



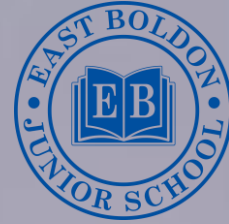
EAST BOLDON JUNIOR SCHOOL



'Be the best that we can be'



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The Inside Scoop

With SATs week approaching, I wanted to publicly thank the pupils and families for all of their hard work. I would also like to set them some **very important homework** to be completed this weekend: do something that makes you *smile*; do something that makes you *laugh* and do something fun with your *family*. I say this every year, I want the children to not worry about the SATs papers. You have all worked hard – just do your best and we will be so **PROUD** of you all! *Mr Shenton*



'Howzat?!'

Coaches from the Durham Wildcats visited our school to deliver a fun cricket taster session for every class. The children practised bowling, fielding



and hitting the ball. We've got some very talented players! If anyone is interested in cricket, there are some brilliant local clubs with youth coaching clubs. Find out more by visiting [Dynamos Cricket](#).

Y3 Garage Band

Our Y3 pupils' music lessons this term are really exciting! The children are composing and creating music using the app 'Garage Band', which is being delivered by South Tyneside's Music Service.



Global Tastes

Our school kitchen is providing some 'Global Tastes' options on the 21st. Children can sample oriental, European, American, and Scandinavian delights. Popular school dinner options will also be available.



'Advantage, EBJ!'

Some of our Y3s and Y4s went to a tennis competition at Boldon Lawn Tennis Club. The children finished third overall and their attitudes and behaviour were wonderful throughout. Well done!



Governors' Corner ✓

A lovely group of parents popped in for tea, coffee and scones last week and they were fantastic! They shared with us that it was very worthwhile and they are going to encourage other parents to come to the next one in September. We'll see you then.



Writers of the week

Year 3 – Joe, Rose, Theo & India

Year 4 – Joshua, Heidi, Sydney & Joey

Year 5 – Tilly, Jude, Amelia & Jacob

Year 6 – Vivienne, Alfie, Blake & Harry

Stars of the week

Year 3 – Emilie, Misty, Jasper & Oliver

Year 4 – Florence, Harry & Olivia

Year 5 – Noah, Charlie, Jake & Clara

Year 6 – Leo, Luke, Lucille & Leo H

Term dates for your diary

Please keep an eye on this section, as we regularly add events to the calendar (**new dates in bold**).



Summer term:
15th April – 24th May
3rd June – 19th July

13 May: Y6 SATs Week

21 May: 'Global Tastes' dinner

22 May: 6SW @ The Word

23 May: Y5 Curriculum Parent Event

24 May: 6BJ @ The Word

Half Term 27th – 31st May

4 Jun: 6SW Library visit

6 Jun: 6BJ Library visit

18 Jun: 6SW Nissan visit

19 Jun: 6BJ Nissan visit

19 Jun: 3LS visit The Word

21 Jun: 3HW visit The Word

24 Jun: Sports Day (PM)

1 July: 5SC Bikeability Week

1-5 July: Y6 Residential

8 July: 5JM Bikeability Week

11-12 July: Y6 transition days

12 July: whole school 'Move Up day'

15 July: Sports Day (back up date)

17 July: Y6 Leavers Assembly

To see our online calendar for the whole academic year click [here](#).

Child Safety Reminders:

Parking

Please drive slowly on North Lane and around the school gates. A few parents have expressed their concerns with the speed of vehicles. Thank you



Dogs

Unfortunately, as much as we love our four-legged friends, we do not allow dogs on site (apart from guide dogs).

