



Ambition - Community - Equality



ELMS FARM PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

15th September 2023

ELMS FARM COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL
IS A 'GOOD' SCHOOL: OFSTED 2021



Ruby says... Article 29 Your education should help you use and develop your talents and abilities.



Dear Parents & Carers

IMPORTANT MESSAGE

It saddens me that I am having to write this on our Newsletter which should be full of nothing but celebrations and achievements in our community.

I was nothing short of stunned on Thursday whilst I tried to keep everyone safe coming into school on Chaffcombe Road. We have **repeatedly** asked that our community keep our children safe by driving and parking safely yet this appears to be going unheard by some.

Whilst I was in the road, trying to help navigate vehicles, our community were:

- Speeding
- Driving onto the pavements where children were walking
- Blocking driveways and yellow zig zags
- Completing three point turns in the road and reversing towards children walking on the pavement
- Pedestrians not noticing cars reversing towards their children

This is **NOT okay**. Some people are **putting our children in danger** and we do not want anyone to get hurt.

PLEASE listen to our plea. It is not to inconvenience anyone; it is to keep our children safe. We all have a part to play in this and I thank those who are listening and are driving safely.

I will be getting in touch with the local authority to see what can be done on this road in particular. Our children deserve to arrive at school safely.

E Baxter, Head Teacher

Class Attendance this week	
Donaldson	94.3
Ahlberg	96.8
Cadbury	95
Seacole	97.6
O'Keeffe	90.9
Elgar	84.1
Newton	87.5
Hawking	96.4
Lewis	93.5
Simmonds	91.1
Shakespeare	92.6
Bloom	97
Duleep	96.7
Barnardo	99.6
Whole School	93.6

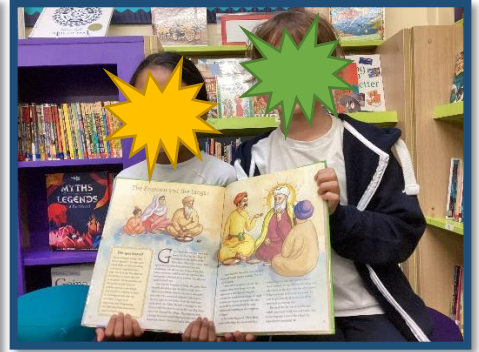
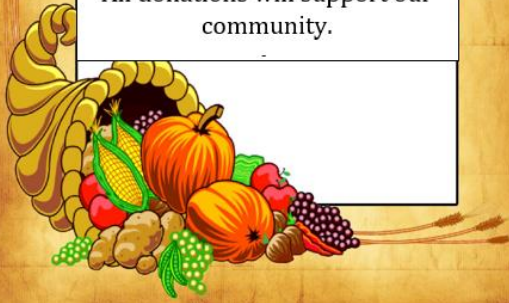


HARVEST FESTIVAL

EFPS School Ambassadors are kindly asking for tinned / packet donations for our Harvest Festival.

Children can bring donations from Monday 25th September.

All donations will support our community.



We LOVE reading!
Thank you to parents and carers who attended our Reading/Phonics workshop this week.



Head Teacher Awards of the week

Well done everyone!

- Recep: Donaldson- Aahil
- Recep: Ahlberg- Osama
- Y1: Cadbury- Aria
- Y1: Seacole- Leighton
- Y2: O'Keeffe- Yakin
- Y2: Elgar- Oakley
- Y3: Newton- Layla
- Y3: Hawking- Noah
- Y4: Lewis- Kai M
- Y4: Simmonds- Chloe F
- Y5: Shakespeare- Eglah
- Y5: Bloom- Shirley
- Y6: Duleep- Blake
- Y6: Barnardo- Myra

E.F.P.S Word of the Week:

Word of the Week

familiar

🗣️ Meaning	🌟 Challenge
Something you know well.	Listen and look out for the word familiar . Where might you see it or hear it?

CELEBRATING WORDS

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