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Co-Headteacher's Message

The weather has certainly been cold this week but it hasn't hindered the learning opportunities the children have been embracing. Highlights this week have included a Florence Nightingale workshop for year 2 and a visit from Chertsey Museum for year 1 who explored a variety of old toys. Thank you to 4M who shared a wonderful class assembly on Wednesday all about achieving goals and dreams.

Unfortunately, our Girls football team did not experience another victory in their game last Friday however their teamwork, resilience and sporting fairness was a credit to themselves and the school.

In our assembly on Monday Mrs Bugembe discussed the importance of good attendance. We talked about how to stay **happy, healthy** and **ready** for school. We have added a page on our school website that highlights the importance of good attendance and how we can work together to achieve this. Please follow this link if you would like to learn more.

<https://www.echelfordprimary.co.uk/page/?title=Attendance+%26amp%3B+Punctuality&pid=142>

Thank you to those of you who have already completed our parent survey about diversity which was sent out earlier this week. We are still collecting responses until Monday. Here is the link if you would like to complete the survey.

<https://forms.gle/mYf24PBkmw1vrL6z7>.

We will be holding our next parent diversity forum on Thursday 8th February, if you would like to be part of this please save the date and look out for more information next week.

Mrs . Bugembe & Miss Oakley

Your View Matters

Surrey County Council have asked us to share the link to Your View Matters! Have your say on the River Thames Scheme by clicking on this link <https://www.riverthamesscheme.org.uk/consultation>

Struggling to keep them warm this winter?

Bring your kids to a free warm welcome venue. Let them enjoy some activities whilst you warm up with a hot drink.



The link to Warm Welcome is below Surrey <https://www.surreycc.gov.uk/health-and-welfare/support/welfare-support/everyday-living/warm-welcome-venues>





Antibiotics at school

We will no longer enforce the 24-hour absence rule regarding children starting antibiotics. Children can attend school if they feel well enough and do not have a temperature. We will administer antibiotics where they cannot be taken outside school hours only and we have received a completed Medical Request form.

Maths Week

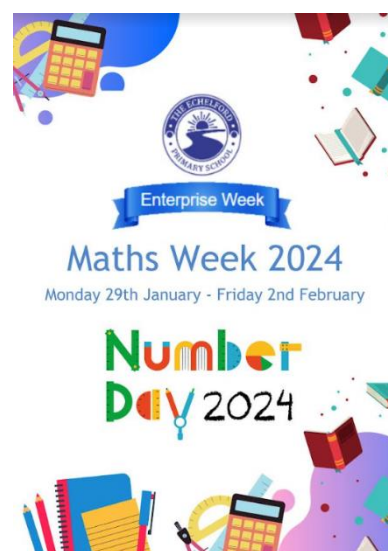
Echelford Maths Week will be taking place Monday 29th January - 2nd February. As a school we will be raising money for the NSPCC through their annual Number Day. The children will be taking part in a very exciting Maths Enterprise week. Here they will have real life experiences with number and money, while they work as a team to create a product.

On Monday 5th February and Tuesday 6th February, we will be selling the products they have created at school. These products will cost up to 50p and will be sold in the Hall.

Monday 5th February: EYFS and KS1 products

Tuesday 6th February: KS2 products

We will look forward to seeing all the creative products the children make.



Vacancies within the Trust

Darley Dene Primary School in Addlestone are recruiting.

Are you ambitious and keen to make a difference? We are seeking to appoint a highly enthusiastic, proactive, flexible and reliable individual for the role of Teaching Assistant. This is an opportunity for an individual who is patient and emotionally resilient to join our friendly, inclusive and inspirational team of teaching and support staff. For more information please see: <https://www.eteach.com/job/teaching-assistant-1396659>

Achievements outside of school

If your child would like to celebrate success within the school community, please inform your class teacher or the office staff of your news. Along with the Newsletter, we will display any sports achievement photos and information on our 'Sports Shout Outs' board in the gym.

Congratulations to Evie in 4S who scored a hat trick during her football match at the weekend. She was given the match ball and was the player of the match. Well done Evie, it sounds like you had an amazing game.





School Awards

Class Learning Awards

The following classes were this week's winners, working as a team whilst using our curriculum online resources. Well done!



Class: 4EJ



Class: 1C

Green Values Award

Every week, an award is presented to a child in each class for embodying one of our Green Values. Congratulations to those children who have represented one of our values so brilliantly this week.

