



# East Haddon CEVC Primary School

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'Love each other as I have loved you' John 15:12

Our school virtues are: Love, Moderation, Courage, Justice, Hope, Faith, Wisdom.

Our current virtue is Justice.

Our British Values are: Tolerance, Rule of Law, Liberty, Mutual Respect, Democracy.

## Newsletter w/e 19<sup>th</sup> April 2024

### Mrs Truslove writes

Welcome back to the summer term – especially Mrs Gibbins after her recent absence.

There will be lots going on this term so make sure that you read the newsletter and keep an eye on the website and calendar for up to date information.

It was great to see you all today with your crazy hair and many thanks for all of the May Day donations.

This morning the NMPAT woodwind ensemble came to school. They talked to us about their instruments and played a range of brilliant music. Photos of the recital are on the gallery page.

I am sad to say that Mrs Kitchen will be leaving us at the end of May. She will be a very hard act to follow, but her job is advertised on Teach Northants if you know anyone who might be qualified.

### Mrs Banks/Mrs Truslove – Red class

TAs Mrs Messinger and Ms Nortemo

### Phonics

**Reception** have been revising the tricky words and the sounds taught last term. They have been practising reading words with two or more digraphs and words ending in s/es.

**Year One** have started to revise and recap their previous learning for the Phonics' screening test later this year. They have revised the following sounds this week: ay (e.g. play), a-e (e.g. shake), ea (e.g. each) and e (e.g. he).

### Maths

Reception and Year One have both been completing Maths Assessments this week and recapping on their previous learning from last term.

**Drawing Club-** We have focussed on the story *The Odd Egg* to consolidate our learning about Birds and Reptiles last term! The children have explored the characters (the duck), setting (the nest) and used their imaginations to change the story such as, Duck has found another egg, what will it look like and what will the creature be? We have explored new vocabulary relating to the story such as, emerge, incubate, demolish, armour, fracture, flourish, plume and cherish. We added actions to help us remember them! Year one have focussed on using adjectives and retelling the story. Reception have focussed on thinking of and remembering a simple sentence before writing it.

**A reminder that it is our class trip to Muddy Education next week (Wednesday), so please ensure your child comes in suitable clothing and that you have either provided a packed lunch for your child or ordered a packed lunch option through Kingswood. Any hot meals already ordered should be cancelled.**

**We have been inundated with junk modelling (thank you!) so we ask for no more to be sent in until we have worked through what we have got due to storage. Thank you.**

### **Mrs Gibbins – Green class**

TAs Mrs Randall & Miss Clews

It's good to be back! Thank you for all your kind wishes over the last term.

Tables next week are the 5x for Year 2 and 5 division for Year 3.

Homework will start next week, 26<sup>th</sup> April.

### **Mrs Pickles/Mr Wilkinson – Blue Class**

HLTA Mrs Hayward

**We are on mixed times tables – all tables up to 12x12.**

Next week in maths, we will be working on time and data handling.

**Homework this week:** The spelling homework sheet (week 26) for Years 4 and 5 only and:

**Yr6:** Maths: 2 Reasoning Papers (it would be helpful if these could be completed in the suggested time but do not worry if this isn't possible). They are allowed help but please indicate where this has been given.

English: A Grammar paper (it would be helpful if this could be completed in the suggested time but do not worry if this isn't possible). They are allowed help but please indicate where this has been given.

**Yr5:** Maths: A sheet of 15 mixed maths questions.

English: 2 pages in the Grammar book on Apostrophes (p.58&59).

**Yr4:** Maths: A sheet of 15 mixed maths questions.

English: 2 pages in the Grammar book on Apostrophe Practice (p.58&59).

## **Friends of the School**

Thank you for bringing in your bottles today ready for the May Day tombola.

Preparations for May Day are now in full swing, and there will be lots of updates over the next couple of weeks. An email will be sent out shortly asking for donations to the teddy bear tombola, and your year group reps will be in contact to organise your stalls. Plates will be sent home the week before so that some creations can be made for the home produce stall, and raffle tickets will be sent home with your children next week.

If any local businesses would like to sponsor the event then please contact the School office. We really hope that you can get involved, and we look forward to seeing you on the day.

A quick reminder to return any Easter reading sponsorship forms if you haven't already done so. Thank you.

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**SWIMMING CRASH COURSES – MAY HALF TERM** 🏊‍♂️🏊‍♂️🏊‍♂️

*Is your child looking to learn a life skill or a boost to the next stage of the swim scheme?*

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*Our half-term crash courses with Ryan will be perfect for you!*

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**27th -31st May 2024** 🏊‍♂️🏊‍♂️🏊‍♂️🏊‍♂️

**08.00 – Stage 5**

**08.30 - Stage 4**

**09.00 - Stage 3**

**09.30 Stage 1**

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**Lodge Road, Daventry NN11 4GP : Daventry Leisure Centre : Cost: £37.50 Call: 01327 871144**

**Recycle 4 Charity.** We are now collecting used ink cartridges, via Recycle 4 Charity, to help us raise funds for the Friends of the school. We have a box in the school office, so please feel free to bring your old ink cartridges along for recycling. Please note the company does not accept toner or laser cartridges.

***Please note we are not collecting batteries or stamps at present. Thank you.***



## **ALL STARS AND DYNAMOS CRICKET 2024**

**STARTING MAY 31st**

**A great way for kids to give cricket a try  
For all ages between Reception and Year 6**



**Cricket for Everyone!!**

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### Academic year 2023-24

TERM 5	May Day Close	Monday Friday	6 <sup>th</sup> May 24 <sup>th</sup> May
TERM 6	Re-open Close Training Day Training Day	Monday Friday Monday Tuesday	3 <sup>rd</sup> June 19 <sup>th</sup> July 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 23 <sup>rd</sup> July

### Academic year 2024-25 (with provisional training days)

TERM 1	Training Day Re-open Close	Monday Tuesday Friday	2 <sup>nd</sup> September 3 <sup>rd</sup> September 25 <sup>th</sup> October
TERM 2	Re-open Close	Monday Friday	4 <sup>th</sup> November 20 <sup>th</sup> December
TERM 3	Training Day Re-open Close	Monday Tuesday Friday	6 <sup>th</sup> January 7 <sup>th</sup> January 14 <sup>th</sup> February
TERM 4	Re-open Close	Monday Friday	24 <sup>th</sup> February 4 <sup>th</sup> April
TERM 5	Training Day Re-open May Day Close	Tuesday Wednesday Monday Friday	22 <sup>nd</sup> April 23 <sup>rd</sup> April 5 <sup>th</sup> May 23 <sup>rd</sup> May
TERM 6	Re-open Close Training Day Training Day	Monday Friday Monday Tuesday	2 <sup>nd</sup> June 18 <sup>th</sup> July 21 <sup>st</sup> July 22 <sup>nd</sup> July

