

Eldersfield Lawn CofE Primary School

Friday 6th September 2024

THIS WEEK'S NEWS

Our School Vision is LIFE - Living and Inspiring Futures for Everyone

Our School Christian Values are – Hope, Community, Dignity, Wisdom, Joy and Peace

This term we will be focusing on Hope

May the God of hope fill you with joy and peace as you trust in him – *Romans 15:13*

Message from the Headteacher

Welcome back to the new school year and the autumn term! We hope you all enjoyed a wonderful break. The children have returned looking very smart and we can't believe how much most of them have grown over the summer too!

Thank you for ensuring your children arrive promptly at school. This really makes such a difference. We will continue to offer the staggered start with the doors opening at 8.35am. Please note the official school start time for registration is 8.45am. All classes will begin focused teaching at this time which includes reading and phonics sessions.

We have been busy planning lots of exciting things for the children this term and a list of diary dates will be shared with you in next week's newsletter.

Welcome Meetings

As arranged previously, each teacher will hold a 'welcome meeting' for parents of children in their class. Please find the dates for these below:

- Class 1 (Reception) Tuesday 17th September at 5.30pm with Mrs Kelsey
- Class 2 (Year 1 and 2) Tuesday 24th September at 3.20pm with Mrs Tambling and Mrs Evetts
- Class 3 (Year 3 and 4) Monday 16th September at 3.20pm with Mr Howard
- Class 4 (Year 5 and 6) Wednesday 18th September at 3.20pm with Mrs Carolan and Mrs George

We look forward to welcoming our new Reception children cohort who will be joining us next week.

Requests for toy donations

Teachers have been sorting through their classroom resources to create new and interesting areas for the children to learn from and experience. If anyone has some unwanted toy diggers or farm vehicles, these would be ideal for the outdoor area in Year 1 and 2.

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After School Clubs

The after- school activity clubs begin from next Monday 9th September.

French

In order to go ahead with the French Club we require at least 2 more places to be filled. Therefore, this club will be opened up to children in Year 3 so please sign up using the details below. If we still do not have enough interest by 9am Monday morning then this club will be cancelled.

Yoga

We have 4 more places to be filled for this club to go ahead. Therefore, we have opened the booking for children who are in Year 2.

After School Clubs (starting week commencing 9th September 2024)

Day	Activity	Provider	Age groups	Notes
Monday	HandBall	WithTheBall	Year1-Year 6	Details have been email to parents. Sign up via link: https://with-the-ball-sports-coaching.classforkids.io/info/145
Monday	French	La Jolie Ronde	Year 1 – Year 3	Details have been emailed to parents. Sign up: www.clubenrolment.com/Aurore
Tuesday	Rugby	Petelo Rugby	Year 1 - Year 6	https://www.petelorugbyallstars.co.uk/collections/after-school-clubs/products/eldersfield-lawn-c-of-e-primary-school
Wednesday	Yoga	Annet Richards-Binns	Year 2 – Year 6	Sign up via ParentPay
Thursday	Football Club	Andy Tucker Soccer	Year 1 - Year 6	Sign-up via link: https://atsoccercamps.classforkids.io/info/644 7 weeks starting on the 12th September
Thursday	Singing	Mrs Wellon	Year 1 – Year 6	Sign-up via ParentPay 7 weeks starting on the 12th September

Sports Clubs

If you know of any good, high quality sports clubs in the local area which your child may have participated in and you would recommend to others, we'd be grateful if you could share these contacts with the school office. This will enable us to refresh a sports list of providers which we can then signpost to all parents.

Reminders

School Lunches – please remember that booking for school lunches closes on the Wednesday ahead of the week you are booking for.

If you require After School Care please ensure this is pre-booked on ParentPay. Booking closes on the Friday ahead of the week required.

Please ensure that all children bring their water bottle and a coat to school every day.