



# School News

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## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



### Thursday, 27th March - Book Fair in School 3.30 to 4.00pm

Today is the last day of our Book Fair. World Book Day tokens can be used towards purchases from the book fair. This is a cash free event and books can be purchased using the QR code which will be available at the fair. The school will receive rewards for any books sold which we will use towards purchasing new books for the school.



### Sunday, 30th March - Special Mother's Day Service at 10.00am in St. Mary's Church, Eastry

We will be holding the second of our special joint services with St. Mary's Church Eastry on Sunday, 30th March at 10.00am. We will be showing thanks for Mother's or other special people in our lives during this Mothering Sunday Service. We look forward to seeing you there.

### Monday 31st March to Wednesday, 2nd April - Decorated Egg Competition

We again invite children to decorate a hard boiled egg (or if you are really adventurous use a blown one!). It could be a person, a model or just simply decorated. **Please bring your entry, which will be displayed in the school hall, into to school from Monday, 31st March to the morning of Wednesday, 2nd April**, so everyone can see them. Remember to make a stand, and **label clearly with your name and class**. There will be a chocolate prize for the winner in each class which will be independently judged on the children's own work. **All entries must be in by the morning of Wednesday, 2nd April.**



### Monday, 31st March to Thursday, 3rd April - Year 6 Easter Raffle

Year 6 have the next of their fundraising events selling raffle tickets to win one of their fantastic Easter prizes. The raffle runs from Monday to Thursday, tickets cost £1.00 a strip and prizes will be an Easter Hamper, cuddly Easter bunny and Large Easter Egg. The winners will be drawn on the last day of term. All funds raised will go towards their end of year treat and help the Year 6 children to understand budgeting and finance.

### Tuesday, 1st April - Easter Service in St. Mary's Church at 9.30am

We warmly invite parents and carers to our Easter Service which will take place at 9.30am in St. Mary's Church on 1st April.



### Friday, 4th April - Easter Egg Hunt

Children will take part in an Easter Egg Hunt with their class on 4th April. The children do not need to bring or pay anything to take part in this event.

## OTHER SCHOOL NEWS

### Early Morning Club

Early Morning Club runs each day from 8.00am to 8.35am and cost £1.20 per day (breakfast not included). Registration for a place at Early Morning Club in term 5 & 6 can be booked by emailing office@eastry.kent.sch.uk or calling the school on 01304 611360. Places **must** be booked and paid for in advance. If your child has been booked in to Early Morning Club but does not attend you will still be charged unless at least 24 hours notice has been given or your child is unwell.



### 10% Off of School Uniform 29th-30th March

Brigade Clothing Ltd are offering a 10% discount off all uniform ordered this weekend. Please quote code BST10 at checkout to receive your discount.

## COMMUNITY EVENTS AND NEWS



### Eastry Easter Bonnet Parade Event

St. Mary's Church, Eastry are holding an traditional Easter Bonnet Parade on Saturday, 19th April. You are invited to decorate a hat for Easter and bring it along to the Village Hall at 3.00pm for registration and then parade to the Church Hall where refreshments will be served.

### Fun Family Breakfast Club

St. Mary's Church have announced that regrettably Saturday, 12th April will be the last Fun Family Breakfast Club. As always, everybody is welcome. A big thank you to all who made it possible and such a pleasurable experience.

### Easter Soccer School

Sandwich Leisure Centre are running a 3 day soccer school from 9th to 11th April. For more information please visit [www.pacesports.co.uk](http://www.pacesports.co.uk).

## HEALTH ADVICE/ONLINE SAFETY SECTION

### Supporting Children Through Loss and Bereavement

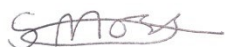
The NPSCC have a dedicated section on their website with lots of information to help support your child/children should you be experiencing bereavement within your family. This can be found by visiting the following; <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/support-for-parents/family-bereavement-how-to-support-children-through-grief-and-loss/>

Please also let the school know if you feel you, or your child, may need some additional support dealing with bereavement.

**Singing Club**

Please note there is no singing club on the last week of term.

Kind regards



Mrs Sarah Moss  
Headteacher

<b>AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS</b>	
Week commencing 31.3.2025	
MONDAY	
<b>Gardening Club (3.30 to 4.15pm)</b>	<b>Yes</b>
<b>Ballet Club (3.30 to 4.15pm)</b>	<b>Yes</b>
<b>Football Club (3.30 to 4.30pm)</b>	<b>Yes</b>
TUESDAY	
<b>Netball Club (3.30 to 4.15pm)</b>	<b>Yes</b>
WEDNESDAY	
<b>Singing Club (8.00 to 8.30am)</b>	<b>NO</b>
<b>Home Learning (3.30 to 4.00pm)</b>	<b>Yes</b>
THURSDAY	
<b>Harmony Club (3.30 to 4.15pm)</b>	<b>Yes</b>
FRIDAY	