

Elham Church of England Primary

From Acorns to Oaks Learning and Growing Together

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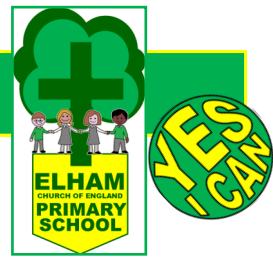
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Newsletter

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Winter



January 20th this week was classed as Blue Monday, the most depressing day of the year! Luckily for us at Elham, that was not the case in school. It is lovely to be greeted by so many smiling faces at the gate in the morning and to share special spiritual moments with our children during worship. Visiting classes during the day, I see positivity, enthusiasm and lots of exciting and motivating activities. It definitely makes getting up on the dark winter mornings more bearable!


Have a great weekend everyone!

Mrs Short

WET WEATHER FOOTWEAR

In inclement weather, children can come to school in wellies/boots to wear when they are outside and change into their school shoes once they are inside the building.

CLASS WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

Acorns	91.11%
Hazel	92.31%
Willow	93.65%
Silver Birch	94.22%
Beech 	94.24%
Oak	83.33%

Kitchen Assistant (servery) Elham Primary School

The successful candidate must be a good team member and able to work on their own when required.

Duties include: Setting up the dining room for service and clearing down afterwards, recording food temperatures, serving meals and washing up. Ideally the applicant will hold a Food Hygiene certificate, however training towards this will be given.

We are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expect all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. This post is subject to an enhanced DBS check. Hours of work are 11:30-1:30, Monday-Friday, term time only + 5 additional cleaning days.

Job Type: Part-time, Permanent

Start Date: ASAP, Subject to an enhanced DBS check

Victoria Boughton (admin@wholeschoolmeals.co.uk)

CLASS ASSEMBLIES

Acorn Class: Wednesday, 26th March

Hazel Class: Wednesday, 2nd April

Beech Class: Thursday, 3rd April

Oak Class: Wednesday, 25th June

Silver Birch Class: Wednesday, 2nd July

Willow Class: Wednesday, 9th July

Class assemblies start at 2.45pm and parents are welcome to attend.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS

Ruby & Scarlet in Oak,
Megan in Willows,
Maria in Beech
and Katie in Oak



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

All events can be found on the school website in the Calendar tab under Key Information.

Fri, 31st Jan, 2.45pm: Celebration Assembly—**parents invited**

Tues, 4th Feb: KS1 KIC Theatre (paid for with PTA funds)

Thurs, 6th Feb, 9.30-11.30am: Reception Fun Day @ 3 Hills

Fri, 7th Feb: NSPCC Number Day— wear clothing with numbers on.

Fri, 14th Feb: End of Term 3—Wow Day!

Mon, 24th Feb: Term 4 starts

Tues, 25th Feb, 3.30pm: Church Explorers

Wed, 26th Feb: PE lessons (netball/basketball) Yrs 1-6

Wed, 5th March, 2pm Ash Wednesday Service in St Mary's Church,
parents invited

Thurs, 6th March: World Book Day—dress up as your favourite character

Tues, 11th March: Science Day—carousel

Thurs, 13th March: Governor Day

Mon, 17th March, 11.30am: Yr 6 Safety in Action @ 3 Hills

Tues, 18th March: Church Explorers

Thurs, 20th March, 10am-3pm: Yr 5/6 Hockey League @ 3 Hills

Mon, 24th—Thurs, 27th March: Yr 6 Residential

Wed, 26th March, 2.45pm Mothering Sunday worship led by Acorns

Acorn parents invited

Thurs, 3rd April, 10am—2pm: Yr 3/4 Handball @ 3 Hills

ELHAM VALLEY OPEN DOOR PRAYER HUB

For information about our local churches and the services they are offering, please visit their website:

<https://elhamvalleygroupofchurches.co.uk/>