Eythorne Elvington CP School

A brief newsletter this week given that we have only had the children back in school for a couple of days. It has been great to have them back and we have all been impressed with how quickly they have managed to get straight back into the swing of learning once again showing excellent learning attitudes.

Mr Hutcheon

We are delighted to have Mr Hutcheon join our team of staff this week and take up his role as class teacher for Endeavour class. I know that he has written to parents of children in his class already so if you have not yet received this letter please let school know and we will get a copy sent out to you.

After School Clubs

Clubs start up again from Monday (10th January). If you wish for your child to be removed from the club list, please contact the school office.

Book Bags

In Discovery and Atlantis class particularly it is important that they have a bag in school so that they can bring home reading books safely and ensure that they keep in a good condition. We will not be able to send home any books with children who do not have a bag so please ensure this is with them every day. Should you wish to buy a school book bag, this can be done at the school office.

Data Capture Forms

Last term data capture forms were sent home, thank you to those parents who completed and returned these to the school office. We are still a few outstanding and will be sending home copies to those parents who did not return theirs. These forms are completed on an annual basis and it is important these are completed and returned to the school as this enables us to update our records with any changes in respect of the pupils in many different areas.

School Year 2021/2022

Term 3

5th January – 11th February

School Holiday
14th February – 18th February

Term 4

21st February – 1st April
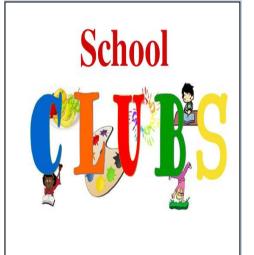
School Holiday
4th April – 14th April

Term 5

19th April – 27th May

School Holiday

30th May – 3rd June

Dates for your diary
Mental Health Week – 31st January
Safer Internet Week – 7th February
World Book Day – 3rd March
Science Week – 14th March
Red Nose Day – 18th March
Parent Consultations – 28 – 31 March
Year 6 Sats – 9th – 12th May
Year 6 Residential – 24th – 27th June

CONFIDENCE | AMBITION | PERSEVERANCE | EMPATHY | SUCCESS

Water Bottles

A lot of children are coming to school without a water bottle. Keeping hydrated is absolutely vital to children's ability to concentrate on their learning let alone stay healthy generally. Please make sure that your child brings a water bottle to school and if it helps this can stay at school. Again, water bottles can be bought from the school office.

Breakfast Club

Breakfast club will now be 15 minutes longer with sessions starting from 7:45am from Monday 10th January. The cost of breakfast club remains at £3.

Tapestry

Please can parents make sure you have access to your child's Tapestry account. There will be examples of work put on here at times but more importantly, in the event of any remote learning having to take place in the future this is where all work will be posted for children to access. If you have any problems accessing Tapestry please contact me directly at admin@eythorne-elvington.kent.sch.uk

School Shoes

Thank you to those couple of parents who have found me this week to explain that their children are currently not in school shoes as they wait to purchase new ones. I would like to remind everyone that our uniform policy is that children should be in black shoes and not trainers. Thank you for your support in this matter.
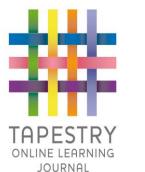
STARS OF THE WEEK

Discovery
Chance - for wearing his CAPE to achieve SUCCESS.
Ebony-Mae - for beautifully demonstrating her new learning.

Voyager
Ralph - success in independent writing.
Jude - always trying to help adults.

Columbia
Jenson - for great retention of learning from last term.

Challenger
Stanley - for an excellent return to school and showing confidence in his maths work.

Endeavour
Kasean - for showing amazing confidence.

Neil Garvey
Headteacher

Watch this space for up and coming PTA Events