

# EAST HUNSBURY PRIMARY SCHOOL

#WeareEastHunsburyPrimary

## Newsletter

3rd November 2023

### MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Dear Families

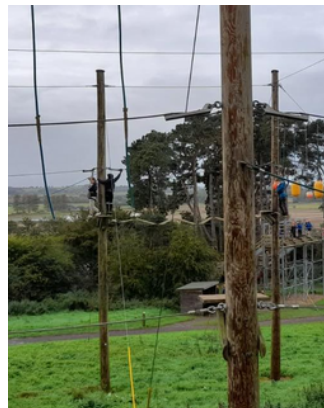
Welcome back to Autumn 2... the half term where we lead up to Christmas! But first... we have lots of learning and exciting events taking place.

#### Spooktacular – thank you!

Thank you everyone who came and supported our Spooktacular event. It was a HUGE success and the feedback was very, very positive so we plan to do it again next year – even bigger and even better! Thank you to all the staff who gave up their time on a Saturday and an extra special thank you to Mrs Normington who had the idea and organised the whole thing!

#### Year 6 Adventures

Just before we broke up for the half-term holiday, the majority of our Year 6's went to Caythorpe PGL centre. They had a fantastic time fencing, climbing and singing but also bonding as a year group. Thank you so much to all of the staff who organised it, made the trip happen and gave our children such a memory building, magical adventure. Mrs Heavens, Mrs De Chastelain, Mrs Camplisson, Miss Coombes, Mrs Karakiraz and Miss Mann – you are all brilliant.



Back at school, the rest of the Year 6 children also had a great time. From Forest School cooking, to cake and pizza making, arts and sports. They also had a happy memory-building time.



## School of Life

On Tuesday, 6 of our Year 3 children visited Hunsbury Library to take part in our inter-generational School of Life project. This is a wonderful opportunity for children to play games and chat with our local senior citizens. It was lovely to see the interactions and smiles from everyone involved.



Also, over the half term holiday, Mrs Normington, Miss Cunnington and Mrs Pearce joined our children from Gardening Club who took part in our annual spring bulb planting with East Hunsbury Parish Council at the library. Afterwards, they visited Grangewood Park to check on the orchard they helped to plant last year and finally they had a well deserved play at the park! What a super, sunny day it was and thank you to all the staff who gave up their time over the holiday for such a worthwhile project. I hope you enjoy the flowers when they bloom.



All of the above is part of our commitment to work with our local community and as part of our Education Team: Our World.

So much time is given by our staff over the holidays whether it is helping with renovations, setting up events or planning/preparing for new learning – I am very thankful as their headteacher.

## Cookery Club

We are really trying to expand our club offer to families and this week saw the start of Year 2 cookery club! Some lovely smells wafted down the corridors after school – yummy!

## Mini-Bus

Have you seen the newest member of our family? We have a new mini-bus! We are really excited to get out and about on it. Please wave if you ever see us pass you!



## Roofing Works and Car Parking

You will have noticed the scaffolding and roofing works which have started. With support from the Trust, we are thrilled that this much needed renovation work is taking place. The project is due to take between 12 - 15 weeks. Do not park in the car park unless you have a parking pass or disabled badge. We need to work together for the safety of our children. Furthermore, I appreciate the lack of parking is frustrating. This is a common problem for many schools but we must always be safe and treat each other kindly. Leave early and walk if you can. Thank you to the Year 4 families who have been most accommodating with regards to using an alternative entrance. It will all be worth it in the end.

## Bonfire Night Safety

It's bonfire night this weekend! If you are attending or taking part in any events, I hope you have a wonderful, safe time – I have posted the fireworks code on our [Facebook page](#).

Lastly, tomorrow night some of our Year 4 children with Mrs Fenton, Mrs Landeman, Mrs York and Mrs Kelly will be taking part in the Northants Diwali Festival Parade in Northampton Town Centre. Come along and watch! It is a fantastic, community spectacular!

Ms Pennington



## Poppy Appeal

The annual Royal British Legion poppy appeal has arrived in school. Next week, you can send money in with your child and they will have the opportunity to make a donation during the day for a poppy, wristband or pencil or you can come to the school office with your child before or after school between Monday 6th and Thursday 9th November to make a donation.



