



**East Worlington  
Primary School  
& Nursery**

**East Worlington Primary School and  
Nursery Newsletter**



**Monday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2023 (fortnightly)**

W/B	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9 <sup>th</sup> Oct  Menu week 3	<b>Jan's bus is 10 minutes later home on a Monday due to Lapford swimming</b>	Toddlers AM  Years 3&4 at Cross Country Event - CPS	Swimming PM  PE (Acorns/Oaks)  Primary Sports After School - Sports Club (Acorns and Oaks)	Music lessons  PE (Acorns/Oaks)  Primary Sports After School - Sports Club (Acorns and Oaks)  PTFA Halloween Costume Library	Selected Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 at Cross Country Event in Torrington  <b>Jan's bus will run 10 minutes early on this day</b>
16 <sup>th</sup> Oct  Menu week 1	<b>Jan's bus is 10 minutes later home on a Monday due to Lapford swimming</b>	Toddlers AM  Nursery - Bear Town	Swimming PM  PE (Acorns/Oaks)  Primary Sports After School - Sports Club (Acorns and Oaks)	Music lessons  PE (Acorns/Oaks)  Harvest Festival and Celebration Assembly  Primary Sports After School - Sports Club (Acorns and Oaks)  PTFA Halloween Disco	NON-PUPIL DAY

**Dates for the Diary**

10 <sup>th</sup> October:	Years 3 & 4 at Cross Country Event at CPS	17 <sup>th</sup> October:	Nursery – Trip to Bear Town
11 <sup>th</sup> October:	Swimming and PE – PM	18 <sup>th</sup> October:	Swimming and PE – PM
12 <sup>th</sup> October:	PTFA Halloween Costume library after school	19 <sup>th</sup> October:	Harvest Festival/Celebration Assembly @ 2:30pm
13 <sup>th</sup> October:	Certain Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 at Cross Country Event in Torrington.	19 <sup>th</sup> October:	PTFA Halloween Disco - evening
		20 <sup>th</sup> October:	Non-Pupil Day
		23 <sup>rd</sup> -27 <sup>th</sup> October:	Half term

- ★ 30<sup>th</sup> October: Back to school
- ★ 1<sup>st</sup> November: Swimming and PE – PM
- ★ 3<sup>rd</sup> November: PTFA Non-uniform day
- ★ 6<sup>th</sup> November: Nasal Flu Vaccine
- ★ 8<sup>th</sup> November: Swimming and PE – PM
- ★ 9<sup>th</sup> November: PTFA Christmas Fayre – Evening
- ★ 10<sup>th</sup> November: Remembrance Service
- ★ 13<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> November: Anti-Bullying Week
- ★ 15<sup>th</sup> November: Swimming and PE – PM
- ★ 17<sup>th</sup> November: Children in Need
- ★ 22<sup>nd</sup> November: Last swimming session
- ★ 4<sup>th</sup> December: Year 6 Bikeability @ LPS
- ★ 5<sup>th</sup> December: Year 6 Bikeability @ LPS
- ★ 12<sup>th</sup> December: Nativity (TBC)
- ★ 15<sup>th</sup> December: End of term

★ **Our Learning**  
★ **Nursery:**

★ We have been learning about our local community and jobs people might do. This is in preparation for our trip to Bear Town on 17<sup>th</sup> October, which we are looking forward to. We have also had lots of fun with soap and water and learnt a new washing hands song.

★ **Acorns (Reception and Years 1-2):**

★ We have had lots of fun in phonics practising our new skills of reading and phoneme recognition. In Maths, we have been counting in numerals and words. In literacy, we are writing our own stories about a character who wouldn't go to school.

★ **Lower Oaks (Years 3-4):**

★ We have started to write our stories about animal heroes based on our book study of "Stubby".

★ In Maths, we have completed our work on place value by learning about rounding and roman numerals.

★ **Upper Oaks (Years 5-6):**

★ In Maths, we have been looking at factors and multiples. In English, we have been writing our own war stories from the point of view of an animal. We have finished reading War Horse and have used this story to give others inspiration.

★ **OOSC – Out of School Club with Angie Lunn**

★ OOSC have been utilising the garden area thanks to the recent warm weather. There is a new water table with a built-in pump that the children have been enjoying along with the firm favourites such as the loose parts and mud kitchen.

