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NEWSLETTER 5

Friday 16th October 2020

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Relaunch of Outdoor Spaces

Just a reminder that we would like to invite parents to the official opening of the new outside spaces on **Wednesday 21st October at 3.15pm.**

Parents are invited to come straight after school with their children and pupil governors and RE Council will be positioned in high vis jackets to show visitors where to go.

We hope to see you there!



FPTA AGM

The school FPTA is overdue an AGM and has been scheduled for Monday 19th October at 8pm, via Zoom.

Please could all members or interested future members, contact us to clarify email addresses via:
fpta@easthoathly.e-sussex.sch.uk

Thank you for all your help and support, we really appreciate all you do, we certainly couldn't support our school and enrich our children's education without your help.

Dee and Michelle (Co-chairs)



Term 2 Dinner Provision

After working closely with County and Chartwells, we are happy to share with parents that we will have a limited range of hot dinners from Term 2.

The menu is attached to the back of the newsletter.

There will be fresh milk, water and bread provided daily.



New Parent Tours

If your child is moving up to Reception next year and you would like to book in for a tour of the school, please ring the office to make an appointment.

Thursday 12th November from 5.00-6.00pm

Tuesday 1st December from 6.00-7.00pm.

Please book early to avoid disappointment.



50 Things to Do Before You're 5

Click on the link to find a range of activities to get outdoors and keep active.

<https://eastsussex.50thingstodo.org/app/os#!//whats-it-all-about>

End of Term Celebration

Next week, each class would like to share their music learning with you from this term. Each class has learnt a song as part of their music curriculum and at 2.45pm each day, one of the classes will be singing on the playground for you!

On the day of your child's performance, please come to the church path and stand behind the black gate - the children will sing to you from the playground!

The performance days are as follows:

- Monday 19th - Owl Class
- Tuesday 20th - Hedgehogs
- Wednesday 21st - Rabbits and Ducklings
- Thursday 22nd - Foxes
- Friday 23rd - Squirrels

We look forward to sharing our music learning from Term 1 with you!



Partnership News

This week, Mrs Wicks went over to Park Mead to meet with their bursar, Mrs Wyllie.

Chiddingly's reception teacher, Miss Boswell came over to East Hoathly to observe a lesson of excellent EYFS practice and later on in the week, Miss Denney visited Chiddingly to work with their Reception class.

We would like to say thank you to Chiddingly School for hosting some of our staff on Thursday while the school was closed!

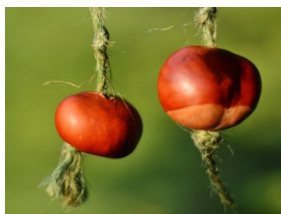


Forest School

At forest school this week Owls class went into the woods.

The class took the toolbox with them and with that, they were able to drill into conkers to create conker necklaces.

The Owls also enjoyed a game of capture the flag which is great for team building.



Nursery

Miss Lewis sat in the Nursery garden with the children to read the next part of the story of Adam and Eve.

We found out that Adam and Eve broke the rules that God had given them and did not make good choices.

We talked about what the rules were in nursery and Leo, Paige and Lucas remembered that our rules are "Love, Strength, Wisdom and Truth."



Our Church School

On Tuesday, the Hedgehogs were treated to a story from the Bible, read by Reverend Phil.

Ezra said "In the story, the man couldn't walk and they had to dig a hole to help Jesus get to him and help him."

Reverend Phil and the children talked about the theme of friendship—which is our topic for the term!

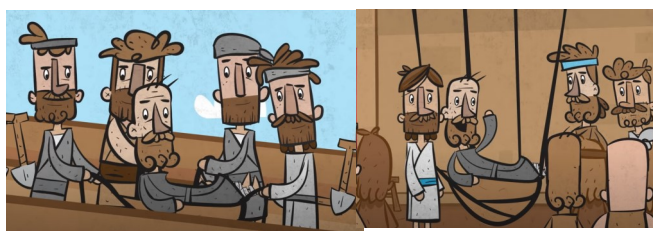
Albie said "Friends help each other."

Chloe said "Everybody is important, we should help them."

Sorrel said "God wants us to be safe and good to our friends."

