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13th October 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,







Scholastic Bookfair- READING FOR PLEASURE

Exciting News! The Scholastic Book Fair has arrived at Enfield Heights Academy. Thank you for visiting the stand last week. There are many great books to choose from so please visit. A large commission from the sale will sponsor books for the school libraries and our classrooms.

Please note that this event is cash-only and prices start from as low as £2.99.

The Book Fair will run for this week until Friday 17th October and will be open after school in the main playground from 3:15pm-4.00pm.

It will also be available during Parent Consultation on 16th October from 1.30-4pm in the school hall.

Prospective parents for Reception 2025-26

Please see dates for New Reception tours for next year's cohort. Please call school's office to make a booking.







Parents Consultations on Thursday 16th October

Please remember that school is closing at 1pm on Thursday 16th October due to parent's consultations. We will not be running After School Care on that day.

You can still book your appointment on Arbor until tomorrow (Tuesday 14th October).

REMINDER Inclusion Drop -Ins

We are pleased to invite parents and carers to our **Inclusion Drop-In Sessions**, held every Tuesday at **8.45 to 9.15am** in **The Meadow Room** (enter via school office). These friendly and informal sessions are an opportunity to meet with our Inclusion and SEND Lead, **Mrs Moore**, and chat with her about any questions or concerns you may have regarding your child's learning, well-being or support in school. Whether you would like advice, reassurance or simply a listening ear, we're here to help. We look forward to welcoming you.

URGENT Important Safeguarding Notice: Children's *Spy***Books**

Spy Dog: Children's books pulled over explicit weblink - BBC News

School have been made aware of a potential issue with a website link found in some copies of the **Spy Dog** children's books by Andrew Cope. Some editions of these books include a printed web address at the back. This link used to go to the author's website, but the domain is no longer under his control. It has since been taken over by another party and now leads to inappropriate adult content.

Consequently, the publisher Puffin and author Andrew Cope have paused sales and distribution of these books and are working to have the site removed through legal channels.

The publisher, Puffin, has paused sales and distribution of the books and is working with schools, libraries and retailers to remove copies from circulation. They have stressed that the website has no connection to the author or publisher.

What this means for you:

- If your child has any *Spy Dog*, *Spy Cat* or *Spy Pups* books at home, please check the back for website links and make sure they do not try to visit the site. Simply remove the page from the book.
- It is safe for children to continue reading the stories themselves the concern is only with the outdated link.

This is a good opportunity to remind your child at home about safer internet use and telling you or a trusted adult in school if they have accidentally visited an inappropriate site. As ever parents are encouraged to actively engage with their children's reading especially when they are on computers, phones or other electronic devices.

Please see the BBC Link below for more information:

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Five ways to support your School

We are incredibly grateful for the many parents/carers who generously volunteer their time and skills to support our school community. Whether you're a new or returning parent, there are countless ways to get involved—no matter your availability or background. Every contribution makes a difference, and we truly value the impact you can have.

Here's a quick overview of how you can help:

1. Become a School Governor

Your Impact: Help shape school strategy, and long-term goals.

2. Support our PTA

Your Impact: Help with events, fundraising, or communications. Contact: School office or class representative.

3. Share Your Expertise

In Class: Support teachers in their classrooms, and pupils with reading or classroom tasks. Volunteer your time on School Visits. **Contact**: Class Team or School office. **Flexible Commitment**: As little as one hour a week can make a difference.

4. Be a Guest Speaker

Talk About Your Career: Inspire students with your journey and experiences. Contact Class Teacher or school office.

5. Donate Goods

Paper, Craft Supplies, Books: Always check with the school before donating. Special Items: Unused materials, or educational tools. Donate towards a child's visits and workshops via Arbor. School trips are an important part of learning, helping children explore beyond the classroom and build lasting memories. Every contribution counts. Thank you for helping us make these opportunities possible for all our pupils.

Autumn FUNDRISER events-PLESAE SUPPORT KS1

Years 1, 2 and 3 will be running fundraising events over the next weeks to raise money for new books and listening resources for their Guided Reading in class. All events will run after school in the playground. Please bring cash to pay for the treats.

Year 1 started the events by a **tasty cake and cookies sale last week and raised** £47.00. Thank you to all the families that came to support it by buying a sweet treat.





Year 2 will sell hot chocolate hot chocolate, cream and marshmallows in November.



Year 3 are hosting a 'guess the bear's name' game which will be introduced to children at the end of an assembly where the bear will make an appearance. They will do this in November. £1 a guess and the winner gets the bear!



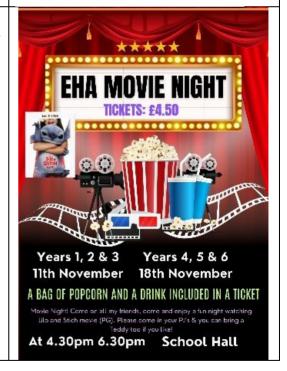
Cinema Nights

After half term, we have organised two movie nights for KS1 and KS2 children:

KS1- Tuesday 11th November- 4.30-6.30pm KS2- Tuesday 18th November -4.30-6.30pm

Tickets are still available on Arbor- £ 4.50

Bag of popcorn and a drink are in included in the price of a ticket.





Halloween Cake Sale -23^{RD} October after school. Please support with donations. Please drop them in the school office by



KS2 Fundraising vents will take place in Spring term. We would also like to organise a school disco for the children at the start of Spring Term. We are looking for a DJ and parents volunteers to help us get this event up and running. We know that all the children would love to dance! If you are able to help, please speak to me or the school office. Thank you



Winter Fair

Please save the date: FRIDAY 5th December 2025 (after school) 3pm-6.00pm

We are looking for volunteers who can help with the running of this magical event for the whole school community. <u>Please</u> <u>join our PTA</u>. If you are interested, please let your class rep know or speak to the office.

