



East Haddon CEVC Primary School

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'Love each other as I have loved you' John 15:12

Our school virtues are: Love, Moderation, Courage, Justice, Hope, Faith, Wisdom.

Our British Values are: Tolerance, Rule of Law, Liberty, Mutual Respect, Democracy.

Our current PSHE topic is 'Being Me in My World'.

Newsletter w/e 24th October 2025

Mrs Truslove writes

This week we held the first of our Parents' Evenings and it was lovely to see everyone. Thank you for your time, I know that the teachers found them useful and hope that you did too. We will hold our next ones in March but don't hesitate to contact the office sooner if you would like to arrange an appointment with a class teacher.

It was super to see so many of you in church this morning. The children did an amazing job - from our youngest reception right up to our oldest year 6. We were very proud of them all and the way that they kept going whatever the distraction. Due to absences some children were given words, or new directions, at the last minute and it was very impressive to see how they all stepped up seamlessly. Huge thanks to everyone who sent in donations for the Daventry Foodbank, we know that these contributions make a big difference.

We close today for half-term and reopen to children on Tuesday 4th November. I hope that you all have a lovely break and look forward to seeing everyone after the holiday (ready for the Christmas build up 😊).

Mrs Truslove/Mrs Banks – Red class

In History, we are learning about our families and family trees when we return after the holidays. Please can all children bring a family photograph into school by Friday 7th November. This could just be their direct family or it could also include grandparents and extended family. Any questions, please just ask.

In Science next term, we will be learning all about materials. The children are going to explore objects and identify what material/s they are made out of. Please can your child bring in an object from home to share with the class. Some examples below:

- Wood - peg, decoration, paintbrush, block, instrument
- Plastic - building brick, cup, plate, toothbrush, button, plant pot, toy
- Metal - coin, necklace, can, fork, watering can
- Fabric - scarf, cap, t-shirt, dishcloth, teddy
- Rock - brick, chalk, stone, tile

Phonics

Reception have learnt the new sounds h, b, f and l. They have been reading words containing these sounds, practising oral blending and segmenting and writing these sounds using the correct letter formation. They have also revised all tricky words taught so far- is, l and the.

Year One have been reviewing the learning from this term.

Maths

We have all been revising this term's learning and plugging any gaps.

Mrs Gibbins – Green class

After half term we continue with the 12x tables.

There is no homework for over the holidays.

Remember that spellings and tables will resume the first week back.

Mrs Pickles/Mr Wilkinson – Blue Class

After half term in maths we will be working on problem solving using the 4 operations and moving onto fractions.

We are moving on to the 9x table next week.

Homework this week: The spelling homework sheet (week 8) and:

Yr6: Maths: 2 pages in the CGP books (p.15&16) on Division

English: 2 pages in the Grammar book on Using Ellipsis and Past and Present Tense (p.18&19).

Yr5: Maths: One sheet of division questions.

English: 2 pages in the Grammar book on Phrases and Conjunctions (p.20&21).

Yr4: Maths: One sheet of division questions using the bus stop method.

English: 2 pages in the Grammar book on Adverbial phrases (p.18&19).

SND Cross Country Championships

Congratulations to those Year 6 pupils who participated in the Cross-Country Championships at Courteenhall Estate on Wednesday



Message from The Friends of the School

Thank you to those you were able to attend the AGM last week. Also, thank you to those who were unable to attend but sent messages of support.

At the AGM, The Friends of the School elected the following:

Co-Chairs: Samantha Murthwaite-Price (Year 3) & Zoe Jalland (Year 1)
Treasurer: Phoebe Lowick (Year 4 & Year 6)
Secretary: Emma Cleaver (Year 1)

A massive thank you to Jessica Bird, who took on the role of Secretary last year and who is continuing to support the Friends as a Year Group rep.

We are currently looking for some Reception Year Group reps. If you think you can help, then please contact the school office and they can pass on your details. It would be really beneficial to have some of you onboard to relay messages to your year group parents and send reminders about events.

A big thank you to all the parents and school staff for your continued support. We look forward to announcing some events for the 2025/2026 year.

If anyone has any feedback or suggestions then please let us know.

Local Events

Please note that the school does not accept responsibility for community-run events.

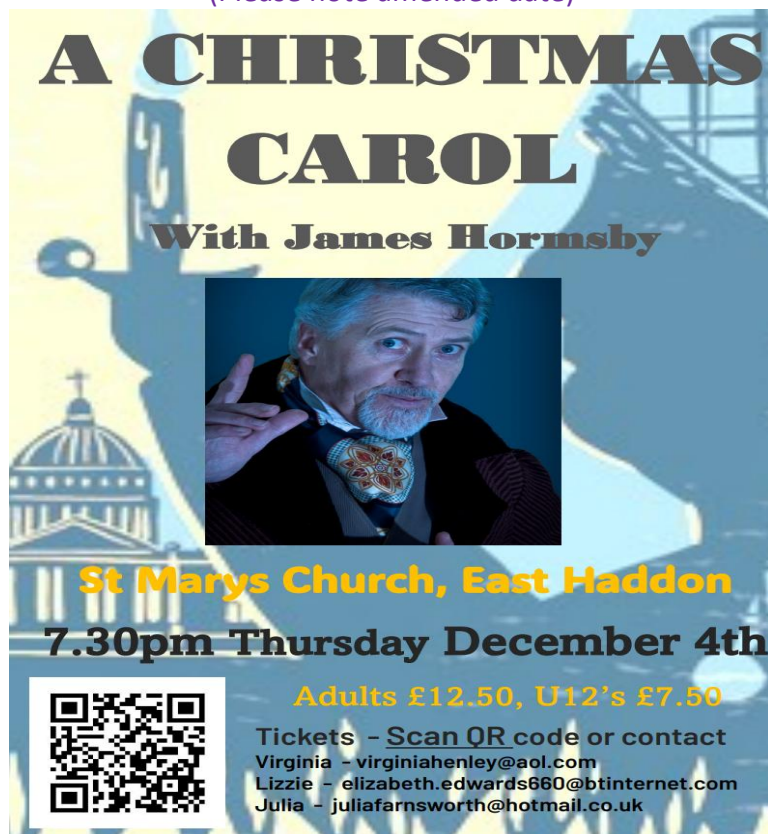
St Mary's Church, East Haddon

Winter Christmas Market



A Christmas Carol

(Please note amended date)



Please see the flyers attached to the email regarding:

Pilates at the East Haddon Village Hall

The Gingerbread Man performance by the Macready Theatre

Academic Year 2025-26

TERM 1	Training Day Re-open Close	Monday Tuesday Friday	1 st September 2 nd September (years 1-6) 24 th October
TERM 2	Training Day Re-open Close	Monday Tuesday Friday	3 rd November 4 th November 19 th December
TERM 3	Training Day Re-open Close	Monday Tuesday Friday	5 th January 6 th January 13 th February
TERM 4	Re-open Close	Monday Friday	23 rd February 27 th March
TERM 5	Training Day Re-open May Day Close	Monday Tuesday Monday Friday	13 th April 14 th April 4 th May 22 nd May
TERM 6	Re-open Close Training Day	Monday Friday Monday	1 st June 17 th July 20 th July

