



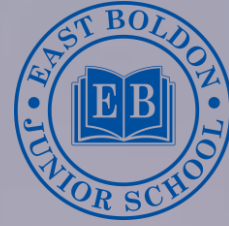
# EAST BOLDON JUNIOR SCHOOL



'Be the best that we can be'



## Newsletter 17 - June 2024



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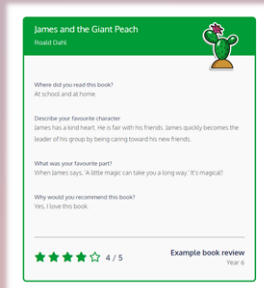


### The Inside Scoop

We're so excited to let you all know that we have a new website. The web address hasn't changed – it's still [www.eastboldonjuniors.co.uk](http://www.eastboldonjuniors.co.uk) but it's been revamped by the great people at Revibe Marketing. Why not click the link and take a look at our school news, calendar, Parent Zone and more? Here are some of the new features from our new Kids Zone.

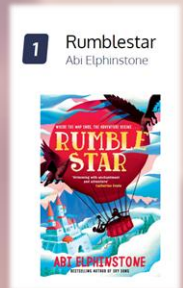
### Book Reviews

Finished a good book recently? Why not publish a book review on our website? All you need to do is answer a few simple questions about your book, make a badge, give it a star rating and done!



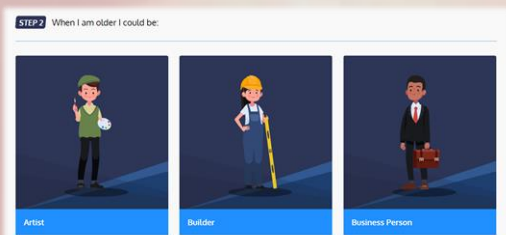
### Recommended Reading

School staff have collated some of our favourite books for you. You can go on an adventure or get completely lost in a story. Each year group has at least a dozen recommended reads for you. Enjoy!



### Careers Pathway Game

As a Primary Pilot Careers Benchmark school, we're very keen for our children to learn about the wide range of careers to explore. Why not play our game to see what careers may interest you?



### DOSE Magazine

Mental health is incredibly important to us and our pupils. Each month we will update this page to give you some of the latest DOSE Magazine resources, to help get those endorphins flowing.



I hope you love the new additions to our website.  
*Mr Shenton*

### Sports Day

Thank you so much for coming to school and cheering on the children during their Sports Day. The pupils love to display their Olympic Values of Excellence, Friendship and Respect. We are so proud of them all!



### Nissan

Year 6 have visited Nissan for their Eco School workshop. We have some amazing scientists and eco warriors in the making! Well done for your engagement and questions to learn more.



### Lego Fairground Animations

Year 3 pupils had a wonderful day at the Word. They made amazing moving fairgrounds using Lego and created their own animations online. It is great to see the children exploring their creative side.



### UoS Football Match

After all of the success of the boys and girls football teams this season, we decided to bring back the pupils v adults football match. The University of Sunderland were very keen to get involved. Their trainee teachers and university mentors joined forces with EBJ staff to play a mixed boys and girls seven-a-side game. The match culminated in a last minute equaliser by the children much to the supporters' delight! Well done to everyone involved and a huge thank you to the university for supporting our school.



### Dance Festival

Our dancers were truly amazing performing at The Customs House this week. Three groups took to the stage – two school performances and one from Cheryl's afterschool club. We are so proud of them! Well done!!



### Y3/4 Cricket Champions

Our younger pupils added to our County Cup Trophies in Y5 and Y6 this year by winning their tournament at Boldon CC this week. We have seriously good players, who love nothing more than batting, bowling and fielding. If your child loves sport and wants to train and play, there are some amazing local cricket clubs. Go get involved!





### Writers of the week

Year 3 – Alex, Harry & Abigail

Year 4 – Zach, Niko, Olivia & Troy

Year 5 – Rubi & Will

### Stars of the week

Year 3 – Felicity & Ioan

Year 4 – Eli, Willis, Leo & Millie

Year 5 – Amelia & Theo

Year 6 – Mya

### Head Teacher Awards

Poppy (Y3), Casper, Noah (Y4), Jude (Y5), Leah, Oscar-Luke, Isaac & Seb (Y6) have all impressed Mr Shenton recently by following our school values. Well done!

### 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:  
15<sup>th</sup> April – 24<sup>th</sup> May  
3<sup>rd</sup> June – 19<sup>th</sup> July

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 – AM (back up date)  
15 July: Family Picnic (1:30-4:30pm)  
17 July: Y6 Leavers' Dinner  
17 July: Y6 Leavers Assembly (Starts 1:30pm)

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

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### **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).

