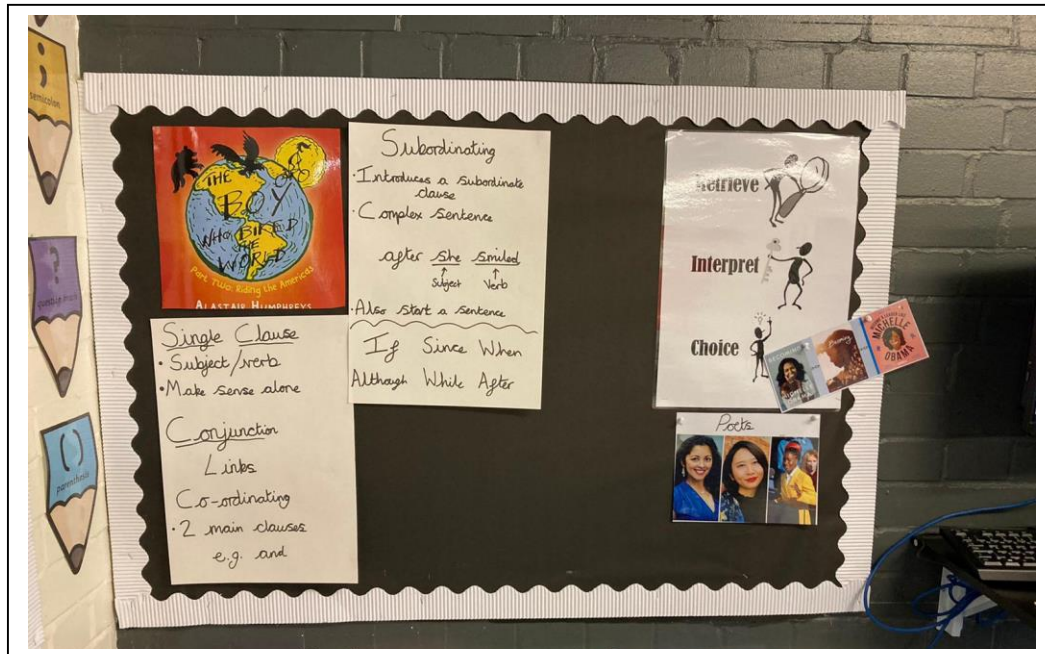


Eythorne Elvington CP School

Friday 3rd March 2023



School Year 2022/2023

Term 4

20th February – 31st March

Bank Holiday – 7th April

Bank Holiday – 10th April

School Holiday – 3rd April – 14th April

Term 5

17th April – 26th May

Bank Holiday - 1st May

Bank Holiday - 29th May

School Holiday- 29th May – 2nd June

Dates for your diary

Voice in a Million – 15th March

Netball – 17th March

Ultimate Frisbee – 23rd March

World Book Day

Thank you for making the effort to send children to school yesterday in such fantastic costumes for World Book Day; there were some brilliant costumes on show.

Drinks and Chewing Gum

I have noticed, on a few occasions this week, some of our older pupils bringing in bottles of “Prime” drink – this is not permitted in school and children should only have clear bottles with water in unless you have discussed this with myself and we have agreed something else on medical grounds. Similar has been noticed with some children with chewing gum and they obviously were told to remove it immediately. Please can I ask parents to support this by ensuring your children are not bringing items such as this into school in the first place.

Voice In A Million

For those who have registered their children to take part in Voice In A Million on 15th March, I will be writing to you early next week with the finer details for the trip.

Collecting From Clubs

Please can I remind parents that ALL clubs finish at 4pm promptly and children should be collected from their club locations at this time. We have found this week that some children were not being collected until around 4.10-4.15pm which impacts on staff's childcare arrangements.

Swimming Gala

Mr Allen is this morning taking a team of KS2 swimmers to Dover Leisure Centre to take part in a Swimming Gala – we wish them luck and will share the results with you in next week's newsletter.

PE Kit Days

Endeavour – Monday and Friday

Columbia- Tuesday and Friday

Challenger – Wednesday and Friday

Voyager – Wednesday and Friday



13th March
Break the Rules Day

17th March
Mother's Day Market

Girls Football

Earlier this week, we sent a team of girl footballer's to Goodwyn Academy to take part in a football tournament with another nine schools from the local area. For many of the girls involved this was their first experience of playing football and certainly at representing the school in a sports event. They had a great attitude to playing and showed excellent determination to continue playing in some extremely cold and wet conditions.

Break The Rules Day

I will be writing to you next week about our annual Break The Rules fundraiser day which takes place on Monday 13th March. This is a chance for children to break up to 20 rules during the day each time paying 50p for the privilege! It has always been a big hit in the past and all proceeds as always go back into the PTA who use it to further enhance the children's experience here at Eythorne Elvington. Thank you in advance for your support with this.

Forest School

Thank you to those parents who came along last Friday to work with Mrs Marsden on tidying up the Forest School area. Sessions have recommenced once again this week for some groups of children and after Easter we will be starting up the regular timetable for all classes to use this area.

Farm School

A huge thank you to the staff at Woodpecker Court Community Farm for hosting Discovery class on Monday. The children were able to go down and see first-hand the life on a farm which is all part of their learning this term.

Stars of The Week

Discovery

Beren – for taking pride in his learning.
Indie – for taking pride in her learning.

Voyager

Robin – showing confidence and ambition in maths lessons.
Chance – effort and enthusiasm in his phonics reading sessions.

Challenger

Rosie – for a detailed, well presented set of instructions.
Ralph – for showing great patience when working with others.

Columbia

Brianna – for her engagement and positive attitude this week in all of her learning. Well done!
Elsie – for being really engaged and focused with all of her learning this week. Well done!

Endeavour

Alfie R - for a continued improvement in his independent writing. Well done!
Logan - for a good attitude to his learning and having that perseverance to do well. Keep it up!

Neil Garvey
Headteacher

