them do to you.	The Good Samaritan
Enjoyment - Psalm 68:3	³ But may the righteous be glad and rejoice before God; may they be happy and joyful.	The Story of Noah

This week, the children have been looking into the School Vision and what East Hoathly's different values are. Each value has a bible story link. Each class had a value to focus on and create work for.

Reception focused on **RESPECT**. The children discussed what it meant to show respect to others; by being kind and listening. The children then acted out the '**Good Samaritan**.'

Year 1 and 2's value to focus on was **ENJOYMENT**, which linked to the '**Story of Noah**'. The children discussed how the value of enjoyment was present in the story. Stan said "Noah had enjoyment because he survived the flood." The children created collages of the animals that went onto Noah's Arc.

Year 3 and 4 looked into the value of **WORKING TOGETHER** by reading the story of Jesus and his disciples going fishing. Abbie in Year 4 said "We acted the story out and we showed working together by helping to get the nets back to shore."

Year 5 and 6 found the values of **EXCELLENCE** and **RESILIENCE** in two stories.

In the '**Parable of the Two Builders**', Ethan in Year 6 found the value of **EXCELLENCE**, which Teddy in Year 6 describes as "listening to God's word". Ethan's character in the scene was the builder who's house fell down during the storm. "My house fell down because I didn't listen to God's word or his advice."

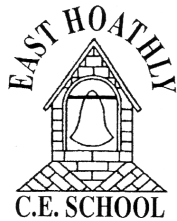
In the story of '**Rebuilding Jerusalem**', George in Year 6 was able to see the value of **RESILIENCE**. "We acted out the story of Jerusalem's wall and I was Nehemiah. We had to build a wall, which was really hard because there were people trying to stop us and the wall kept falling down. We kept going until it was built but it took a long time."

The RE Council also worked together to find the value of **CREATIVITY** in the '**Story of Creation**'. Archie in Year 6 said "God showed creativity by perfectly creating the world we live in."



Our Church School

As you may have seen, the outdoor prayer space has been set up.



The children are utilising the space to have time to reflect and have enjoyed the space with their friends.

This term, the Collective Worship theme is **Courage**. The children will be exploring this theme in their RE lessons and in assemblies, by seeing how we can link the theme to our day to day lives.

Matilda in Year 5 has shown courage this week by "helping new people with learning a dance. Helping people is easy for me to do but if they are people I don't know very well, it can be a little scary because I don't know their strengths."



Wellbeing

We will be sharing a new wellbeing poster with you in the weekly newsletter. Some will be aimed specifically at adults and others will be aimed at children.

This week's poster suggests an activity or strategy for every day of the week to reduce worries and promote healthy mental wellbeing.

7 MENTAL HEALTH ACTIVITIES TO TRY OUT DURING YOUR WEEK

@BELIEVEPHQ

MONDAY

Spend some time during your week writing down negative thoughts. This can be a really simple tool to help you identify thinking errors and to start managing them more effectively.

TUESDAY

If you experience a worry and postpone it to your worry time to solve any practical worries which you have experienced and to learn how to problem solve more effectively.

WEDNESDAY

If you experience a worry and can't get it out of your mind why not try and stay present with what it is you were doing before the worry popped up. Use all of your senses to stay in the present moment and to really engage with a task.

THURSDAY

Challenge those negative thoughts. Ask yourself the following questions: are they fact or opinion? What is the evidence for or against thoughts? How can I develop a more realistic thought?

FRIDAY

Self care is really important. Why not try engaging in some deep breathing, ratio breathing or progressive muscle relaxation. They are really useful for reducing psychological and physiological arousal.

SATURDAY

Within your week it is important that you schedule in activities that give you a sense of achievement, pleasure and satisfaction. Schedule some fun activities for the upcoming week.

SUNDAY

Connect with some colleagues, friends or family members. Focus on building a positive mental health support network.

MY MENTAL HEALTH ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

Golden Mile Challenge

As you are aware, within school the children complete their 'Golden Mile laps' once a week. This involves running around a track within the school grounds for 4 minutes, running up accumulated laps which are recorded. As the term progresses, this accumulates to miles.