[Click here to download our online safety newsletter](#)



## Alumni 1 - Paige Gibson – SHE DID IT! WORLD FULL CONTACT KICK BOXING CHAMPION!

Thank you ALL so very much for your kind and generous donations to support Paige. We are beyond pleased to tell you that she WON GOLD at the World Kickboxing Championships in Canada this week. We are so proud to say that we have contributed to Paige smashing her £500 Crowd Funding target which is now at £1021 (when I last checked) – thank you everyone! Paige is our first Alumni and we could not be prouder of all that she has achieved – we were honoured that she had the EHPS logo on the back of her shirt and really displayed our values of Work Hard, Believe and Be Kind! Well done Paige - WORLD CHAMP!!



SCHOLASTIC TRAVELLING BOOKS

FREE BOOKS FOR YOUR SCHOOL WHEN YOU BUY AT THE BOOK FAIR!

**COME To** the **BOOK FAIR!**

A POP-UP BOOK-STORE WITH HUNDREDS OF BOOKS FROM JUST £2.99

NEW **TOM GATES** FIVE STAR STORIES **Hardback only £7.99**

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NEW **ROSIE FROST** **£7.99**

NEW **CAT KID** COMIC CLUB **£8.99**

NEW **PERCE JACKSON** **GREAT DEAL only £2.99**

NEW **The Baddies** **£7.99**

NEW **BLUESY** BARKY BORTS **£6.99**

LOOK!

LAST YEAR YOUR SUPPORT HELPED DONATE **£5.3M** IN FREE BOOKS TO SCHOOLS NATIONWIDE

## COME TO THE BOOK FAIR

WEDNESDAY 15TH - FRIDAY 17TH  
NOVEMBER FROM  
3.30PM - 4.00PM EVERY DAY  
AND DURING PARENTS' EVENING

You can pay by cash or card.

Please bring your card with you to the bookfair.

East Hunsbury Primary School

What's coming up this *Christmas*

17TH NOVEMBER  
MUFTI FOR CHRISTMAS HAMPERS

26TH NOV 12PM - 5PM  
EAST HUNSBURY LIBRARY  
FESTIVE FAIR

2ND DECEMBER  
EHPS CHRISTMAS FETE  
10.00AM - 1.00PM  
IN SCHOOL HALL

11TH DEC 9.30am - 10.30am  
and 4.00pm - 5.00pm  
RECEPTION NATIVITY

12TH DEC  
RECEPTION & BLUE CLASS  
TRIP TO WEST LODGE  
RURAL CENTRE

12TH DECEMBER  
6.00PM - 7.00PM  
YR 1 & GREEN  
CAROLS BY TWINKLELIGHT

13TH DECEMBER  
3.30 - 5.30 FEHPS  
CHRISTMAS FILM  
NIGHT  
more info to follow

13TH DECEMBER  
CHRISTMAS LUNCH  
BOOK ON SCHOOL GRID

14TH DECEMBER  
YR 6 & RED CLASS  
CHRISTMAS CAROLS &  
CRAFTS TBC

18TH DECEMBER  
WHOLE SCHOOL CHRISTMAS PARTY DAY WITH  
DISCO. CHRISTMAS JUMPERS AND PARTY  
CLOTHES CAN BE WORN  
Donations will not be requested



# E-Safety



## What Parents & Carers Need to Know about THE DANGERS OF VAPING

**WHAT ARE THE RISKS?**

**NICOTINE ADDICTION**  
Since they were first developed to help people quit smoking, nicotine has been used in a variety of ways. In recent years, it has been used in e-cigarettes and vapes. Nicotine can be addictive and can cause long-term addiction. Some studies have reported students having their focus in lessons affected by nicotine cravings, vaping in school toilets, and even trying vapes found in their local park. Raising awareness of the risks among young people could help to prevent these problems from escalating and reduce the number of young vapers.

**WHAT IS VAPING?**  
Vaping involves a liquid (e-liquid or e-juice) that is heated by a battery and inhaled. The liquid is usually a mixture of nicotine, propylene glycol, vegetable glycerine, and flavourings. Most e-liquids contain nicotine and are often flavoured.

**LACK OF AWARENESS**  
A proportion of young people who use vapes are unaware of the potential health risks associated with the product's composition and the potential for nicotine addiction. This is because many young people don't fully appreciate the health risks associated with the product. They often incorrectly assume that the nicotine content is low, or that they are not addicted to it.

**POTENTIAL TOXICITY**  
Some vapes contain heavy metals such as lead, nickel, and chromium. These metals can be inhaled and can cause health problems. Some vapes also contain toxic chemicals such as diethylene glycol, which is a common ingredient in antifreeze.

**UNCLEAR LONG-TERM CONSEQUENCES**  
The health effects of vaping are still unclear. While some studies have shown that vaping is less harmful than smoking, there is still a risk of lung disease and other health problems. The long-term effects of vaping are still being studied.