What incredible lessons to take away from such a lovely story!

Thank you for sharing the story with us, Reverend Phil!



Recommended Reads

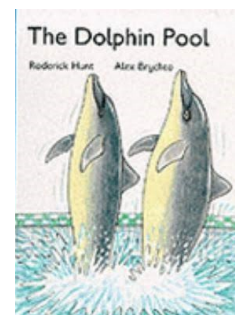
My name is: Molly Gibbons

The book I am recommending is: 'The Dolphin Pool' by Roderick Hunt

This book is suitable for age(s): 4-5 6-7 8-9 10-11 12+

I recommend this book because:

It is about dolphins and they are one of my favourite animals.



Celebration Assembly

This week we had another virtual celebration assembly lead by Miss Williams. Well done to those children who we celebrated for learning powers and our diners of the week! We had lots of highlights this week:

Beatrice (Foxes): 'making an imaginary land in English'.

Sophie S (Squirrels): 'our singing assembly, because we have enjoyed learning you've got a friend in me in Makaton.'

Holly (Owls): 'Forest school, I really enjoyed us playing capture the flag.'

We can't wait to see what the next week brings!



Attendance

The whole school attendance for this year so far is: **97%**

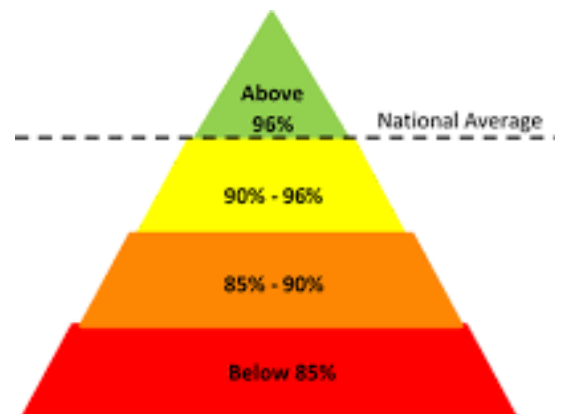
This week's attendance: **98.5%**

Hedgehogs - 100%

Squirrels - 99.3%

Foxes - 98%

Owls - 97.5%



Lunchtime Awards

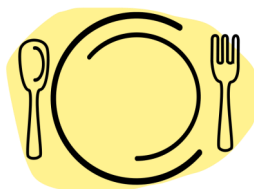
As the children are in their allocated lunch zones with the rest of their bubbles, it has been decided that for now there will be a 'Diner of the Week' selected from each bubble.

Hedgehogs — Sorrel Becvar

Squirrels — Annabelle Robertson

Foxes — Orlaith O'Rourke-Jones

Owls — Jack Stacey



Learning Powers

This week, the learning powers went to:

Hedgehogs: Starting from next term

Squirrels: Oliver Lofthouse

Foxes: Sophie Campbell-Stephen

Owls: Alfie Beech

Well done everyone!



Birthdays over the last week:

Happy Birthday to **Darcy Osborn** in Reception!

Happy Birthday to **Harry Sutton** in Year 2!



Headteacher Awards

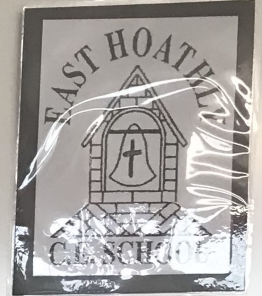
We look forward to awarding children headteachers' awards next week!

Could it be you in the newsletter next week?

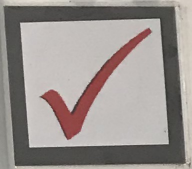


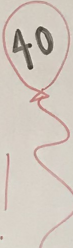
Positivity Board

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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!



Happy Birthday Mr Hulham! 



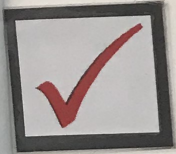
Great Owl forest school session! Thanks Mrs Smith!



Thank you to our whole school community for being so supportive on Thursday!



New KS2 reading books are here!



Fox class drafted incredible letters in Spanish this week! ¡Buen trabajo! ★



Squirrel class' wooden spoon puppets look amazing!



Hedgehogs loved reading a bible story with Rev. Phil!