RG	Teddy	RL	Beau	RO	Panav
1A	Penny	1C	Albert M	1H	Amelia
2A	Lottie	2B	Frazer	2W	Robyn
3DT	Aidan	3H	Avni	3S	Jamie
4EJ	Isaac	4M	Georgina	4S	Jaya
5B	Zoya	5G	Jake	5W	Bonnie
6H	Yacine	6J	Blake	6W	Cameron

Gold Leaf Achievers

Every week, we celebrate those children awarded a Gold Leaf this week for their effort and achievement in their learning.

Jimmy C, Harry E, Maya B, Luna H, Evie S, Alex I, Nia L, Isley K, Jackson H, Amrit R, Jovan G, Ayda W, Freya A, Logan F, Amber S, Adela F, Jude T, Amber C, Lexi B, Lily w, Isla H, Emilyanna b, Daniela A, Eryn M, Millie J, Elodie P, Ayaat Z, Effie A, Dotty H, Amelia D, Rocco L, Sienna S, Leo W, Elsie Da, Theodore C, Ava Y, Grayson Bi, Helina M, Willow B, Thomas G, Laksh K, Jeshvik N, Logan P, Leah A, Amber M, Ibrahim Y, Jaskirat D, Luca I, Rory L, Myra S, Ayaan H, Joseph E, Aizah M, Georgina P, Sukhpreet Kaur T, Theodore B, Alastair S, Vidhaan S, Robyn C, Naylin D, Teddy J, Elliot P, Alastair S, Henry C, Connie H, Rayan M, Ava B, Skylar W, James W, Jamie P, Raihaan P, Lian Z, Liam N, Arjun S, Harper L, Gurbej S, Eddie C, Zoya R, Mannat K, Chloe M, Dylan T, Lily Wh, Max O, Preston H, Mason D, Zoe W, Arthur P, Darcie H, Myla-Rose H, Jaya S, Erin H, Caitlin M, Annie V, Ilyas K, Oscar C, Jotham D, Grace P, Misha M, Matilda D, Elif A, Freya E, Millie W, Hannah C, Blake M, Yo Yo Y, Willow C, Eryn L and Aleks G.

On behalf of the Echelford Primary staff team, we wish you a pleasant weekend.



February Holiday Activities

Create a Toy Car
13th Feb 2024
11am-12pm or 2pm-3pm
Cost: £4
Create your own toy car out of cardboard, complete with moving wooden wheels. Then paint and decorate it.
Age: 4-12. (4, 5 year olds with an adult)

Roman Mosaic Tiles
15th Feb 2024
11am-12pm or 2-3pm
Cost: £4
Find out about Roman mosaic tiles and then make your own mosaic creation. Fun and useful too!
Age: 5-12 (5 year olds with an adult)

BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL
<https://chertsey-museum.arttickets.org.uk/>
Or by phone 01932 565764



www.chertseymuseum.org/events
Call 01932 565764 to book your place

The Office of the Mayor
Runnymede Borough Council



For All The Family

1st Saturday of the month
1.30pm-3.30pm

Museum Makes

Join us for a fun family craft activity where imagination meets history in a hands-on experience for all ages!



FREE DROP IN SESSION



Chertsey Museum, 33 Windsor Street, Chertsey KT16 8AT
chertseymuseum.org

Runnymede Borough Council



NEW FOR 2024!

Kids Saturday Sewing Circle



From buttons to back stitch, blanket stitch to daisy stitch - come along and learn how to sew.

Learn a new stitch each month and take home your handsewn creations.

Suitable for ages 7 to 12
£3.00 per session
Advanced booking required

11.15am to 12.30pm

3 February
2 March
6 April

Book online at <https://chertsey-museum.arttickets.org.uk/>

Chertsey Museum 33 Windsor Street Chertsey KT16 8AT
Tel 01932 565 764





TRIALS

AT LBP WALTON

WITH PLAYERS MOVING TO PRO-CLUBS, WE NOW HAVE A HANDFUL OF PLACES AVAILABLE AT OUR CENTRE AT SPORTSHUB, ELMBRIDGE XCEL

SHOW US WHAT YOU CAN DO!

email: hello@lpbfootball.co.uk www.lpbfootball.co.uk

FREE MATCH ENTRY

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23 MAR 2024

EVERYONE WELCOME



MINI & JUNIORS: PRE-MATCH LUNCH



12:00 GATES & BAR OPEN
13:00 3-COURSE LUNCH
£25 (ADULT) / £12.50 (CHILD)

Children Welcome

MENU

Truffled Mac 'n' Cheese

Trio of Sausages
with Onion Gravy, mashed Potatoes
& Seasonal Vegetables

Warm Chocolate Brownie
with Vanilla Ice Cream

15:00 KICK OFF

Post Match: come and join the squads in the bar
(Menu Subject to changes)
Payment is required at the time of booking

FREE MATCH ENTRY

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