



School News

Jesus says 'Love one another as I have loved you.' John 13:34

No. 2

10th September 2026

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Week's 14th September - Parent Information Sessions

Our remaining Parent Information Sessions will be held next week after school to give you an opportunity to hear about the year ahead for your child. Your child's class teacher will have been in contact to let you know what day this is being held.

Monday, 14th September - Year 6 Restart a Heart

Tuesday, 15th September - Magical Maths in School

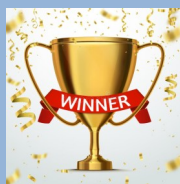
Wednesday, 16th September - Red Squirrels Welcome Service in the School Hall at 1.15pm

Parents and carers of children in Red Squirrels are invited to their Welcome Service being held at 1.15pm on Wednesday, 16th September in the School Hall.

Friday, 18th September - Year 6 Celebration Worship at 9am in the School Hall

Parents and carers of children in Year 6 are invited to join them for their class celebration worship.

ATTENDANCE



Attendance Cup

Hedgehogs, Butterflies & Owls - Congratulations

Congratulations to Year 3, 4 and 6 who all had 100% attendance last week. Amazing, well done!



On Time Shield

Squirrels, Butterflies, Badgers & Owls Congratulations

Squirrels, Butterflies, Badgers & Owls all arrived to school on time last week, a great start to the new year. Thank you to all those parents who make sure their child arrives to school on time - it makes such a big difference to the start of their school day.

OTHER SCHOOL NEWS

Sponsor for our Fireworks Display

Do you run a business and might be able to sponsor the PTFA Fireworks? The PTFA and school are looking for someone, or a number of people, who might be able to sponsor this year's fireworks display at our biggest fundraising event taking place on 6th November. If you think you can help, or would like to discuss this further, please ask at the school office and we will put you in touch with our PTFA chair.

Eastry C of E Primary Reception 2027 tours

School tours:

Monday, 12th October

Tuesday, 13th October

Thursday, 15th October

Monday 23rd November

Tuesday 24th November

Thursday 26th November

Open Day

Saturday 28th November 10-12



Book a place by
calling our office on:

01304 611360

or email:

office@eastry.kent.sch.uk

Other School News - Cont'd

Developing Spaces to Support Wellbeing

The staff (funded by the donations from the PTFA) have been very busy developing spaces to support wellbeing and nurturing conversations throughout the summer holidays. These will be utilised to support social and emotional interventions and small groups. We are lucky to have 2 trauma informed practitioners and a further trainee to support our children.

As a school, we have also been developing our outdoor play and would love to offer the children the opportunity to have more role play outside, if you have any dolls, doll pushchairs or doll clothes that you no longer need they would be gratefully received.



Playing on Apparatus at the End of the School Day

Please can we remind parents that children should not be allowed to play on the playground apparatus and equipment at the end of the school day as this is not supervised, and is not suitable for younger siblings.

Electrician or Sound Expert Needed

We are looking for someone who might be able to repair the PTFA portable PA sound system which has stopped working. If you think you can help, please let the school office know - thank you.

SUPPORT AND ADVICE/ONLINE SAFETY SECTION

Kent Fire and Rescue Kids Mini Series

Kent Fire and Rescue Service has launched a brand new YouTube Kids mini-series, *'Be Safe with Us'*. Children love watching their favourite programmes and videos, so they've created something that's both fun and educational!

Their short videos are designed to help teach children important safety skills including understanding fire engines, what to do in an emergency, and the importance of smoke alarms.

They're a great way for the family to learn together about staying safe at home. We hope you enjoy them!

You can watch the videos here: <https://www.kent.fire-uk.org/besafewithus>

Kind regards

Mrs Sarah Moss
Headteacher

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS Week commencing 14.9.26	
MONDAY	
Young Health Champions - Mrs Moss (3.15 to 4.00pm)	Yes
TUESDAY	
Girl's Football—Miss Ward (3.15 to 4.00pm)	Yes
Magical Maths (3.15 to 4.15pm) starting 22.9.26	No
WEDNESDAY	
THURSDAY	
FRIDAY	
Football Club—Elite (3.15 to 4.15pm)	Yes

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Choral Evensong

& PATRONAL FESTIVAL

with Bishop Rose
5:30PM SUNDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER

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THE SHEPHERD SONGS OF MARY

Post-service nibbles to celebrate
the completion of the pew project



Dover Community Courses

Terms 1&2

Course Code	Course Title	Start	End	Day	Start Time	End Time
155083	Spooky Crafts Deal Family Hub	26/10/26	26/10/26	Monday	13:00	15:00
155084	Spooky Crafts Buckland Family Hub	30/10/26	30/10/26	Friday	10:00	12:00
155086	Understanding Autism Buckland Family Hub	06/11/26	06/11/26	Friday	10:00	12:00
155704	First Aid for Babies Buckland Family Hub	04/11/26	04/11/26	Wednesday	13:00	15:00
155751	Family Space – a 4-week course for neurodiverse families (key stages 1&2) Dover Library	10/11/26	01/12/26	Tuesday	15:30	17:00

Book your place on one of these FREE courses:

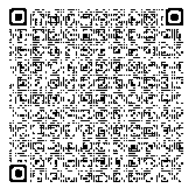
Visit: www.kentadulteducation.co.uk

Enter the course code into the search box.

Call: 03000 41 22 22



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Online Courses September 2026

Course Code	Course Title	Start	End	Day	Start Time	End Time
155249	Understanding Autism	08/09/26	22/09/26	Tuesday	19:00	21:00
155183	Strategies to Support your Autistic Child Webinar	09/09/26	09/09/26	Wednesday	10:00	11:00
155190	Calm together - Emotional Regulation You and Your Child	09/09/26	09/09/26	Wednesday	13:00	15:00
155188	Introduction to Working with Children	10/09/26	08/10/26	Thursday	09:30	11:30
155063	Understanding your Teenager	14/09/26	05/10/26	Monday	19:00	21:00
155186	Strategies to Support your Autistic Child Webinar	14/09/26	14/09/26	Monday	10:00	11:00
155184	Supporting Families with ADHD Teens	16/09/26	07/10/26	Wednesday	10:00	12:00
155250	Supporting ADHD in the Home	22/09/26	06/10/26	Tuesday	09:30	11:30
155189	Calm together - Emotional Regulation You and Your Child	22/09/26	22/09/26	Tuesday	19:00	21:00
155187	Supporting Your Child's Anxiety	29/09/26	29/09/26	Tuesday	10:00	12:00

To help us provide the best possible experience for you, please let us know if you or your child have any disabilities or particular support needs.



To book your place on one of these FREE courses,
scan the QR code or go to
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and enter the course code into the search box.

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