We are thrilled to launch our winter fair fundraiser:

- Volunteer for running a stall on the afternoon
- Help with setup on the day
- Bake for the cake stall
- Donate tombola prizes
- Donate high-quality toys, books & games
- Buy tickets for our fabulous raffle (sale starts in December)
- And most importantly—*come along and enjoy the fair and meet Santa!*







For this sponsorship to work, we require at least 25 volunteers; please contact Sapna Chapman our PTA mum (Year 4) or schools office. Thank you for your support.

PLEASE HELP us to raise more money for the school by signing up to have a board. Please consent on ARBOR.

The Castles Estate Agents kindly agreed to sponsor our Winter Fair again. Back in July we raised £300 for having 30 boards erected at £10 for every board.

The Castles agreed again that there is no upper limit but would aim to have 25/30 boards for this fundraising opportunity to work. This is the easiest £300 we can make to support schools projects-new resources for the children.

The Castles would cover all costs for the board printing, erecting and removal of boards etc. The board company they use are professional and insured. Boards are either stacked into soft ground or tied to gate post with wire. No holes will be drilled into your property. Typically, boards go up to 3-4 weeks before our event and are taken down a week after our fete.

Workshops and events

We have prepared an informative programme of workshops and interactive events where parents/carers can share learning with their child/ren. Attending the events makes a real difference. We count on your partnership and commitment to your child's educational journey. Please save the dates in your diary.

Year Group	Workshop	Date and Time
Reception	Communication and Language & Tapestry Information	Monday 20 th October
	Meeting	(9-10am) Hall
	Importance of Interactions and Support with creating	
	Tapestry account	
Reception	Story Time!	Monday 23 rd February
	An interactive story session for parents/carers with their	(2:30-3:15pm) classroom
	children	
Reception	Maths Workshop	Friday 21st November
	An Introduction to 5 counting principles and how maths in	(9-10am) Hall
	reception prepares children for National Curriculum in Year 1	
Year 1	Story Time!	Monday 9 th March (2:30-
	An interactive story session for parents/carers with their	3:15pm) Hall
	children	
Year 1	Phonics Screening Test Parent Meeting	Friday 17 th April
	An explanation of what the Phonics Screening Test looks like	(9-10am) Hall
	for your child	
Year 3	Reading Parent Workshop with children	Tuesday 14 th October
	A workshop followed by a Reading activity with your child in	(9-10am)
	the hall	
Year 4	Reading Parent Workshop with children	Tuesday 21st October





	A workshop followed by a Reading activity with your child in the hall	(9-10am)
Year 3 and 4	Multiplication Tables Check (MTC) Parent Meeting An explanation of what the MTC Check looks like for your child	Thursday 12 th February (9- 10am) Hall
Year 5 and 6	Reading Parent Workshop with children A workshop followed by a Reading activity with your child in the hall	Tuesday 20 th January (9- 10am)
Year 6	SATs information morning (Year 6)	Friday 13 th March (9-10am) Hall

Have a great week everyone!

With my very best wishes,

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Headteacher

Other Key Dates for your diary

Key Events	When	Notes for Parents
Scholastic Book Fair	Friday 10 th to Friday 17 th October	Books sale
Parents Consultations	Thursdays 16 th October	Early finish for the children at 13.00
	Thursday 26 th March	Consultation times: 13.30-18.30
Odd Socks Day	Monday 10 th November	Children wear odd socks to make
		Anti-Bullying week
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		November
Children in Need	Friday 21 st November	Non-uniform day
Reception Festive Concert	Wednesday 10th December	Hall at 9.00am
Year 1 Nativity show	Friday 12th December	Hall at 9.15-10.15am
Christmas Jumper Day	Wednesday 17 th December	Non-uniform day- wear a Christmas
Christmas lunch		jumper day
PTA Winter Fair	Friday 5 th December 3-6pm	Volunteers and helpers required
EPC Online Safety Day	Monday 9th February	Workshops for children and online
		safety meeting for parent/carers at
		9-10am
Children's Mental Health Week	wc Monday 9 th February	More communication to follow
World Book Day	Thursday 5th March	Dress up day- details will be sent
		nearer the time
Comic Relief	Friday 20th March	Non-uniform day- information will be
		sent nearer the time
Daffodil Breakfast (Year 1+2)	Thursday 26 th March	Hall 9.15-10.15am -Parents/Cares
		Welcomed
Spanish Language Day	Tuesday 21st April	Non-uniform day (details to follow)
EHA's Got Talent Final	Monday 18 th May	Details to follow





Design and Technology Exhibition	Friday 12 th June	Details to follow
KS1 (Years 1-3) Sports Day	Tuesday 23 rd June 9.30-11.30am	St George's Field
Reception Sports Day	Tuesday 23 rd June 1.30-2.45pm	St George's Field
KS2 (Years 4-6) Sports Day	Wednesday 24 th June 9.30-11.30am	St George's Field
PTA Non-uniform Day	Friday 26 th June	Non-uniform day-tombola donation
PTA Summer Fair	Saturday 4 th July	Wear your culture attire
International Day	11am-2pm	Volunteers and helpers required to
		help at the fair
Year 6 Production	Wednesday 8 th July	For year 6 parents and carers;
		Hall/5pm
Meet the new class teacher/Open	Tuesday 7 th July	3.15-5pm
Evening		
Whole School Picnic	Thursday 16th July	3.15pm-4.30pm -celebrate and bring
		your blanket and picnic goodies you
		wish to eat. Strictly NUT FREE please.
Year 6 Leavers Assembly	Friday 17 th July	For year 6 parents and carers; Hall/9-
		10am

