



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 'Changing Me'.

Newsletter w/e 19th June 2026

Mrs Truslove writes:

Well done to Blue class for their super assembly this week. Our last one of the year is at 9:00am on Friday 26th June and will be led by Red class. All welcome.

Attached to this newsletter is the Sports Day information. It contains details of the afternoon and which team your child is in.

We are looking forward to welcoming our new Reception children and their parents into school next Tuesday. They will be joining us for a couple of hours as they start their journey at East Haddon School.

On Monday 6th July we will be holding a transition day in school. Most Year 6 children will spend the day in their new settings, and all other years will spend the day in their new year groups.

We are seeing too many late pick-ups from after school provision. This is inconsiderate and has a knock-on effect for Pacesetters staff who often go onto other jobs. It also affects school staff who have to stay on a Friday to enable the clubs to run. It may only be a few minutes to you, but that can make a big difference if staff need to be elsewhere. Thank you for your support in this.

There will be a Music Assembly on Wednesday 8th July for the children who have music lessons at school: Monday's guitar students with Tim Smith, Tuesday brass student with Mr Baker, Thursday's singing and piano students with Sam Knight and also Mrs Pickles' guitar, recorder and ukulele groups.

Mrs Truslove/Mrs Banks – Red class

Keep practising your assembly words so that you can be loud and confident for our assembly next Friday!

Phonics

Reception have been practising reading words ending in – s and – es such as sports, paints and dresses. They have also been reading longer words such as frighten, person and balloon. They have revised the tricky words: put, pull, full, push, my, by, like, some, come, love and do. They practised writing the following sentence independently - The frogs hop in the pond.

Year 1 have learnt the new spellings - ti (e.g. fiction), ssi (e.g. mission), si (e.g. mansion) and ci (e.g. special). We practised reading longer words such as difficult, adventure and playful. They have also revised the tricky words - busy, beautiful, pretty, hour, any, many and through.

Maths

Reception's focus has been on money. The children have revised and learnt all the coins from 1p to £2. They have named, described and began to order the coins according to their value. They then moved onto making small amounts and making the value of a coin using other coins. Finally, they learnt how to subtract by counting back, they subtracted small amounts (1-3) by counting back on their fingers and they began to recognise and write subtraction sentences.

Year One's focus has been on time, measures and 3D shape. They practised telling the time to the half hour on analogue clocks and began to read these on digital clocks. They revised the months of the year, read, interpreted and created pictograms and began to recognise and read block graphs. They have also measured lengths using non-standard units.

Mrs Gibbins – Green class

Next week will be our last times tables and division test of this term. It is the 11x.

Homework is in the blue book as usual.

Next week in science we will be having a taste test. I will be using fruit from within school which the children need to identify (banana, carrot, apple and orange).

Mrs Pickles/Mr Wilkinson – Blue Class

Please ensure that you check and sign your child's homework diary each week.

Times tables: We are all doing with mixed divisions (including Year 4) – all tables up to 12x12 in the inverse, e.g. $96 \div 12 = 8$, $35 \div 5 = 7$.

This week, Year 4 have completed and given their '**Where in the World?**' presentations to finish them all of for this year. As always, we were astounded by the quality of the presentations and it is lovely to hear how many of the children enjoyed preparing them too. We know, hearing from children who have left us in previous years, how much having the confidence to stand up and speak in front of an audience stands them in such good stead for the future, so it has been good to hear that our current children have also enjoyed preparing their presentations.

Homework

We are back to having homework again this work, although it is still slightly different to normal:

Children are to **research a Greek god/goddess** and complete the sheet with a short paragraph (approximately 5-8 sentences) of the information found and draw a picture. On the other side of this will be a normal GPS sheet.

GPS and Maths homework:

Yr6: Maths: 2 pages on Formulas and Combinations (p.48&49)

English: 2 pages on Semi-colons (GPS p.60&61)

Yr5: Maths: A sheet with mixed questions.

English: 2 pages on Paragraphs, Headings and Sub-headings (p.66&67)

Yr4: Maths: A sheet with mixed questions.

English: 2 pages on Paragraphs (p.64&65)

Local Events

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

Please see the flyers attached to the email regarding:

Academic Year 2025-26

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	Re-open	Monday	7 th June
	Close	Tuesday	20 th July
	Training Day	Wednesday	21 st July

