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NEWSLETTER 17

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### Parent Questionnaires

This week, a questionnaire is attached to the newsletter.

Please complete the questionnaire and hand your completed forms into the school office.

The feedback from these questionnaires is really useful for us.

Thank you for your support.



### Year 5 and 6 Swimming

This term, Year 5 and 6 will be taking part in swimming lessons.

Children will need to arrive at Bede's Senior School Sports Hall (Upper Dicker, BN27 3QH) at 9.30am and be dropped off by parents and carers.

Children will then be picked up at 12.15pm and be taken back to school via coach.

Please ensure that both Mrs Healy and the school office are aware of how your child is making their way to Bede's.

Year 5/6
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> January
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> February
Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> February



### All Saints' Christmas and Epiphany Services 2020 JANUARY

26th Sunday-3rd Sunday of Epiphany February

8.00am Holy Communion,  
East Hoathly

10.00am TGI  
Sunday,  
East Hoathly



### Harry's Holiday Club

Due to the success of my October holiday club, I will be running the event again throughout February half term.

The club will be held in Chiddingly school hall from Monday 17<sup>th</sup> February - Friday 21<sup>st</sup> February.

I will provide a range of fun packed sport and creative arts and craft activities throughout each day. I have sent out some leaflets with a list of prices and additional information. Children will need to be provided with a packed lunch and plenty to drink.

Throughout the holiday club I will be running a small tuck shop for the children to buy a few cheaply priced snacks if they so wish.

If you require any extra information please don't hesitate to contact me through email; [Harrysholiday-club@gmail.com](mailto:Harrysholiday-club@gmail.com).



## Reading Cup

This week, each class achieved:

Reception—**27 tallies**

Year 1 and 2—**37 tallies**

Year 3 and 4—**61 tallies**

Year 5 and 6—**31 tallies**

Well done

Year 3 and

4 for

winning the

Reading Cup

and Mystery

Book this

week!



## Lunchtime Awards

### Champion Tables

KS1 — Jupiter

KS2 — Mercury

### Diners of the Week

Nursery — Chloe Lin

KS1 — Kenzie Hamill

KS2 — Catherine Campbell-Stephen



## Attendance

The whole school attendance for this year so far is: **96.4%**

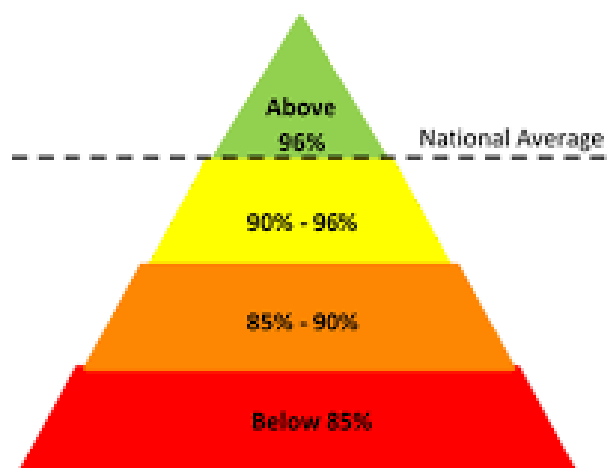
This week's attendance: **97.7%**

Reception - **97.4%**

Year 1/2 - **97.9%**

Year 3/4 - **97.1%**

Year 5/6 - **98.3%**



## Learning Powers

On **Friday 31st of January**, there will be a celebration assembly at **9.15am** the following children will celebrate their achievements:

Reception - **Buster R**

Year 1/2 - **Willow S**

Year 3/4 - **William T**

Year 5/6 - **Darcy A**

We hope to see you there!



## Headteacher's Awards

Headteacher's Awards have been awarded to:

**Lily Sanford** for excellent maths work halving numbers.

**Austyn Magness** for making superb progress in her understanding of decimals.

**Oscar Gibbons** for incredible unaided writing about a school day in Spanish.

**Bella Wren** for fantastic work in maths telling the time.

**Ned Thatcher** for improving your writing and presentation skills in literacy.

**Abigail Green** for incredibly creative free writing about Skellig.

Well done Lily, Austyn, Oscar, Bella, Ned and Abigail!