**ATTRACTIVE PACKAGING**  
The packaging of many vapes is designed to be attractive to young people. This can make it easier for them to get their hands on a vape. Some vapes are also sold in flavours that are popular with young people, such as fruit and candy.

**ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS**  
The production and disposal of vapes can have a negative impact on the environment. Vapes are made from plastic and other materials that are not biodegradable. They also contain chemicals that can be harmful to the environment.

**WIDER HEALTH CONCERNS**  
The use of vapes is increasing rapidly, and this is leading to a rise in the number of young people who are using them. This is a concern because vapes are not safe for young people. They can be addictive and can cause health problems. They can also be used to deliver other drugs, such as heroin and cocaine.

**UNREGULATED VAPING PRODUCTS**  
The number of vapes on the market is increasing rapidly, and this is leading to a rise in the number of unregulated vapes. These vapes are not safe for young people. They can be addictive and can cause health problems. They can also be used to deliver other drugs, such as heroin and cocaine.

**SCARCE INFORMATION**  
The lack of information about the ingredients and potential health risks of vapes is a major concern. This is because many young people do not know what they are inhaling when they vape. This can lead to health problems and addiction.

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## What Parents & Carers Need to Know about AMONG US

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**SENSITIVE PREMISE**  
Among Us is a social deduction game set in outer space. Among Us enjoyed a surge in popularity in 2020, and has since maintained a dedicated fan-base globally, around 65 million regular players across mobile, PC and console. Among Us has a premise and mode of access across numerous platforms. The game's content is suitable for most ages, although the social deduction aspect of the game may be challenging for some of the real-life risks that parents and carers of young Among Us players need to be aware of.

**GOING OFF PLATFORM**  
While Among Us provides basic controls for use on mobile devices, many players prefer to use external controllers such as Xbox or PlayStation controllers. This can lead to players going off platform to use their preferred controller. This is a concern because external controllers are not always safe for young people. They can be addictive and can cause health problems. They can also be used to deliver other drugs, such as heroin and cocaine.

**IN-GAME PURCHASES**  
Among Us is free to download on mobile devices, but it does have in-game purchases. These purchases can be used to buy cosmetic items for your character, such as hats and skins. These purchases can be used to buy cosmetic items for your character, such as hats and skins. These purchases can be used to buy cosmetic items for your character, such as hats and skins.

**CHAT BETWEEN PLAYERS**  
With up to 15 people participating in each game online, a large part of Among Us is spent in chat. This chat is not moderated, and players can use it to communicate with each other. This is a concern because chat can be used to spread misinformation and to harass other players. It can also be used to deliver other drugs, such as heroin and cocaine.

**CONSIDER SOFTER ALTERNATIVES**  
Among Us is a social deduction game set in outer space. It is a fun and engaging game, but it can be challenging for some young people. Consider softer alternatives that are more suitable for young people. These alternatives can be used to help young people learn social skills and to have fun.

**CHAT ABOUT CHATTING**  
It is important to talk to your child about chat. Explain to them that chat is a place where people can communicate with each other. It is important to be careful about what you say in chat. Do not share personal information, such as your name, address, or phone number. Do not talk to strangers. If you are unsure about something, ask a parent or carer.

**DISCUSS DISCORD**  
Discord is a popular online communication platform. It is used by many young people to chat with their friends. It is important to be careful about what you say in Discord. Do not share personal information, such as your name, address, or phone number. Do not talk to strangers. If you are unsure about something, ask a parent or carer.

**AMONG US, AMONG FRIENDS**  
When your child and their friends get together, they can enjoy Among Us together. This is a fun and engaging game, but it can be challenging for some young people. Consider softer alternatives that are more suitable for young people. These alternatives can be used to help young people learn social skills and to have fun.

**STOP SURPRISE SPENDING**  
If you're concerned about the possibility of your child making an unauthorised purchase, you could consider using parental controls on their device. These controls can be used to limit the amount of money that your child can spend on in-game purchases. You could also consider using a prepaid card to pay for in-game purchases. This way, you can limit the amount of money that your child can spend on in-game purchases.

VISIT OUR WEBSITE FOR MORE INFORMATION

## What Parents & Carers Need to Know about EA SPORTS FC 24

**WHAT ARE THE RISKS?**

**RECURRING RELEASES**  
EA Sports FC 24 is a football simulation game. It is a fun and engaging game, but it can be challenging for some young people. Consider softer alternatives that are more suitable for young people. These alternatives can be used to help young people learn social skills and to have fun.

