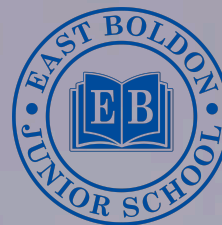


EAST BOLDON JUNIOR SCHOOL

 'Be the best that we can be' 

Newsletter 3 - October 2026

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Head Teacher's Corner

What a fantastic month it has been at East Boldon Juniors! The children have settled into school life brilliantly, adapting quickly to new routines, filling the classrooms with enthusiasm, and showing real pride in being part of our school community. Teachers have been delighted by their hard work, positive attitudes and eagerness to learn right from day one. Looking ahead, we have an exciting and busy schedule packed with activities, learning opportunities and school events. Please make sure to check the updated calendars to stay up to date with all the upcoming dates for the year! *Mr Shenton*



Baking a Difference

A massive thank you to everyone who joined us last week for our [Macmillan Coffee Mornings](#)! It was wonderful to see the hall packed with families and friends enjoying a hot drink and a sweet treat together.



We are incredibly grateful to everyone who baked, donated cakes or gifted items for our raffle. Thank you to Beamish Museum, Blossoms & Bows, Boldon Bees, Dicksons and Stephanie Jarvis Podiatry - your generosity was overwhelming. Thanks to your amazing support, we raised over £1,200 for Macmillan Cancer Support to help those affected by cancer. Thank you for making it such a success!

A Celebration of Languages with Lingotots!

We celebrated [European Day of Languages](#) in style with a fantastic visit from the specialist language teachers at Lingotots! The children were treated to an interactive assembly filled with lively songs, fun games and plenty of practice speaking French, German and Spanish. It was wonderful to see so much enthusiasm and energy as the children embraced new vocabulary and cultures.

If your child is inspired to keep learning, Lingotots are looking for interest in an after-school French club! Please check your child's bag tonight for a letter with more details and an expression of interest form.



Did you know?

As part of our British Values assemblies this term, the children have been learning all about democracy and the power of having a voice. Putting these values into practice, each class are democratically electing one boy and one girl to represent them on our School Council. Being a councillor is a fantastic opportunity and past councils have made a huge impact - successfully requesting our Multi Use Games Arena (MUGA), Ninja Trail, classroom carpets, recycling bins, healthy tuck shop, new tables, chairs and updated IT equipment, all of which we have delivered! We look forward to seeing what brilliant ideas our new representatives bring to the table to make our school even better.





Stars of the week

Year 3 – Finley, Henry, Eva & Rosie

Year 4 – Gracie, Lucy, Charlie & Wilf

Year 5 – Ida, Guy, Lydia & Finbar

Year 6 – Alice, Charlie, Poppy & Rosie

Head Teacher Awards

Nia (Y3), Matilda (Y4), Henry (Y5) and Felicity (Y6) have impressed Mr Shenton by following our school values. Well done!

Attendance Awards

We averaged 96.3% attendance this fortnight.

1st place: 6SW - 99.0%

2nd place: 3LS - 98.8%

3rd place: 3JM - 98.5%

Term dates for your diary

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



Autumn term:

2nd September – 23rd October

2nd November – 18th December

9 Oct: World Mental Health Day
15 Oct: Y4 Family Curriculum Event (9:15)
15 Oct: 6SW Family Curriculum Event (1:30)
16 Oct: 6SA Family Curriculum Event (1:30)
19 Oct: Parents Evening (1pm-7pm)
20 Oct: Y4 visit Discovery Museum
21 Oct: Harvest Festival for Hebburn Helps
22 Oct: Y6 Anti Bullying workshop with police
22 Oct: PTA Discos
23 Oct: Last day of the half term

2 Nov: New half term starts

3 Nov: Y3 Stone Age Workshop

6 Nov: Y4 visit to Great North Museum

13 Nov: Children in need (dress up optional)

16-20 Nov: Anti Bullying Week

26 Nov: Y3 Family Curriculum Event (9:15)

2 Dec: Y3/4 Panto in school

4 Dec: Y5/6 Panto in school

7 Dec: Y5 visit Jorvik

10 Dec: Y6 visit Victoria Tunnel

11 Dec: Y3 Christmas Performance (2pm)

17 Dec: Y4 Polar Express event

18 Dec: Carol services at St George's

18 Dec: Last day of term

Child Safety Reminders

E-Scooters and E-Bikes

For safety reasons, please note that e-scooters and e-bikes are strictly not permitted on the school playground at any time.



Dogs

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

