



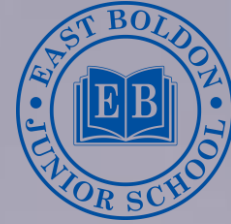
EAST BOLDON JUNIOR SCHOOL



'Be the best that we can be'



Newsletter 4 - October 2024



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The Inside Scoop

A huge thank you to everyone that came into school to attend our Parents'/Carers' Consultations and SEND Reviews this last few weeks. A busy few weeks in school and lots to share below. I hope you all have a lovely half-term together with your families.



Disco Mania

The children had a wonderful time last night at the PTA School Disco. A huge thank you to everyone in the PTA for their preparation, willingness and kindness to the children.



The Sound of Science

Y4 were introduced to terms such as frequency, decibels and amplitude at the Discovery Museum this week. Great fun and lots of hands-on learning!



Harvest Festival

Angie from Hebburn Helps was so grateful for the donations that we make at our annual Harvest Festival. The food and toiletries will help lots of families across South Tyneside. Kindness and generosity are one of our '5 Ways to Wellbeing' and everyone involved should feel very proud.



Jorvik Dig

Y5 children toured Jorvik Centre and learned a lot about Viking life. The children immersed themselves in the sights, sounds, and even the smells of the Viking Age. They travelled through time to visit reconstructed 10th-century York and discovered the everyday lives of its historical inhabitants. The pupils also dug deeper into their historical knowledge when they turned into archaeologists visiting Jorvik Dig.



Road Safety

Y3 have started their pedestrian training in the community. We have donned our high-viz jackets (thank you to the PTA!) and learned how to safely assess dangers while crossing roads.

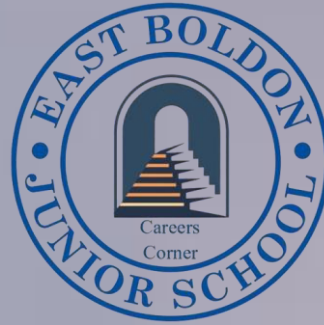


Eden Camp

What a great day Y6 had at Eden Camp in the beautiful sunshine! The children loved learning new things about war as they travelled between the huts! Some children enjoy dressing up as evacuees and soldiers - if anyone would like to donate costumes to next year's Y6, please let us know.



Careers Corner



Did you know that as part of our curriculum, we are one of the leading schools in South Tyneside to teach children about careers? We started our journey a little while ago with the North East Local Enterprise Partnership completing Careers Benchmarks objectives. As a school, we have already managed to achieve the majority of these benchmarks. Additionally, we want to improve the opportunity to teach hands-on careers in our classrooms. We have redeveloped our enrichment programme and now it has a strong careers focus and allows opportunities for our children to try out careers from different faculties that are available to them.

Our first year group to have this experience was Year 5 who learned about Floristry and were lucky enough to have a parent who works in this field! The children created their own display, with the support from Brandon's mum, and I think you will agree, they turned out amazing!

Keep your eyes peeled for more from Careers Corner with other year groups, and if you would like to share your career, please send an email to the office and Mrs Seebacher will get back to you.





Writers of the week

Year 3 – Lucy, Aaliyah, Francesca, Finbar & Georgie

Year 4 – Rose, Georgie & Rosie

Year 5 – Matilda & Eva

Year 6 – Carney, Will, Portia & Tristan

Stars of the week

Year 3 – Matilda, Theo, Felix & Joseph

Year 4 – Vinnie, Charlie, Max & Emily

Year 5 – Leo & Levi

Year 6 – Ralph, William, Ava & Martha

Head Teacher Awards

Alice (Y3), Jasmine (Y4), Leo (Y5) & Will (Y6) have all impressed Mr Shenton recently by following our school values. Amazing!

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:

3th September – 25th October

5th November – 20th December

Half term 30th Oct - 3rd Nov

4 Nov: INSET Day – school closed

11 Nov: Anti Bullying Week

12 Nov: 5JM library visit

14 Nov: 5SC library visit

15 Nov: Children in Need (dress up optional)

19 Nov: 4HW library visit

21 Nov: 4RP library visit

21 Nov: The National Gallery UK Tour

2 Dec: Y6 Winter Warmer activity

4 Dec: Y4 Winter Warmer activity

6 Dec: Y5 Winter Warmer activity

10 Dec: Christmas Dinner and Jumper Day

13 Dec: Y3 Nativity Show (2pm)

16 Dec: Y3 and Y4 Christmas Party

17 Dec: Y6 Victoria Tunnel & Seven Stories

18 Dec: Y5 and Y6 Christmas Party

19 Dec: Y3 Winter Warmer activity

20 Dec: Carol Service (2pm)

Child Safety Reminders:

Parking

South Tyneside Council have installed cameras on North Lane. Please do not park on the School Keep Clear road markings or beside our school gate.

Keep our school a safe place. Thank you



Dogs

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

