

Eythorne Elvington CP School

Friday 6th May 2022



Reading

Reading is ABSOLUTELY crucial to the development of ANY child's learning. At school, we are passionate about and completely determined to do everything we can in a school day to ensure that EVERY child can read. We need the support of parents to continue this ambition at home. Children need to be getting the opportunities to read DAILY at home. What they read and for how long they read is flexible but it is important that they can read to someone and also have someone read to them. Thank you to all those parents who make the effort to acknowledge the great reading that takes place at home by noting this in their reading logs. Please can we ALL help the school in this way. If you need any advice or support in how best to support your child's reading at home, we are more than happy to talk with you about this.

Road Safety

On Wednesday of this week, all classes enjoyed a Road Safety work shop in the school hall. There were some excellent discussions had around how to keep safe when near roads and I am sure this is something that they may have come home and discussed with you further. On this note, I need to remind parents that children coming to school on a bike should be wearing a helmet. Staff are noticing some children leave the school on a bike to cycle down the main road without a helmet – please can I ask you to speak with your children about this also.

Year 6 SATS

Next week, the children in Year 6 get the opportunity to take on the end of Key Stage Two assessments (SATS) and show off all of their great learning over the past four years. As we all know, these four years have been greatly hampered by COVID and in fact the last full school year for these children was indeed when they were in Year 3. However, the staff and children have continued to work hard and we will make sure that next week is as stress free for them as possible. If you would like your Year 6 child to come to Breakfast Club next week, please ensure we have the permission slip back informing us of this.

School Year 2021/2022

Term 5

19th April – 27th May

School Holiday

30th May – 3rd June

Term 6

7th June – 21st July

Dates for your diary

Year 6 Sats – 9th – 12th May

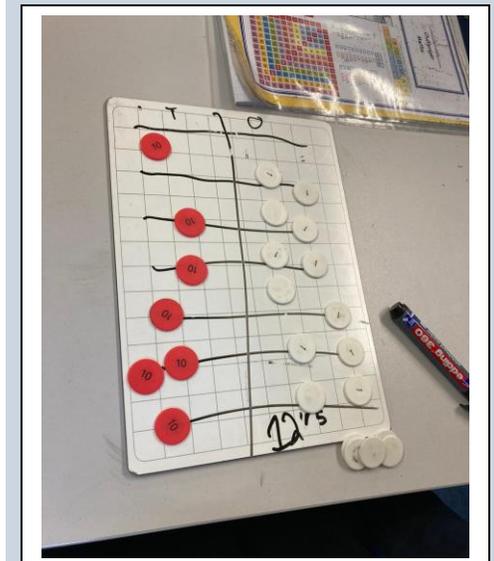
Year 6 Residential Meeting – 12th May

Queens Jubilee Picnic – 27th May

Year 6 Residential – 24th – 27th June

Staff Development day – 6th June

Summer Fayre – 8th July





Year 5 Parents Meeting

Last night, a meeting was held for parents with children currently in Year 5 to discuss the process for applying for Secondary School places. An email will be sent home to parents today containing the presentation notes.

PGL Meeting

This coming Thursday at 5:30pm, I will be meeting with parents of children in Year 6 who are attending the PGL Residential Trip in June. This meeting will go through all the finer details so please make every effort to attend.

Queens Jubilee

A letter will be coming home early next week regarding the Queens Jubilee celebrations at school on the afternoon of Friday 27th May. The plan for the afternoon is to have family picnics on the school field with music performances from all classes organised by our Music Teacher, Mr Miles. The letter will be asking for you to let us know how many family members to expect so please return these to us as soon as you possibly can.

Pantomime

A reminder that the deadline for pantomime permission slips and payment is 21st July. We need these in to secure your child's place for the Pantomime trip in December 2022.

STARS OF THE WEEK

Discovery

Jayden – for trying new things and taking pride in his learning.
Harper – for her amazing attitude towards her learning this week.

Atlantis

Darcy – for a great attitude in class this week.

Voyager

Alana – for persevering and trying her best in English.

Columbia

Mercedes – for success in working with fractions.
Simon – for an amazing, descriptive retelling of Beowulf.

Challenger

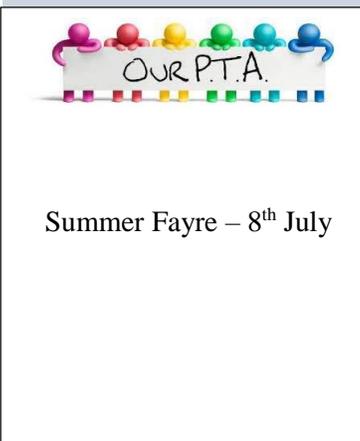
Meira – for her attitude and confidence in all areas this week.
Sophia – for her positivity and effort across the week.

Endeavour

Harry E – for good questioning skills and always asking good questions to help his understanding within his learning.
Aston – for creating a very detailed and well-presented help sheet on the Mayan number system, well done!

Neil Garvey

Headteacher



Summer Fayre – 8th July



Football Fixtures

Watch this space for up and coming fixtures