★ Junk modelling has seen the children produce some amazing and creative designs with some children recreating some of their favourite characters in cardboard, wool and glitter!

★ Please can parents remember to supply children with a healthy snack.

★ **Harvest Festival and Celebration Assembly at 2:30pm**

★ We will be having a Harvest Festival and Celebration Assembly on the last day of term in the church at 2:30pm.

★ Please can you bring any tinned food or non-perishable donations to the CHAT Food Bank on the 19<sup>th</sup> October.



★ **Uniform**

★ We have a yellow bag in Reception of several fleeces that have been found in the playground but have no names or labels in them. Please can you message Hayley if your child has lost one.

★ **Attendance**

★ You may have seen in the news that the government are now cracking down on school attendance. Please can we remind parents that if your child comes into school after 9am they are marked as "late" and this is classed as an absence. Please can parents

remember to sign in children who are late into school.



### **Parking**

Please can we remind parents that the parking outside the parish hall at pick up and drop off is for parents/carers with disabilities or very young children. Staff avoid parking there as some parents have had to walk up the hill carrying very small children and we do not feel this is fair.



### **Congratulations**

Well done to Archie, Lucy, Nancy, Emily, Maddie, Winston, Joshua, Amy, Talayla, Henry, Oscar G, Oscar H, Alfie H for all completing their sticker charts last week!

Mathletics champions are Isabella (Year 6), Winston (Year 5), Lewis (Year 4) and Olivia (Year 3).

Best spellers on Spelling Frame are Nancy, Maddie, Lewis and Olivia.



### **Birthdays**

Happy birthday to Beatrice and Jaxlee who celebrate their birthdays before the next newsletter on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November



## **PTFA Dates and News**

Hi everyone,

A couple of exciting bits to mention this week and dates for your diary!

Costume library: Thursday 12th October  
Being held at school over lunchtime. This is a completely FREE chance for children to come and borrow a costume and accessories and to have a good rummage and use their imaginations! The costumes will be put in a bag with a label with the contents written on. Anything hired will need to be returned after **Halloween and I'll send a reminder out!** Any donations of accessories or unwanted costumes of any size would be much appreciated!

Halloween school disco: Thursday 19th October @ East Worlington hall 6-7.30pm  
See attached poster

Also note there will be an **adult's** area set up serving tea and coffee and may give you a **chance to catch up with parents you haven't seen for a while!**

Tickets available through this link to sum up- please book in advance tickets sales will stop the day before.

<https://pay.sumup.com/b2c/QXS86BRG>

Non-school uniform day: Friday 3rd November

Instead of a monetary donation we would like children taking part to bring in a bottle - this is open to interpretation - anything donated though needs to be in date please.

The donations from this day will be put to good use in a bottle tombola we will be running alongside our Xmas Fayre Stall on 9th November.

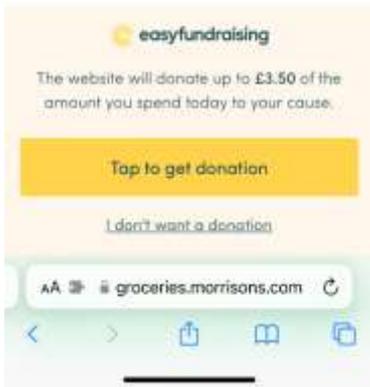
Easy fundraising is donating £2 to each new person that joins this month!!!!

👍👍 £2 donated to the PTFA for every new person to sign up and download the app👍👍

Please if you haven't already- take 2 minutes out of your day to sign up to Easy Fundraising - it won't cost you a penny but with the app if you choose to shop.

Online with one of the thousands of brands involved then the PTFA will get a % donation from the total of what you have spent.

See below a screen shot of what pops up on my phone each time I go onto a company involved



It's that easiest way to support the PTFA – so please give it a go, especially with Xmas coming up and probably some more online shopping happening!

A paper copy of how to join will be in the children's book bags! Many thanks

Colette Hosegood  
PTFA Chair





# East Worlington Primary School Out of School Club

Homework support available every morning!



