



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, Resilience, Thankfulness, Forgiveness, Kindness, Honesty & Respect.

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

Our current PSHE topic is 'Healthy Me'.

Newsletter w/e 27th March 2026

Mrs Truslove writes

This morning we held our Easter Service in church. Well done to Year 6 who did a fantastic job leading us, and to all the parents and friends for supporting them.

This week we have been joined by Jemima Lambert (a former pupil whose family live in East Haddon) completing volunteer work as part of her paediatric nursing degree at Birmingham University. Jemima is running the London Marathon this year and, after being inspired by her placement on children's oncology, is raising money for a children's cancer charity. We love to hear about our past pupil's achievements and want Jemima to know how proud we all are of her taking on this challenge! If anyone would like to sponsor her please follow the link below:

<https://www.justgiving.com/page/jemima-marathon-2026>

We break up today for the Easter holiday and reopen to children on **Tuesday 14th April**. Everyone here at school wishes all of our families a happy holiday and we look forward to seeing you all again in a couple of weeks.

Mrs Truslove/Mrs Banks – Red class

Forest School

We will be starting on the first day back so remember clothing!

Photograph

As part of our History topic next term we would like the children to bring in a photograph from their past. This could be a special memory such as first day of school, a celebration, a family event or a holiday etc. We will need these for our lesson on the first Thursday back (16th April). They will be expected to talk about their photo and share their memory so please have a little chat about it beforehand so they feel prepared. Thank you.

Phonics

Reception have been reading longer words (e.g. lightning/ earring), words with s in the middle and words ending in s and es. They have also revised the tricky words - they, all, by, my, are, sure and pure.

Year One have learnt that 'c' is an alternative spelling for ch e.g. school and that ch is an alternative spelling for sh e.g. chef. They have also revised previously taught tricky words.

Maths

Reception have been partitioning numbers and finding pairs of numbers that total the number. We have been exploring bonds to 5, 6, 7, 8 and 10. We also started matching sets of objects to addition sentences and began to see that addition is commutative e.g. 5+3 is the same as 3+5.

Year One have been locating 2-digit numbers on a 100 square, beginning to recognise 2-digit numbers as some 10s and some 1s. They have made 2 digit numbers using 10p and 1p coins, found 1 more and 1 less than any number to 100 and found 10 more and 10 less than any number up to 100.

Mrs Gibbins – Green class

There is no homework over the holidays.

Spellings and tables will resume the **first** week back. 5x for year 2. 5 division for year 3.

Forest school has finished for us now.

Mrs Pickles/Mr Wilkinson – Blue Class

After Easter in maths we will be working on Data Handling.

Times tables: We are all continuing with mixed times tables – all tables up to 12x12.

Homework this week: The spelling homework sheet (week 24) **for Years 4 and 5 only** and:

Yr6: Maths: 2 Reasoning Papers (it would be helpful if these could be completed in the suggested time but do not worry if this isn't possible). They are allowed help but please indicate where this has been given.

English: A Grammar paper (it would be helpful if this could be completed in the suggested time but do not worry if this isn't possible). They are allowed help but please indicate where this has been given.

Yr5: Maths: A sheet on time.

English: 2 pages in the Grammar book on Apostrophes (p.56-57).

Yr4: Maths: A sheet on time.

English: 2 pages in the CGP book on Apostrophes for Plural Possession (p.54-55).

Sporting Achievements



Syd and Kitty did their first downhill mountain bike race at the weekend and did really well! Syd had tough competition moving up to under 13s aged 10 and came 10th and Kitty got quicker throughout the day coming 5th in her age group.

Well done to Niamh
who had her first
gymnastics competition
this week and got
Second place which is a
fantastic achievement!



Please feel free to share any achievements from outside of school.
We love hearing about what the children have been up to.

Local Events

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

Pennies for Heaven

We are supporting St. Marys Church, East Haddon, in their Pennies for Heaven appeal.
If you have any 1p or 2p coins to spare, a donation bucket is in the school reception.

Academic Year 2025-26

TERM 5	Training Day	Monday	13 th April
	Re-open	Tuesday	14 th April
	May Day	Monday	4 th May
	Close	Friday	22 nd May
TERM 6	Re-open	Monday	1 st June
	Close	Friday	17 th July
	Training Day	Monday	20 th July

Academic Year 2026-27

TERM 1	Training Day	Tuesday	1 st September
	Re-open	Wednesday	2 nd September
	Close	Friday	23 rd October
TERM 2	Training Day	Monday	2 nd November
	Re-open	Tuesday	3 rd November
	Close	Friday	18 th December
TERM 3	Training Day	Monday	4 th January
	Re-open	Tuesday	5 th January
	Close	Friday	12 th February
TERM 4	Re-open	Monday	22 nd February
	Close	Thursday	25 th March
TERM 5	Training Day	Monday	12 th April
	Re-open	Tuesday	13 th April
	May Day	Monday	3 rd May
	Close	Friday	28 th May
TERM 6	Training Day	Monday	7 th June
	Re-open	Tuesday	8 th June
	Close	Wednesday	21 st July