We have issued the Golden Mile Challenge to the children which is both a personal challenge (for each pupil) and team challenge (for each year group), to see how many miles they walk, run or jog during each week in Term 5.

Every time you walk to school, go for a wander or a run, you can work out how many miles or metres you have walked and record them on this chart. Please see the table attached.



BIRTHDAYS!

Birthdays for this week!

Happy Birthday to **George House** in Year 6 !
Happy Birthday to **Joshua Sanford** in Year 3!
Happy Birthday to **Emily Abreu** in Nursery!
Happy Birthday to **Lola House** in Year 4!
Happy Birthday to **Max Magner** in Year 1!
Happy Birthday to **Florence Mackmin** in Year 4!



Learning Powers

On Friday 10th of May, there will be a celebration assembly at **9.15am**,

the following children will be celebrating their achievements:

Reception **Willow Sibanda**

Year 1/2 **Maisy Roberts**

Year 3/4 **Spencer Bushell**

Year 5/6 **Elsie Plummer**

Attendance

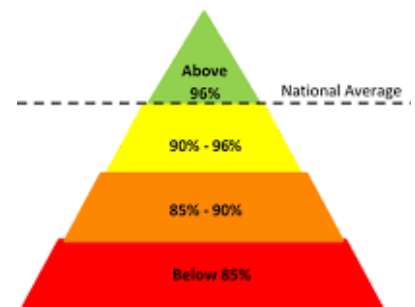
The whole school attendance for this year so far is: **95.8%**

This week's attendance: **96.1%**

Reception - **98.5%** Year 1/2 - **98.6%**

Year 3/4 - **96%** Year 5/6 - **92%**

Well done to **Year 1/2** for having the highest attendance! this week!



Headteacher's Award

Lotte Rattray in **Year 4**, for working incredibly hard to use a range of Literacy skills in her writing.

India Stark in **Year 3**, for a wonderful and creative retelling of the Greek myth: Icarus and Daedalus.

Well done Lotte and India!



Diner of the Week

Nursery - Kallie Durrans

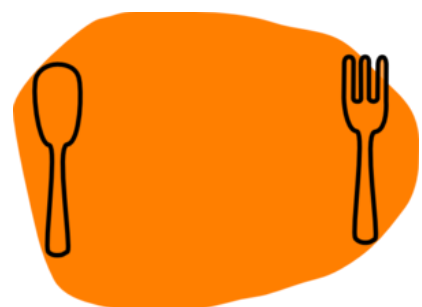
KS1 - Harry Sutton

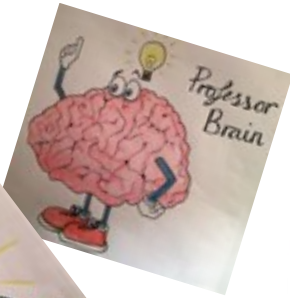
KS2 - Elsie Plummer

Champion Tables

KS1 - Mars - 11 points

KS2 - Mercury - 17 points





Lily - Reception

I have been really creative at forest school, doing tree pictures.



Evelyn - Year 2

I am a Christian Champion because I represent my class in the RE council.



Darcy - Year 4

I'm a Growth Mindset Hero because in Literacy I always try and do my neatest handwriting.



Jessica-Rose - Year 6

I think I am a Growth Mindset Hero because in maths I always try my hardest and use the things around me to help me.



Positivity Board

Please pop in any time to write down something that you would like to share or send an email.

As always, thank you for your support!

Positivity Board

PIONEER FEDERATION

EAST HOATHLY C.E. SCHOOL

If you are a child, parent/carer, member of staff or even a visitor, please pick up a pen and write your positive comments about the school community!

The new outside prayer space looks AMAZING!
Thank you Miss Purcell and Mr Herdman!
(Thank you to for everyone's help with RE spaces round school)

Thank you Mr Huggett for all you do for our school! ☆

Year 3/4 have been incredible writers this week!
Miss Riddall *Thank U! Love Thank U Jess*

The children have enjoyed practising for Sports Day during PE.
Thank you Mr Lawrence!