Registration Fee (per family) £10  
Morning Session: 8.30am - £4; 8.30-9am - £2  
Afternoon Session: 3.30-4.30pm - £4;  
3.30-5.30pm - £2; 4-5pm - £4  
After 5.30pm charge - £15

Tax-free childcare  
You can get 20% off childcare costs.  
See below for details!

## Our Out of School Club can take Childcare Vouchers

Check if you're eligible for tax-free childcare (the Government-backed tax-free Childcare scheme essentially gives eligible families 20% off childcare costs). You open an online tax-free Childcare account and the Government adds 20% for every 50p you pay in. You then pay your childcare provider from that account.

**New Childcare Voucher users:** Parents can check if they are eligible, and apply for an account by going to: [www.gov.uk/apply-for-tax-free-childcare](http://www.gov.uk/apply-for-tax-free-childcare)

Existing users may already be signed up and we also accept:

Comprehensive Voucher Services

<http://childcarevoucher.com/submit/parent/parent.html>

Existing account holders only, as the Government closed the Childcare Voucher scheme to new entrants on the 4th October 2018.

Or **Approved Childcare Vouchers**

<http://www.gov.uk/childcare-vouchers>

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If you are interested in signing up for the CCDC, please contact your School Administrator for a registration form. All bookings are now done via the Mobile App.



## Parental Conflict – Information for Parents

Most of us have disagreements about things in our relationships – whether this is related to putting the washing in the basket and not on the floor! spending too much time on the phone, or what to watch on TV! Not all conflict is damaging, however if those disagreements are frequent, prolonged, not resolved and not dealt with and lead to continual arguing, it can all have a negative impact on children.

Indeed, there is a growing body of evidence that shows children who witness adults shouting, arguing, ignoring each other frequently or for long periods of time, can negatively impact on their self-esteem, mental and physical health, behaviour, academic achievements and relationships with others.

Conflict in relationships can occur in all types of families: between biological parents, stepparents, foster and adoptive parents, parents and grandparents and separated and divorced parents to name just a few.

## How Happy Families, Happy Futures Devon can help

We are offering **FREE** programmes which are aimed at supporting parents, both together and separated, to reduce parental conflict, develop positive communication and problem-solving skills, to manage emotions and create more positive environments for their children.

### Family Transitions Triple P

\* Advice and guidance to support co-parenting and to deflect the pressure of divorce or separation away from children

### Within My Reach

\* Help to understand and develop healthy relationships and the positive impact this can have on children

Please [click on this link to request support](#), once received someone will contact you for an initial conversation to make sure it is the right programme for you.]

# EAST WORLINGTON PLAYGROUP FOR 0-4 YEARS



Tuesdays  
9.30am-12pm  
(Term time)

Self weighing for babies = Covered outdoor play area = Indoor play & crafts = £1 per family includes snack, refreshments & all activities

Everyone welcome

Runs alongside Nursery Class

We hope to see you soon!



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# CHULMLEIGH ACADEMY TRUST

## School Terms and Holiday Dates - 2023/2024 Academic Year

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College Week	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	2			1	2	1	2	1		2		1	2				
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**Bank Holidays** ■

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- 26 December 2023
- 01 January 2024
- 29 March 2024 (Good Friday)
- 01 April 2024 (Easter Monday)
- 06 May 2024 (May Day)
- 27 May 2024 (Spring Bank Holiday)
- 26 August 2024 (Summer Bank Holiday)

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**FRESH FRUIT  
& YOGHURT  
SERVED DAILY**