**OFFENSIVE VOICE CHAT**  
EA Sports FC 24 has a voice chat feature. This feature allows players to communicate with each other. It is important to be careful about what you say in voice chat. Do not share personal information, such as your name, address, or phone number. Do not talk to strangers. If you are unsure about something, ask a parent or carer.

**IN-GAME PURCHASES**  
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**ULTIMATE TEAM SCAMMERS**  
EA Sports FC 24 has a feature called Ultimate Team. This feature allows players to collect and trade virtual players. This is a fun and engaging feature, but it can be challenging for some young people. Consider softer alternatives that are more suitable for young people. These alternatives can be used to help young people learn social skills and to have fun.

**POTENTIAL FOR ADDICTION**  
EA Sports FC 24 is a fun and engaging game, but it can be addictive for some young people. This is a concern because addiction can lead to health problems and other issues. Consider softer alternatives that are more suitable for young people. These alternatives can be used to help young people learn social skills and to have fun.

**CONTROL SPENDING**  
If your child enjoys EA Sports FC 24, it is important to be careful about how much money they spend on in-game purchases. Consider using parental controls to limit the amount of money that your child can spend on in-game purchases. You could also consider using a prepaid card to pay for in-game purchases. This way, you can limit the amount of money that your child can spend on in-game purchases.

**DEFEND AGAINST SCAMMERS**  
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**AVOID EXTRA TIME**  
EA Sports FC 24 is a fun and engaging game, but it can be time-consuming for some young people. This is a concern because spending too much time on a game can lead to health problems and other issues. Consider softer alternatives that are more suitable for young people. These alternatives can be used to help young people learn social skills and to have fun.

**CELEBRATE THE VARIETY**  
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## What Parents & Carers Need to Know about FACEBOOK

**WHAT ARE THE RISKS?**

**ADDICTIVE NATURE**  
Facebook is a social media platform. It is a fun and engaging platform, but it can be addictive for some young people. This is a concern because addiction can lead to health problems and other issues. Consider softer alternatives that are more suitable for young people. These alternatives can be used to help young people learn social skills and to have fun.

**CYBERBULLYING**  
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**FUTURE IMPACT**  
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**CONTACT FROM STRANGERS**  
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**KEEP ACCOUNTS PRIVATE**  
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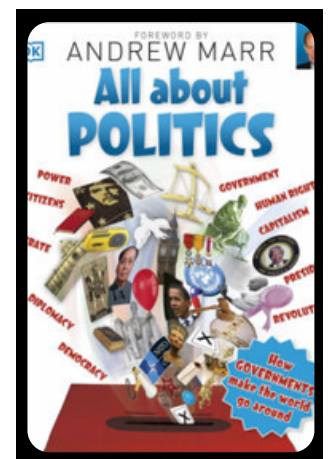
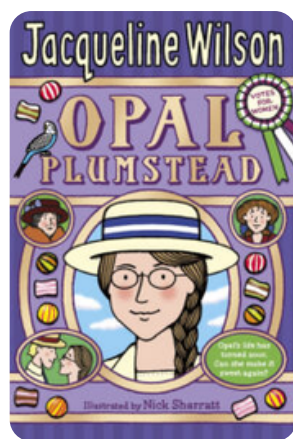
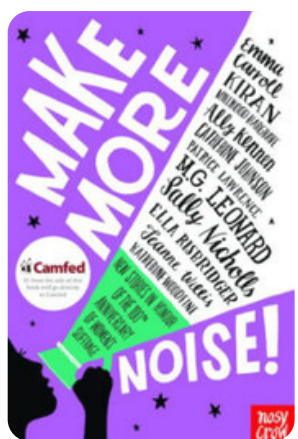
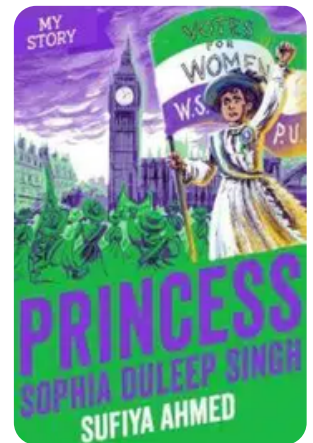
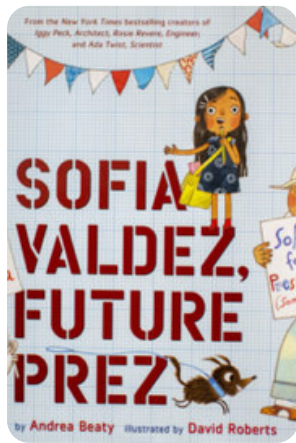
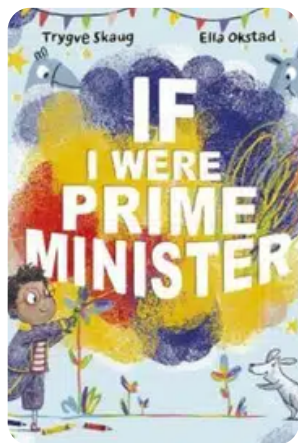
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**LEAD BY EXAMPLE**  
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**RESPECT BOUNDARIES**  
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**BLOCK AND REPORT**  
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# UK PARLIAMENT WEEK 1ST - 7TH NOVEMBER