## Birthdays

### Birthdays over the last week:

Happy Birthday to **Lotte Rattray** in Year 5!

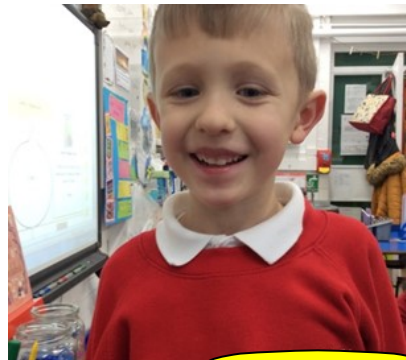
Happy Birthday to **Charlie Adams** in Year 3!





**Matilda - Reception**

I am good at finding letters to help me with my writing and tidying up.



**Dennis - Year 1**

I am a Growth Mindset Hero because I did good learning in maths.



**Herbie - Year 3**

I'm Professor Brain because I have answered all my division maths work confidently.



**Alfie - Year 5**

I am a Growth Mindset Hero because in football I try my best to score a goal so my team can win.





## Recommended Reads

My name is: *Sophia Watton-Hall*

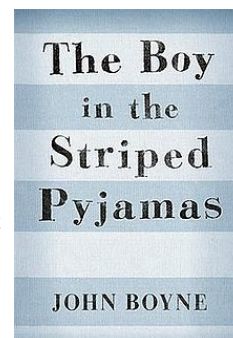
The book I am recommending is: *'The Boy in the Striped Pajamas'* by John Boyne

This book is suitable for age(s):

4-5 6-7 8-9 10-11 12+

I recommend this book because:

*It explains what war was really like for women/wives whose husbands were top soldiers and how they realised fighting was the wrong thing to do.*



## Gymnastics Workshops

As part of our development plans across the year we are encouraging our children to be more active, try new things and experience different sports. In previous years, we had a Sports Week and different sporting workshops and this year, we are linking with more local providers to enhance and enrich pupils' experience of physical activity.

Last term we had workshops from Gingers Dance. These workshops are paid for by the school through the sports funding we receive and will directly build upon children's wider experiences, as well as being a professional development opportunity for staff.

Our first workshop this term is Gymnastics, with dedicated coaches from 'Sky High Trampoline and Gymnastics Academy' in Uckfield. This will take place on **Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> January**. The children will need their normal PE Kits in school for these sessions.

In addition to this workshop being a fantastic opportunity for all the children to experience a session taught by high level gymnasts and coaches, they will experience activities that show their speed, agility, flexibility, strength, control and determination to learn new skills. Pupils who excel within these areas may be put forward for a trial at the centres 'Gymnastic Academy' where they could go onto being part of the 'Competitive Junior Development Squad'. All pupils who take part within Reception and Year 1 will also be given the opportunity to attend recreational gymnastic classes and a voucher for 10% off sessions.

These taster sessions have been a big hit at Chiddingly and we are looking forward to these exciting workshops! Keep an eye out for photos in the next newsletter!

Miss Denney



## Five Star Rating

Our dining hall and school kitchen has recently been inspected by Environmental Health and we are pleased to share with you that our cook has maintained her five star rating!

You can see the rating on the dining room door.

Well done Julie!



## East Hoathly Fun Run

A poster has been released for this year's highly anticipated Fun Run.

It is always a great day out and a fun way to raise money for the school.

Please see the poster attached to the newsletter and the FPTA board for more information.



# Positivity Board

## Positivity Board



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!



Amazing descriptive writing based on Bleak House



Great to see so much reading going on across the school!



Free Writing from Y5 & 6  
Miss Healy



Year 1/2 were amazing at spotting different bees at forest school!  
Miss Williams



Wonderful to see great Spanish work & translations!



Year 3 and 4 are really enjoying their topic this term! They have produced some great pieces of writing!