Great whole school wellbeing Day!



Nursery enjoyed reading with Miss Lewis!



Books are fantastic! Well done everyone!



Mr Procter

Dates for your diary 2020/2021

Oct 2020

20th—FGB Meeting

23rd—End of Term 1

31st—Year 6 Secondary application deadline

Nov 2020

2nd—First day of Term 2

11th—Remembrance Service—9.25am

12th—New parent tour—1.30

16th—Anti-Bullying Week

24th—Parent Consultations—4-6pm

26th—Parent Consultations—4-6pm

Dec 2020

1st—New parent tour—6-7pm

8th—Nativity Dress rehearsals

10th—Nativity Performance- 1.30pm

10th—Nativity Performance—6.30pm

15th—FGB Meeting

18th—Christingle Service—2pm

18th—End of Term 2

Jan 2021

4th—INSET Day

5th—First day of Term 3

27th—Parent Forum—2.45pm

Feb 2021

4th—FGB Meeting

12th—International Day

12th—End of Term 3

22nd—First day of Term 4

Mar 2021

5th—World Book Day

9th—Parent Consultations—4-6pm

11th—Parent Consultations—4-6pm

17th—Lockdown letter out

22nd—FGB Meeting

24th—Lockdown practice

31st—Parent Forum—9.00am

Dates for your diary 2020/2021

Apr 2021

1st—Easter Service—9.25am

1st—End of Term 4

19th—First day of Term 5

27th—Parent Forum—2.45pm

May 2021

3rd—Bank Holiday

10th—SATs Week

11th—FGB Meeting

21st—Sports Day and Picnic

26th—Pioneer Day

28th—End of Term 5

Jun 2021

7th—INSET Day

30th—Parent Forum

30th—Residential

Jul 2021

1st—Residential

2nd—Residential

6th—Results Day

6th—Summer production dress rehearsal

8th—Summer production—2pm

8th—Summer production—6.30pm

14th—FGB Meeting

16th—Reports out to parents

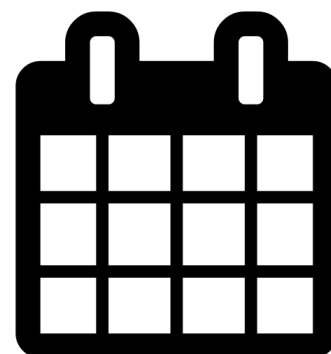
17th—Groundforce

20th—Parent Consultations—reports only

22nd—Leavers' Service—9.25am

22nd—End of Term 6

23rd—INSET Day



Achievement for all

A message from the Head of School

Welcome back to a new school year. We are thrilled to be able to open our doors, once again, to all of our children and build on the fantastic home learning that families have been wonderful at engaging with.

One of the things we can be certain of is that the year ahead brings uncertainty: the current landscape is complex and unpredictable. This has implications for us all and this is why having a strong sense of community in and around the school is so important to us all. We must take hope from God's teaching: **"Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go."** *Joshua 1:9*. Our communal faith in God and the hope and peace that the Bible brings will be our driving force as we navigate the challenge ahead.

The ability to adapt as quickly as we can to an ever-evolving situation is a challenge, but one that we are ready for. Our priorities remain to be the wellbeing of our school community, searching for challenge and opportunities and striving for the best possible outcomes under the guidance of God.

I look forward to continuing to work with everyone in the East Hoathly School, and wider federation, communities to build on the strengths already in place and achieve the best for our children.



Miss Vicky Lewis

Learning Together

The East Hoathly School and Nursery Team



Term Dates for 2020/21

Term 1	Monday 7 th September 2020- Friday 24 th October 2020
Term 2	Monday 2 nd November 2020- Friday 18 th December 2020
Term 3	Monday 4 th January 2021- Friday 12 th February 2021
Term 4	Monday 22 nd February 2021- Thursday 1 st April 2021
Term 5	Monday 19 th April 2021- Friday 28 th May 2021 Monday 3 rd May-Bank Holiday
Term 6	Tuesday 8 th June 2021- Thursday 22 nd July 2021 Monday 7 th June 2021- Inset day Friday 23 rd July 2021- Inset day

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Miss April Dutton - Secretary

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Our Development Plan on a Page for 2020/21



"From tiny seeds mighty trees grow"



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East Hoathly Plan on a Page 2020/21

Our Vision

In our Church school, we learn through our values of Love, Strength, Wisdom and Truth. We aim for the highest standards and believe that by building a strong community, we can take care of everyone's wellbeing, achieving fullness of life

"With God all things are possible" Matthew 19:26.