# SUMMER MENU

*Week one*



*Pick a*  
**MAIN**

*Pick a*  
**MEAT-FREE  
MAIN**

*Pick a*  
**JACKET  
POTATO**

*Pick a*  
**PACKED  
LUNCH**

*Pick a*  
**DESSERT**

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>MAIN</b>	Sweet and Sour Chicken and Vegetable Rice	Butchers Sausage, Mashed Potato, Onion Gravy and Seasonal Vegetables	Italian Meatballs, Tomato Pasta, Focaccia and Salad	Roast Turkey, Sea Salted Roast Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables and Gravy	Battered Fish or Salmon Sticks, Potato Wedges and Mushy Peas
<b>MEAT-FREE MAIN</b>	Cheese and Tomato Pasta Bake	Leek and Mushroom Crumble, Mashed Potato and Seasonal Vegetables	Halloumi Stuffed Peppers, Green Salad and Focaccia	Broccoli and Cauliflower Bake, Sea Salted Roasted Potatoes and Seasonal Vegetables	Veggie Bean Burger, Potato Wedges and Mushy Peas
<b>JACKET POTATO</b>	Sweet and Sour Chicken / Cheese, Bacon Beans / Tuna Mayo	Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo
<b>PACKED LUNCH</b>	Ham or Cheese Roll, Salad Sticks, Fruit, Yoghurt or Cake	Sausage Roll (v) Salad Sticks, Fruit, Yoghurt or Cake	Ham or Cheese Roll, Salad Sticks, Fruit Yoghurt or Jelly	Pitta Pizza, Salad Sticks, Fruit, Yoghurt or Ice Cream	Ham or Cheese Roll, Salad Sticks, Fruit, Yoghurt or Cookie



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# SUMMER MENU

*Week two*

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>Pick a MAIN</b>	Pulled Pork Bap, Herby Diced Potatoes and Root Slaw	Hunterz Chicken, Potato Wedges and Sweetcorn	Beef Bolognaise Pasta Baked, Garlic Bread and Sweetcorn	Honey Roast Ham, Roasted Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables, and Gravy	Fishcake, Pommes Noisettes, and Peas
<b>Pick a MEAT-FREE MAIN</b>	Crispy Mac "n" Cheese, Garlic Focaccia and Root Slaw	Quorn Burger, Potato Wedges and Sweetcorn	Tomato, Mozzarella and Pesto Focaccia, Diced Potatoes, and Salad	Vegetable Bake, Roasted Potatoes and Seasonal Vegetables	Breaded Halloumi, Pommes Noisettes, and Peas
<b>Pick a JACKET POTATO</b>	Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo
<b>Pick a PACKED LUNCH</b>	Ham or Cheese Roll, Salad Sticks, Fruit, Yoghurt or Cake	Sausage Roll (v) Salad Sticks, Fruit, Yoghurt or Cake	Ham or Cheese Roll, Salad Sticks, Fruit, Yoghurt or Flapjack	Pitta Pizza, Salad Sticks, Fruit, Yoghurt or Froyo Pot	Ham or Cheese Roll, Salad Sticks, Fruit, Yoghurt or Cookie
<b>Pick a DESSERT</b>	Chocolate Krispie Cake	Carrot Cake	Pink Raspberry Flapjack	Froyo Fruit Pot	Oaty Cookie



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	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>Pick a MAIN</b>	Chicken Katsu Curry Vegetable Rice, and Naan	Bacon Mac "n" Cheese, Focaccia and Salad	Mild Chili, Rice, Sweetcorn and Nachos	Roast loin of Pork, Rosemary Roasted New Potatoes, Apple Sauce, Seasonal Vegetables and Orzo	Chicken Bites, Potato Wedges and Peas
<b>Pick a MEAT-FREE MAIN</b>	Roasted Cauliflower Curry and Vegetable Rice	Cheese and Tomato Pasta Bake, Focaccia and Salad	3 Bean Casserole Rice, Sweetcorn and Nachos	Leek and Potato Bake, Rosemary Roasted New Potatoes and Seasonal Vegetables	Cheese and Bean Slice, Potato Wedges and Peas
<b>Pick a JACKET POTATO</b>	Katsu Curry / Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo	Cheese / Beans / Tuna Mayo
<b>Pick a PACKED LUNCH</b>	Ham or Cheese Roll, Salad Sticks Fruit, Yoghurt or Sponge	Sausage Roll (v) Salad Sticks Fruit, Yoghurt or Cake	Ham or Cheese Roll, Salad Sticks Fruit, Yoghurt or Cake	Pitta Pizza Salad Sticks Fruit, Yoghurt or Cake	Ham or Cheese Roll, Salad Sticks Fruit, Yoghurt or Cookie
<b>Pick a DESSERT</b>	Jam and Coconut Sponge	Banana Cake	Lemon Drizzle Cake	Fresh Fruit Platter	Chocolate Cookie



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