



School News

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday, 22nd September - Year 4 Class Worship at 9.00am in the School Hall

Parents and carers of children in Year 4 are invited to join us for their child's class worship.

Tuesday, 26th September - Visit by Captain Wonderweb and the Esteem Machine

On Tuesday, we have Captain Wonderweb and the Esteem Machine visiting the school. Year 1 to 6 will each have a performance and workshop, in turn, throughout the day to help improve self esteem and promote a positive mindset.

Friday, 29th September - Harvest Festival at 9.30am at St. Mary's Church, Eastry

Parents and carers are warmly invited to join us for our Harvest Festival which takes place at St. Mary's Church. Eastry, on Friday 29th September at 9.30am. As in previous years we will be collected for the Deal Area Foodbank. Contributions can be brought to the school any time during next week. The Foodbank would particularly welcome the following items and we thank you for your support;

Shopping list



Priority

- * UHT milk
- * Tinned fruit
- * Tinned tomatoes
- * Tinned soup
- * Cooking sauces
- * Shampoo/shower gel
- * Household cleaning
- * Juice/squash
- * Puddings
- * Custard
- * Small coffee
- * Pot noodles
- * Ketchup
- * Sweets

Yes please

- ✓ Tinned potatoes
- ✓ Tinned vegetables
- ✓ Washing-up liquid
- ✓ Rice
- ✓ Pot noodles
- ✓ Brown sauce

Not for now

- ✗ Baked beans
- ✗ Tinned meat
- ✗ Tea/biscuits
- ✗ Nappies
- ✗ Cat/dog food
- ✗ Sanitary products
- ✗ Pasta
- ✗ Spreads
- ✗ Cereal
- ✗ Toilet rolls
- ✗ Toiletries

Thank you for donating food for Deal Area Foodbank

This year we expect to provide around 1,500 three-day food parcels for households in food crisis. We can only do this because of your support. Our shopping priorities are updated regularly on Facebook.

Collection bins at

Sainsbury's Deal, Coop Mill Hill,
Coop Sandwich, Coop Aylesham,
**and at some other churches,
schools, shops and charities**

Deal Area Emergency Foodbank, registered as a charity in England and Wales no 1158590,
www.dealarea.foodbank.org.uk, 01304-728428.

SCHOOL WEBSITE

Class Newsletter

Your child's termly class newsletter can be viewed on the school website. On the newsletter you will find lots of useful information about what the children will be learning in the term ahead, what days they have PE or Forest School and lots of other helpful news. This can be found on your child's class page under the 'Learning' tab on the school website.

INTERNET/ONLINE SAFETY SECTION

Online Safety Videos for 4-7 year olds

ThinkUKnow is an education platform run by CEOP, part of the National Crime Agency. They have produced 3 animations that follow the adventures of Jessie, Tia and Mo and are specifically aimed for children 4-7 years. The videos teach children about trust, being kind online, consent and healthy and unhealthy behaviours on the internet. These can be viewed using the following link:

<https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/jessie-and-friends/>

OTHER COMMUNITY NEWS

Art Exhibition

Eastry Painting for Pleasure group are holding an art exhibition on Saturday, 23rd September from 12noon to 5pm and Sunday, 24th September from 10am to 5pm at the Eastry Scout Hut, Willmot Place, Eastry. Admission is free and tea of coffee is available.

Kind regards



Mr Neil Garvey
Interim Headteacher

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS	
Week commencing 25.9.23	
MONDAY	
Home Learning Club (3.30-4.00pm)	Yes
Creative Station (3.30-4.30pm)	Yes
TUESDAY	
Girl's Football (3.30-4.15pm)	Yes
WEDNESDAY	
Singing Club (8.00 to 8.35am)	Yes
Multi-Sports Club (3.30 to 4.30pm)	Yes
THURSDAY	
Football Club (3.30-4.30pm)	Yes
FRIDAY	



Free, fun and informal course
for parents/carers of children any age

Autism Awareness

Would you like to understand and look at the various principles of autism and the different aspects that can be present?
This four week course is for you!

- The basic principles of autism and the different aspects
- Different expert theories and understanding of the spectrum
- Behaviour management, support and coping strategies
- The diagnosis process and how to go about it



Fridays 22nd September - 13th October, 12.45pm - 2.45pm

At Buckland and Whitfield Children's Centre
St Nicholas Church, The Linces, Dover, CT16 2BN

To book please call 03000 414941 or email ddsc@kent.gov.uk

We want you to enjoy learning with us. 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.