Reception did great work looking for triangles around the school!



It's lovely to see the Nursery children playing with the older children.



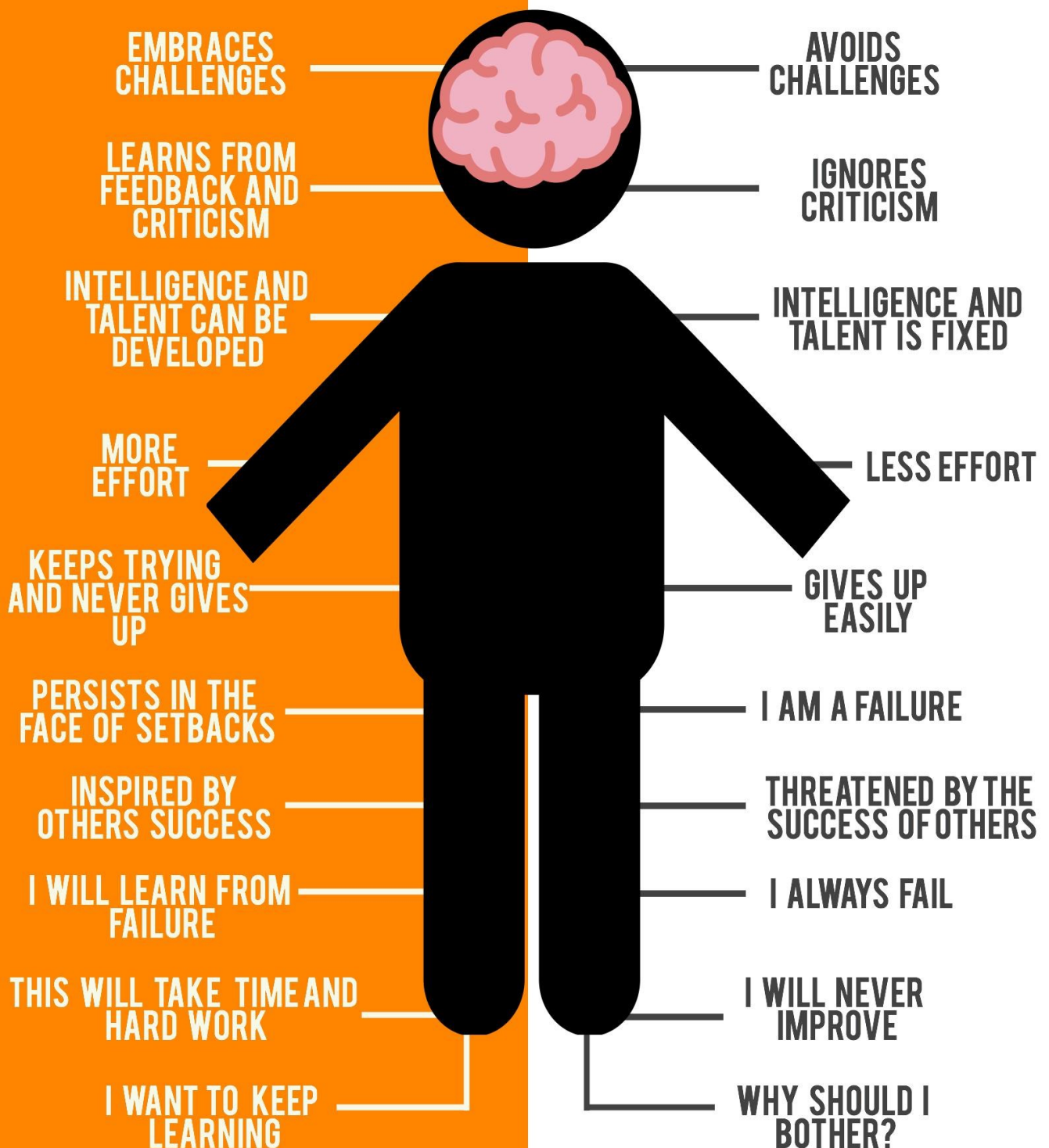
## Wellbeing

We share a new wellbeing poster with you in the weekly newsletter. This week's poster highlights the difference between having a growth mindset and having a fixed mindset.

