



Ambition - Community - Equality



ELMS FARM PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

13th March 2026

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,

Ofsted Report

We have shared our final Ofsted report with our school community on Class Dojo today. It will appear on our website and on the Ofsted website from Monday.

You may be aware that the inspection framework changed last term and as one of the first schools inspected under this framework, we are very proud of our report.

A huge 'Thank you' to all staff, governors and our community for the hard work and ongoing support.

'Thank you' to our special women

Nursery and Reception hosted a special assembly this week to celebrate Mums, Step-Mums, Nans, Sisters, Aunties-those special women who helped to look after us. Everyone was fantastic and I know it was a special memory for all that attended. We hope that everyone celebrating this Sunday has a wonderful day.



Parent & Carer's Evening

Everyone should now have received their appointment to meet with class teachers next week. We are very much looking forward to discussing the wonderful work and progress made by the children.

Attendance

We are seeing an increase in late arrivals. Please ensure your child arrives at school on time each morning. The school gates close promptly at **9:00am**, and any arrival after this time will be marked as late.

As we approach Eid celebrations, please be reminded that the school is able to authorise **one day of absence only** for religious observance. Any additional days taken will be marked as unauthorised.

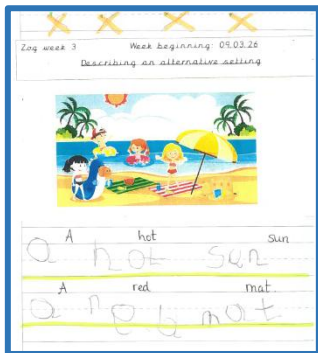
E Baxter
Headteacher

Class Attendance this week

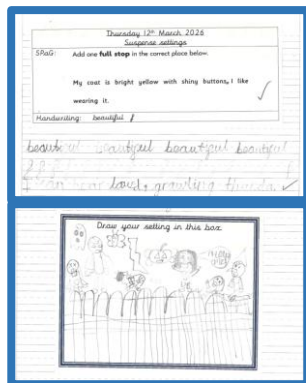
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Ahlberg	96.2%	5
Cadbury	87.3%	13.5
Seacole	90.7%	12.5
Elgar	95.9%	5.5
O'Keeffe	93.3%	8.5
Newton	99.0%	1
Hawking	94.6%	5
Lewis	92.7%	9
Simmonds	92.0%	11
Bloom	95.0%	6
Shakespeare	98.7%	2
Duleep	93.8%	9
Barnardo	93.3%	9
Whole School	94.0%	



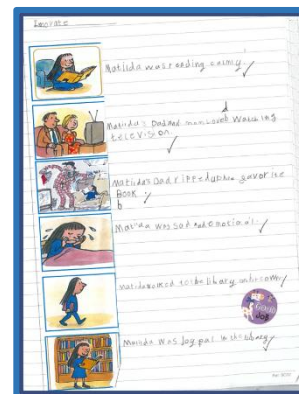
Writing of the Week!



Daniel



Liyana



Laylah-Rose

Key Dates

Wednesday 18 th March	Parents' Consultation Evening
Thursday 19 th March	Parents' Consultation Evening
Tuesday 24 th March	Art Parent Workshops – EYFS 9.15am
Tuesday 24 th March	Art Parent Workshops – Year 1 & 2 2.30pm
Wednesday 25 th March	Art Parent Workshops – Year 3 & 4 9.15am
Wednesday 25 th March	Art Parent Workshops – Year 5 & 6 2.30pm
Thursday 26 th March	Easter Bonnet Parade – 9.15am KS1 Easter Bonnet Parade – 10am KS2
Friday 27 th March	Children break-up
Monday 30 th March-Friday 10 th April	EASTER HOLIDAY
Monday 13 th April	INSET DAY – Children return on Tuesday 14th April

Article of the month - March

Article 31: Every child has the right to rest, relax and play

This month we will be thinking about Article 31, in particular on Thursday as we celebrate World Book Day. At EFPS we love reading and we think it is a great way to relax and unwind. The children are given lots of opportunity at school to read for pleasure and have the chance to visit our libraries too which are stocked with lots of exciting books. **What is your favourite way to relax?**



Head Teacher Award of the week

Well done, everyone!

Rec: Donaldson – T'zion & Daniel
Rec: Ahlberg – Anayah
Y1: Cadbury - Olivia
Y1: Seacole – Elvis
Y2: O'Keeffe – Connie
Y2: Elgar - Sarim
Y3: Newton – Zakariya
Y3: Hawking – Aurora
Y4: Lewis – Melanie
Y4: Simmonds – Samaveer
Y5: Shakespeare – Frankee-Mai
Y5: Bloom – Suhuur
Y6: Duleep – Aisha
Y6: Barnardo – Pearl