Our Values



"Let all that you do be done in love."
1 Corinthians 16:14

We are kind and respectful towards all members of the school community.



"Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go."
Joshua 1:9

We are resilient, brave and aim to be the best that we can be.



"Let us learn together what is good"
Job ch.34.

We are creative learners and continuously strive for high achievements.



"And you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free."

John 8:32
We are honest, positive thinkers and live our lives by God's

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Aiming High!

By the end of the year we will have

- Looked after everyone's safety and well-being
- Implemented and embedded a recovery curriculum
- Improved children's outcomes in both Maths and English
- Strengthened the quality, value and impact of our teaching
- Embedded the Maths Mastery approach across the Pioneer Federation
- Enriched and implemented our curriculum across all foundation subjects
- Improved the ways we communicate with our pupils, families, staff and visitors
- Improved the quality and impact of our learning environment
- Improved our attendance
- Enjoyed a wide range of community-based events



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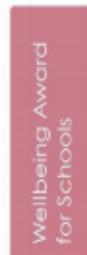
The Pioneer Federation

A group of community schools led by Executive Head James Procter "building it better with the collective genius"

Our learning community provides opportunities for growth for pupils, staff and families.



At the Pioneer Federation, we are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of all our children and we expect all staff, volunteers, parents and carers to share this commitment.



2020-2023

Learning for Life

WEEK 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Dough Balls	Chicken Burger with Potato Wedges	Roast Turkey with Roast Potatoes	Pasta Bolognese	Golden Fish Fingers and Chips
Jacket Potato	Tuna, Beans, Cheese	Tuna, Beans, Cheese	Tuna, Beans, Cheese	Tuna, Beans, Cheese	Tuna, Beans, Cheese
Vegetables	Carrots Sweetcorn	Peas, Broccoli and Cauliflower	Carrots Cabbage	Broccoli Sweetcorn	Baked Beans Peas
Pudding	Shortbread with Fruit	Raspberry Ripple Ice Cream	Fruit and Yoghurt	Apple Flapjack	Strawberry Swirl Sponge

Weeks commencing: 02/11/2020, 23/11/2020, 14/12/2020

WEEK 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal	Veggie Sausage and Mash Potato with Gravy	Lasagne with Garlic Bread	Honey Roast Gammon with Roast Potatoes	Macaroni Cheese	Golden Fish Fingers and Chips
Jacket Potato	Tuna, Beans, Cheese	Tuna, Beans, Cheese	Tuna, Beans, Cheese	Tuna, Beans, Cheese	Tuna, Beans, Cheese
Vegetables	Sweetcorn, Broccoli/ Cauliflower	Peas Carrots	Carrots Cabbage	Broccoli Sweetcorn	Baked Beans Peas
Pudding	Fruit and Yoghurt	Shortbread	Apple and Berry Crumble with Strawberry Ice Cream	Raspberry Ripple Cake	Oatie Biscuit with Fruit Slices

Weeks commencing: 09/11/2020, 30/11/2020

WEEK 3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal	Chinese Veggie Noodles	Sausage and Mash Potato with Gravy	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes	Pasta Bolognese	Golden Fish Fingers and Chips
Jacket Potato	Tuna, Beans, Cheese	Tuna, Beans, Cheese	Tuna, Beans, Cheese	Tuna, Beans, Cheese	Tuna, Beans, Cheese
Vegetables	Broccoli Sweetcorn	Peas Carrots	Carrots Cabbage	Sweetcorn, Broccoli/ Cauliflower	Baked Beans Peas
Pudding	Raspberry Yoghurt Cake	Fruit and Yoghurt	Flapjack with Fruit Slices	Oatie Biscuit with Fruit Slices	Orange Shortbread with Fruit Slices

Weeks commencing: 16/11/2020, 07/12/2020

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