# FEHPS dates...



Date	Time	Event
17.11.23		Mufti in exchange for hamper items
2.12.23 (Saturday)	10am-1pm	Christmas Fayre
13.12.23 (Wednesday)	3:30-5:30	Christmas Movie Night
9.2.24 (Friday)	5:30-7:30	Family Bingo Night
15.03.24		Mufti in exchange for chocolate
23.03.24 (Saturday)	10am-1pm	Easter Community Café and Easter Egg Hunt event
22.05.24	TBC	Disco
29.06.24 (Saturday)	10am-1pm	Summer Gala

## Lost Property

Please label everything (including gloves, hats and scarves) as we are beginning to get a lot of lost property. All unclaimed and unnamed items of clothing will either be donated to our pre-loved uniform collection or charity after 6 weeks.

## Parents' Evening *including Scholastic Book Fair*

15th November - 3.50pm - 6.30pm - Mainstream and SU

16th November - 3.50pm - 6.30pm - Mainstream only

Parents' evening will be held in person in school. **Booking closes at 11.55pm on 11th November.**

[Click here to book](#)

**BOOK  
NOW**

# MUFTI FRIDAY 17TH NOVEMBER



The Friends of EHPS ask you to donate an item to be part of a Christmas Hamper. The hampers will then be raffle prizes. Winning tickets will be drawn at our Christmas Fete on Saturday 2nd December 2023.

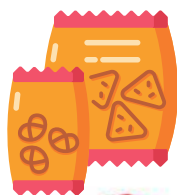


In exchange for these items, your child can come to school in mufti clothes on Friday 17th November.

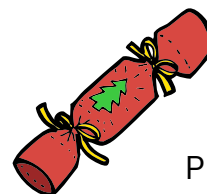
Lists will be put up on outside classroom windows on Thursday for you to sign up. If you don't sign up, please do still bring in something from the list.



Sweet biscuits



Savoury biscuits/crackers



Christmas Pulling Crackers



Crisps/snacks



Panettone



Christmas Pudding



Bottle of wine/alcohol



Jam



Chocolates

Sweets

Selection box



Mince Pies



Notebook and pen



Popcorn



Chutney



Non alcoholic drink



Christmas cake



Cheese straws



Hot Chocolate



Scented Candle



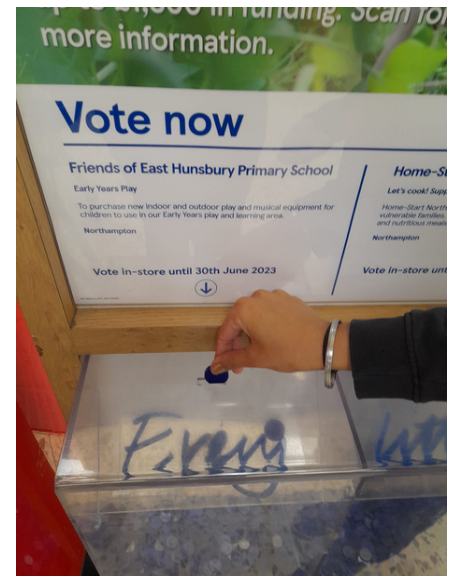
Hand wash





**WE NEED YOUR TOKENS!!!**  
**YOU CAN VOTE UNTIL MID**  
**JANUARY 2024**

We're delighted that our application to the Tesco Community Grants Scheme has been successful! You will need to make a purchase of any value in a TESCO store and add the blue token to the Community Grant Scheme box in the Tesco store. You will receive one token per transaction and it's not necessary to purchase a carrier bag in order to receive a token. **The project with the highest number of blue token votes across our region will receive £1,500, the second placed project £1,000, and the third placed project £500.** We will be putting the money we are awarded towards a breakfast club.