# GROWTH MINDSET

VS.

# FIXED MINDSET



## Dates for your diary 2019/2020

### Jan 2020

28th—Gymnastics Workshops

31st—Year 5 and 6 Swimming Gala

### Feb 2020

5th—Reception Fire Station Trip

7th—East Hoathly choir performance in Celebration assembly

7th—Year 5 and 6 swimming at Bede's

11th—International Day

14th—Year 5 and 6 swimming at Bede's

14th—Last day of Term 3

24th—Term 4 starts

28th—Year 3 and 4 swimming at Bede's

### Mar 2020

5th—World Book Day

6th—Year 3 and 4 swimming at Bede's

10th—Parent Consultations 4-6pm

12th—Parent Consultations 4-6pm

13th—Year 3 and 4 swimming at Bede's

25th—Lockdown Drill

27th—Awe and Wonder Day

### Apr 2020

3rd—Last day of Term 4

4th—Easter Quiz at Chiddingly

20th -Term 5 starts

28th—Parent Forum 3.00pm

### May 2020

7th—V Day Celebrations

8th—Bank holiday

11th—SATs Week

15th—Sports Day 12-3pm

22nd—Enrichment Morning

22nd—Last day of Term 5

24th—East Hoathly Fun Run

### Jun 2020

1st—INSET day

## Dates for your diary 2019/2020

### Jun 2020

2nd—Term 6 starts

22nd—Year 5 and 6 Residential to Bowles (2 nights)

24th—Parent Forum 3.00pm

### Jul 2020

8th—Summer Production 2pm and 6.30pm

10th—Reports out to parents

14th—Parents Consultations (reports only)

15th—Fishbone Meeting 4-5pm

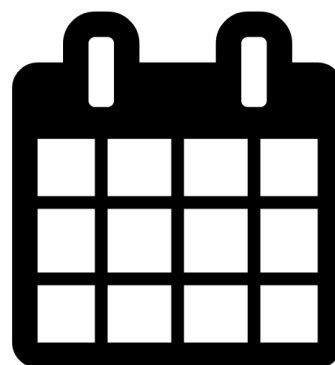
15th—FGB 6-8pm

20th—Pioneer Day

21st—Leaver's Service 9.25am

21st—Last day of Term 6

22nd—INSET day



# East Hoathly Family

## Fun Run

MAY 24th  
10AM

East Hoathly Pavilion

1km, 5km,

and new for 2020, a 10km route!

1km race at  
10am,  
5 and 10km  
at 10.30am



Official race  
photographer

Medal and  
certificate for  
all finishers

1km race : £5 adult or child

5km/10km race : £8 per adult, £5 per child

Bouncy castle\*, hot food, drinks, cakes also available!

Raising funds for East Hoathly Primary School and Nursery

Charity number 1089642

Please see the school website for photos from last year's fabulous event:

<http://easthoathly.pioneerfederation.co.uk/fpta>

\*subject to weather conditions





# Parent Questionnaire

Name (if you wish) \_\_\_\_\_

	(please tick)	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't Know
1	My child is happy at this school					
2	My child feels safe at this school					
3	The school makes sure its pupils are well behaved					
4	My child has been bullied and the school dealt with the bullying quickly and effectively					
5	The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year.					
6	When I have raised concerns with the school they have been dealt with properly.					
7	My child has SEND and the school gives them the support they need to succeed.					
8	The school has high expectations for my child.					
9	My child does well at this school.					
10	The school lets me know how my child is doing.					
11	There is a good range of subjects available to my child at this school					
12	My child can take part in clubs and activities at this school					
13	The school supports my child's wider personal development.					
14	I would recommend this school to another parent					

Thank you for taking the time to fill out this questionnaire.  
Please return this to the School Office by Friday 7th February