

# Weekly Newsletter

26.04.24



**MOMENTS  
MATTER,  
ATTENDANCE  
COUNTS.**

**Winning Class for Week  
Ending 19.04.2024**

**Jeffers Class: 99.46%**

**Whole School: 98.21%**

90-94%

95-97%

98-99%

100%

## Upcoming Dates:

**1<sup>st</sup> May:** Official EYFS Grand Opening with Lynsey Holzer (CEO: ALT)

**6<sup>th</sup> May:** Bank Holiday: No school

**8<sup>th</sup> May:** Reception: Ladybird Boat Trip & Houghton Lock

**9<sup>th</sup> May:** Year 1 & 2: Ramsey Heights Trip

**W/C 13<sup>th</sup> May:** KS2 SATS Week (Year 6): Late Lunch for All (12:30pm – pupils can bring in an extra snack)

**17<sup>th</sup> May:** FOES Disco

**W/C 20<sup>th</sup> May:** KS1 Optional SATS Week (Year 2): all year 2s in ALT schools will complete.

**W/C 20<sup>th</sup> May:** Healthy Week, including Sports Day on the Friday: 1pm start/gates open.

## Sid the Cygnet & Staff!

Welcoming Mrs Buckley & Mrs Smith to the Earith Team. Thank you from us All. School is looking and smelling great – the pupils have told us so, too. We really appreciate all your hard work and tangible impact!



## Mr Dolezal's last day: Tuesday

On behalf of the whole school community, thank you for everything you have done to improve our school environment. It's been an incredible journey, and we couldn't have achieved it without you. Best Wishes for the future from us All, Martin.

### Late Lunch: 12:30pm: KS2 SATS Week (w/c 13<sup>th</sup> May)

Due to this year's timetable, **lunch will be at 12:30pm Monday – Thursday of this week.** All pupils **may bring in a larger snack/extra snack** if they wish to.

### KS1 Optional SATS: Year 2: W/C 20<sup>th</sup> May

Earith Primary will be administering these to our Year 2s. Results will be used to inform teacher assessments which will be shared with parents on End of Year Reports. Further information: [INFO HERE](#)

### 17<sup>th</sup> May Disco

Look out for Laura's funky flyer from FOES... *Be Safe, Be Respectful, Be Your Best & Boogie!*

### Healthy Week: W/C 20<sup>th</sup> May

Year 2s taking their SATS in the mornings, interspersed with a week of healthy-driven activities and lessons across the curriculum for all year groups. Fab. Culminating in the main event...SPORTS DAY 2024...

### ...Sports Day 2024

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May: no need to book; just come and join us. Gates open at 1pm. Here comes the sun...we hope! Pupils will have a slightly earlier lunch that day.

### 24<sup>th</sup> May: 9am Assembly

Don't forget, end of first half term Summer Celebratory Assembly at 9am – all welcome. Focus: Head Teacher Awards for Summer 1. As always, you will be notified one week in advance if your child is receiving one!

### St George's Day

Gordon, Harry, Humphrey and Riley delivering a special St George's Day message from the Cubs/Scouts.



## Learning Highlights of the Week

### Highlight Jeffers:

Jeffers Class have been using Eric Carle's book *The Tiny Seed*. We have drawn maps of the seed's journey and written about the different places the seed flew by. Along with this we have planted potatoes and plants.



### Highlight Shireen:

Shireen have enjoyed seeing the progress that their cress seeds we planted in Science have made this week. We have been responsible and watered them regularly and were so excited to see that some of our seeds have started growing! We will look after them for another week and see if any more seeds start to grow!

### Highlight Riddell:

In Riddell this week, we have been geologists, reporters, environmentalists and even feuding kings! We have learned how to sort rocks according to their properties; how to write questions and interview people through a BBC live lesson; we have discussed what it means to look after the planet, and discovered how a miscommunication between King Henry II and his knights had terrible consequences for Thomas Becket!



### Highlight Gold:

The highlight in Gold Class this week was listening to the rich discussion during a science lesson. Not only were children asking some thought-provoking questions, they were also keen to share their vast array of knowledge. It was a pleasure to witness and be part of.



# Curriculum Champions

This week's Curriculum Champions are:

**Jeffers Class:** Riley, Violet, Frankie

**Shireen Class:** Elysia, Sophie, David, Harper

**Riddell Class:** Jamie, Freya, Lucas, Humphrey, Riley, Harry W

**Gold Class:** Nico, Freddie, Aurelia, Gordon, Freddie, Mason.



HOUSE WINNER  
THIS WEEK:



Gone Green

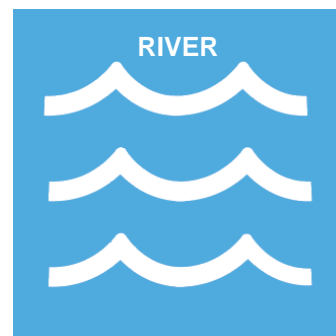
Dominik

Henry



Top Speller

Lexi



Community News and Events  
this week: - click [HERE](#)



Please see Sid the  
Cygnet on his website  
page – click [HERE](#)

Reading Blog [HERE](#)

Celebration Awards Assemblies - click [HERE](#)



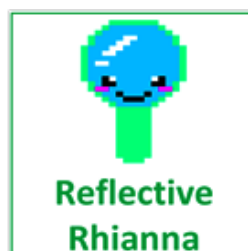
Ready Robert



Resilient  
Rosie



Resourceful  
Roy



Reflective  
Rhianna



Responsible  
Ruben & Ruby

## New in green; Emphasizing/Revisions in yellow

### Summer 1

6<sup>th</sup> May: May Day – School Closed  
8<sup>th</sup> May: Reception Ladybird Boat Trip  
9<sup>th</sup> May: Years 1 & 2 Ramsey Heights Trip  
w/c 13<sup>th</sup> May: KS2 SATS Week (Year 6)  
17<sup>th</sup> May: FOES Disco:  
20<sup>th</sup> May: Healthy Week  
w/c 20<sup>th</sup> May: Year 2 Assessments  
24<sup>th</sup> May: Sports Day – Gates open 1pm

### Summer 2

w/c 3<sup>rd</sup> June: Year 3, 4, 5 Assessments  
Between 3<sup>rd</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> June: Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check  
w/c 10<sup>th</sup> June: Phonics Screening Check & Assessments (Year 1)  
21<sup>st</sup> June: World Music Day  
1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> July: Bikeability (Year 5 & 6)  
4<sup>th</sup> July: Sid the Cygnet's 4<sup>th</sup> Birthday: Geography Fieldwork & FOES Sponsored Walk: **TBC**  
8<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> July: Hilltop Residential (Year 5 & 6)  
15<sup>th</sup> -19<sup>th</sup> July: Transition Week: **TBC**  
17<sup>th</sup> July: EOY Reports released  
19<sup>th</sup> July: Head's Award, Badges, FOES Best Dressed Summer Theme, Leavers Assembly  
19<sup>th</sup> July: Year 6 Enterprise funded lunch: **TBC**  
19<sup>th</sup> July: Year 6 Pool Party PM: **TBC**  
19<sup>th</sup> July: Riddell Bake Sale