**You can vote for EHPS in the following TESCO stores:**

- Abington Express, 348 Wellingborough Rd NN1 4EX
- East Hunsbury Express, Butts Rd, NN4 0UE
- Northampton South, Clannell Rd, NN4 0JF
- Northampton 13-15 Abington St, NN1 2AN
- Northampton St Edmunds Express, Portland Pl, Wellingborough Rd, NN1 4DR



**SU NEWS**



We are pleased to introduce two new members of the SU team who will be joining us shortly. Neil Black, who currently teaches at a specialist setting in Wellingborough, will be joining us in January as teacher in Green Class. We look forward to welcoming Neil who is both experienced and passionate about teaching children with additional needs. Rachel Parris will be joining us later in November as the second TA in Orange Class. Rachel currently works at Fairfields School in Northampton and will bring with her years of experience in SEND and a love of outdoor learning. We are looking forward to welcoming both Rachel and Neil to the EHPS team.

In other news, Yellow Class joined year 4 for a Rainforest Experience in school this week. Simon, the explorer who ran the event, gave high praise to Yellow Class for their excellent behaviour and brilliant participation. Well done Yellow Class, it is always fantastic to have positive feedback from visitors, you clearly upheld our EHPS values and were brilliant!



Check out our Facebook Page for updates about what goes on in our classrooms.



**WE ARE RECRUITING!**

**Lunchtime Supervisor**  
5 days a week - 11.45am - 1.15pm

TO APPLY VISIT OUR WEBSITE  
[www.easthunsburyprimary.org.uk](http://www.easthunsburyprimary.org.uk)  
[office@easthunsburyprimary.org](mailto:office@easthunsburyprimary.org)  
 01604 677970

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## HELPFUL LINKS

- [New Parent Code of Conduct](#)
- [Attendance Newsletter](#)
- [Behaviour Policy](#)
- [Spring 2023 Wellbeing Survey](#)
- [Website](#)
- [Facebook](#)
- [Mobile Phone Policy](#)

[Visit our website to download an application pack](#)



Adults and children, including pre-school children, **are not permitted** before or after school on our new forestry equipment OR TO WALK THROUGH THE AREA. This is a learning space. If you are waiting to collect your child, please do not let any siblings play here.

**REMINDER**

**ALL SNACKS MUST BE NUT FREE**

this includes chocolate spread which contains nuts



**Is your child eligible for the Pupil Premium Grant?**

It is quick and easy to find out – [click here](#).

If you need any help, please pop into the school office.



**NO BIKES OR SCOOTERS ARE ALLOWED ON THE SCHOOL SITE**

*Please make sure that your child/ren dismount them and walk sensibly with them at all times.*

# CAREERS CORNER - COMPUTING

**Is Computing your passion? Do you see your future career in the world of computing?**

**Computer** careers refer to the roles that primarily focus on computing and technology. Due to technological advancements, careers in computing are constantly changing and hugely popular. There are various options available for those that want to pursue a career in computing and technology, all of which can be intellectually challenging and rewarding.



**Computer Technician:** maintains and repairs computing equipment for an individual or organisation.

**Computer Scientist:** focuses on using complex technology to assess and solve problems.

**Computer Engineer:** maintains software programs and typically works for a software development company.



**Video Game Designer:** is responsible for the creation and performance of popular video games.

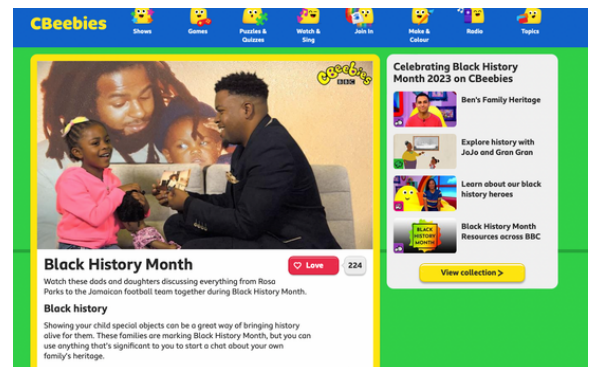
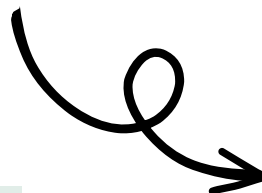
**Web Developer:** work with individual clients or organisations, as self-employed freelancers or full-time company employees, to help build and program their websites.