Reception had great fun in their first Forest school session of the term. Thank you Mrs Smith and Miss Denney

Spanish was really good.
JESS 2/3/14

Well done everyone for working hard to retell Bible Stories ready for our Vision Assembly! All the children are such great actors!

Thank you to Miss Hillie and Bobby for keeping lunchtimes calm in the dining hall - it's lovely to see children working together to get table points.

Thank you to Julie & Claire for cooking lots of tasty school meals everyday!

Nursery News



This week in Nursery our story of the week has been 'The Growing Story'.

The children have enjoyed ordering and sequencing picture cards from last week's story 'Jasper's Beanstalk'. We have also been looking at 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar' in free play, drawing pictures from the story, learning our days of the week and playing with puppets from the story.

In the outside area, the children have enjoyed drawing around each other using chalks and creating their own obstacle courses using the wooden planks and grates to balance and walk across.

For our art work this week, we have a still life printed picture of some flowers. The children have been free to use the resources and materials they wish from our art caddy to recreate their own flower pictures.

As there were birthdays in Nursery over last week and this week, the children had a tea party with cake!



Dates for the diary

Thursday 23/5 — Sports Day: Parents' Picnic 12-1pm, Races from 1pm.

Friday 24/5 — End of Term 5

If you would like the suncream to be sent home to your child, please complete and return the suncream forms. Please provide your child with a sunhat.

Home Learning

Next week in Nursery we will be looking at measuring objects by height or length. Can you practise by finding some items around the home to measure?

Thank you for all of your support,

Nursery Team

Dates for your diary 2018/2019

May 2019

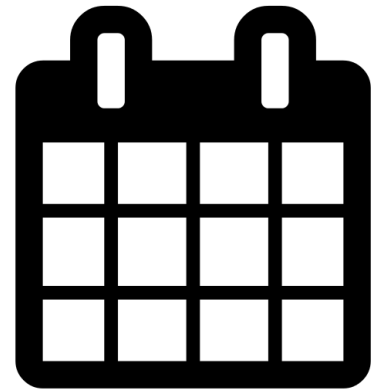
- 10th—Reception Mini-Beast Day with Chiddingly
- 13th—Mental Health Awareness Week
- 13th—SATs Week (Year 6)
- 23rd—Sports Day and picnic 12pm (parents invited)
- 24th—Term 5 ends
- 26th—Family Fun Run (parents invited)

June 2019

- 3rd— INSET Day
- 4th—Term 6 starts
- 7th— Year 6 Safety in Action—Herstmonceux 9.30-11.30am
- 12th—Parent Forum 9.00-9.25am (parents invited)
- 25th—Year 6 Leavers—Crowborough 10.30am (parents invited)

July 2019

- 5th—Patina (Year 5 and 6 parents invited)
- 8th—Bikeability Week
- 8th—Summer Production dress rehearsal 1.30pm (parents invited)
- 11th—Summer Production 1.30pm (parents invited)
- 11th—Summer Production 6.30pm (parents invited)
- 12th—Reports out to parents
- 16th—Parent Consultations—reports only— 4-6pm
- 19th—Enrichment Morning (parent volunteers may be required)
- 23rd—Leavers' Service 9.30am (parents invited)
- 23rd—Term 6 ends





EAST HOATHLY FAMILY FUN RUN

SUNDAY 26TH MAY
EAST HOATHLY
PAVILION

£8 per adult 5km race.

£5 per adult 1km race.

£5 per child (5km or 1km; includes one go on bouncy castle)

See the school website for photos from last year's fabulous event
<http://easthoathly.pioneerfederation.co.uk/fpta/>

*bouncy castle subject to weather

5km race at 10:30am
1km race at 11:30am

**Medal and
certificate for all
finishers**

**Official race
photographer**

**Refreshments inc.
bacon butties and
cakes**

Bouncy castle*

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