**Would you like to be an Ethical Hacker - [Find out more](#)**

**[CLICK HERE TO FIND OUT ABOUT OTHER COMPUTING JOBS](#)**



**[Click HERE](#) to watch a CBeebies programme about Black History Month**



**[and here](#) for a Black British History Animation of Olive Morris**

# Attendance News

Whole school average attendance this week was

**96.99%**

We are aiming to be at **96% + every week.**

	Weekly Attendance	Year Group	Weekly Attendance
Reception	96.67%	1	94.87%
2	97.74%	3	98.25%
4	98.67%	5	96.69%
6	96.11%		

**REMEMBER, lateness affects attendance and learning**



## Apply for a Blue Peter Book badge

Introducing the exciting new Book badge, designed by one of the UK's best known illustrators, Sir Quentin Blake; who you might know from bringing to life characters such as Roald Dahl's BFG and Matilda! To earn your badge, just share your love of books with Blue Peter by answering a few easy questions.

**[CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION](#)**

**BE KIND**

**WORK HARD**

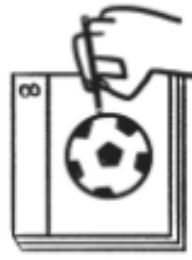
**BELIEVE**

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# New Ways November 2023



**MONDAY**      **TUESDAY**      **WEDNESDAY**      **THURSDAY**      **FRIDAY**      **SATURDAY**      **SUNDAY**



**1** Make a list of new things you want to do this month

**2** Respond to a difficult situation in a different way

**3** Get outside and observe the changes in nature around you

**4** Sign up to join a new course, activity or online community

**5** Change your normal routine today and notice how you feel

**6** Try out a new way of being physically active

**7** Be creative. Cook, draw, write, paint, make or inspire

**8** Plan a new activity or idea you want to try out this week

**9** When you feel you can't do something, add the word "yet"

**10** Be curious. Learn about a new topic or an inspiring idea

**11** Choose a different route and see what you notice on the way

**12** Find out something new about someone you care about

**13** Do something playful outdoors - walk, run, explore, relax

**14** Find a new way to help or support a cause you care about

**15** Build on new ideas by thinking "Yes, and what if..."

**16** Look at life through someone else's eyes and see their perspective

**17** Try a new way to practice self-care and be kind to yourself

**18** Connect with someone from a different generation

**19** Broaden your perspective: read a different paper, magazine or site

**20** Make a meal using a recipe or ingredient you've not tried before

**21** Learn a new skill from a friend or share one of yours with them

**22** Find a new way to tell someone you appreciate them

**23** Set aside a regular time to pursue an activity you love

**24** Share with a friend something helpful you learned recently

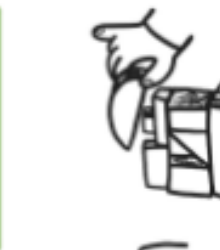
**25** Use one of your strengths in a new or creative way

**26** Try out a different radio station or new TV show

**28** Discover your artistic side. Design a friendly greeting card

**29** Enjoy new music today. Play, sing, dance or listen

**30** Look for new reasons to be hopeful, even in tough times



**ACTION FOR HAPPINESS**

**Happier · Kinder · Together**

# Dates for your diary

New dates since last  
newsletter

Date	Activity	Time
<b>NOVEMBER</b>		
04.11.23	Diwali Lantern Parade	5.00PM
12.11.23	Remembrance Event - Grangewood Park	10.45 - 11.15
15.11.23	Walk In Wednesday Maths	8.30am - 9.15am
15.11.23	Positive Noticing Day	all day
15 & 16.11.23	Parents' Evening (Mainstream)	3.50pm - 6.30pm
15.11.23	SU Parents' Evening	3.50pm - 6.50pm
17.11.23	FEHPS MUFTI in exchange for hamper items	ALL DAY
21.11.23	School of Life - East Hunsbury Library	10 - 11.30
22.11.23	Reception Phonics	9.00am - 11,00am
24.11.23	Flu Vaccinations for all children	All day
25.11.23	Choir Singing at Hunsbury Festive Fair at Hunsbury Library	3pm
27.11.23	Yr 5 Space Centre trip	All day
<b>DECEMBER</b>		
02.12.23	Christmas Fete	10am - 1pm
11.12.23	Reception Nativity	9.30 - 10.30am & 4 - 5pm
12.12.23	Year 2 & Purple Class Assembly	9.30 - 10.30am
12.12.23	Year 1 & Green Class Carols by twinklelight	6.00pm - 7.00pm

## DECEMBER

12.12.23	Reception & Blue to West Lodge Farm	All day
13.12.23	Christmas Lunch (book on School Grid)	
13.12.23	FEHPS Christmas Film night	Straight after school until TBC (approx 5:30)
14.12.23	Year 6 Christmas Carols & Crafts	TBC
18.12.23	Christmas Party Day	All Day

## JANUARY

11.01.24	Yr 4 Multiplication Check information meeting	4.30pm - 5.30pm
11.01.24	Young Voices Birmingham	All day
13.01.24	FEHPS Glow Disco	TBC
24.01.24	Walk In Wednesday Reading	8.30am - 9.15am
30.01.24	Yr 6 SATs Information meeting	4.30pm - 5.30pm
31.01.24	School of Life - East Hunsbury Library	10 - 11.30

## FEBRUARY

08.02.24	Year 1 Phonics Test Information Meeting	4.30pm - 5.30pm
09.02.23	FEHPS - Family Bingo Night	5:30-7:30
12 & 15.02.24	Year 6 Parents' Evening	3.50pm - 6.30pm
13.02.24	Year 3 & Orange Class Assembly	9.30 - 10.30am

## MARCH

6 & 7.03.24	Mainstream Parents' Evening (not Yr 6)	3.50pm - 6.30pm
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06.03.24	SU Parents' Evening	3.50pm - 6.50pm
13.03.24	Walk In Wednesday Easter Crafts	8.30am - 9.15am
15.03.24	Mufti Day in exchange for chocolate	all day
23.03.24	EHPS Easter Community Community Cafe and Easter egg hunt	10am-1pm
25.03.24	FEHPS Easter Cafe (Reception 9.15 - 10, Yr 1 10.30 - 11.15, Yr 2 1.30 - 2.15, Yr 3 2.30 - 3.15)	Various
26.03.24	Year 1 & Green Class Assembly	9.30 - 10.30am
<b>MAY</b>		
01.05.24	Walk In Wednesday Science	8.30am - 9.15am
21.05.24	Year 5 and Red Class	9.30am - 10.30am
22.05.12	FEHPS DISCO	TBC
<b>22.05.23</b>	<b>SU Show</b>	<b>Morning</b>
27.05.24	Year 4 Spring Assembly	9.30am - 10.30am
<b>JUNE</b>		
10 & 11.06.24	Class photos	All day
10.06.24	Sports Day Year 1	1.30 - 3.00pm
11.06.24	Sports Day Year 5	1.30 - 3.00pm



12.06.24	Sports Day Year 3	1.30 - 3.00pm
12.06.24	SU Sports Morning	9.30 - 11.30am
13.06.24	Sports Day Reception Sports Day Year 2	9.30am - 11.00am 1.30pm - 3.00pm
14.06.24	Sports Day Year 6	1.30am - 3.00pm
19.06.24	Walk In Wednesday Science	8.30am - 9.15am
19.06.24	Sports Day Year 4	1.30pm - 3.00pm
21.06.24	Summer Mufti in exchange for tombola prizes	all day
<b>JULY</b>		
29.06.24	Whole School Summer Fayre (Country dancing & Maypole by Years 2, 5, Purple & Red)	10.00 - 1.00pm
02.07.24	Reception & Blue Class Assembly	9.30 - 10.30am
08.07.24	Music Gala	5.30pm - 7.00pm
16.07.24	Yr 6 Leavers' Performance	6.00pm - 7.30pm
17.07.24	Yr 6 Leavers' Performance for toddlers to attend	9.30am - 11.00am
18.08.24	SU Yr 6 Leavers' Assembly	9.30am - 10.30am
22.07.24	Year 6 Leavers' Party	7.00pm - 9.00pm
23.07.24	Mainstream Yr 6 Leavers' Assembly	10.00am - 11.30am



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# Apply for a school place

Is your child's 4th  
birthday on or before  
**31 August 2024?**



## It's time to apply for a Reception place



Application Deadline:  
**15 January 2024**



[www.westnorthants.gov.uk/school-admissions](http://www.westnorthants.gov.uk/school-admissions)

Applications open on **8th September 2023** and close at **midnight on 15th January 2024** for children who will turn five from 1st September 2024 – 31st August 2025.

National offer day for these children will be **16th April 2024**.

All applications for admission must be made through [West Northamptonshire County Council](http://www.westnorthants.gov.uk)

# **NORTHAMPTON CASUALS U12S & U14S RECRUITING NEW PLAYERS**



**OUR WONDERFUL GIRLS TEAMS ARE  
RECRUITING PLAYERS IN SCHOOL YEARS  
6/7/8/9**

**ALL ABILITIES ARE WELCOME TO COME  
ALONG AND TRY OUT**

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