



East Peckham Primary School

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Newsletter

Term 5 Week 1

Friday 24th April 2026

Dear parents and carers,

Welcome back to the start of Term 5! The Summer Term seems to be filled with a number of exciting trips booked for the classes - which began with Otters' trip to Kent Life. It looks like they had a wonderful day and many thanks to all of the parents who accompanied the children - and to the staff who organised it too. I would also like to say congratulations to our new school captains - **Phoebe G** and **Jamie K!**

Wishing you a wonderful weekend,

Mrs Elliott

★ Stars of the Week ★

In our Friday Celebration Assembly we have been celebrating children who have shared a love of art :

Lemurs	Otters	Meerkats	Rhinos	Penguins	Lions	Dolphins
Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Willow G	Harvey T	Elissa-Rose F	Alfie W	Max M	Charlie B	Theo M

Attendance

Attendance and punctuality are very important and we have class targets of 96%+. Please make sure that the children attend every day to ensure their class can achieve their targets. Holidays during term-time will not be authorised, this includes those where we are notified both before and after they occur.

Lemurs	Otters	Meerkats	Rhinos	Penguins	Lions	Dolphins
Year R	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
98%	98%	98%	95%	96%	100%	96%
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Charlotte's Fundraising Activity

Raising money for
The Cinnamon Trust 1134680 and
East Peckham Primary School 800537



Go this way to the
fun fun fundraising
stall



Lucky dip.
Strawberry plants and asparagus tips for sale.
Furry cuddly toys for sale.
You can make bracelets, get your face decorated with face gems, have a tattoo, and there will be games that you can play.

Many thanks to **Charlotte B** who has organised a fun-fun-fundraising event on behalf of The Cinnamon Trust and for our school too. If you are around on the 2nd May between 9:00am and 12:00pm, then please drop by the village centre to participate in the fun or buy a strawberry plant or 2! Well done Charlotte for coming up with such a great idea!



Reminder: Upcoming PTA Events

CHALLENGE 2026

...TO RAISE £20.26 FOR EAST PECKHAM PRIMARY SCHOOL THROUGH WHICHEVER METHOD YOU CHOOSE!

SPONSORED...
Swim, Run, Read, Silence, Litterpick, Skip

CHORES...
Wash the car, pick up leaves, Hoover the house

MAKE AND SELL...
Bake and sell cakes
Auction your artwork, poems or stories, grow and sell plants

BE CREATIVE

HAND IN OR SUBMIT YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS BY FRIDAY 5TH JUNE 2026

Prizes for:
-Highest amount -Most creative - Most activities - Highest class total
Plus 10% of what your class raises goes to your class teacher to spend for the class!

QUIZ NIGHT!

Friday 5th June
7.30 - 10pm

Tickets £6 per person

When booking on Arbor please write your team name in the comments

Or write "no team" and we will allocate you into a team.

★ Max team size of 6 ★

Drinks will be available at the bar!

Reminder: PE/Swimming/Forest School/FOSIL Timetable for Terms 5 and 6

We appreciate that there are a lot of things to remember to bring in during the summer terms, as we will have PE, swimming and Forest School (Year R)/FOSIL (Years 1-6) so we are trying to find a way to help our parents prepare their children with bringing in the correct clothing/equipment. We have attempted to list the events each week in a calendar format, where if your child's class is not listed it means for them to wear school uniform as normal. This will also help us to communicate changes should they need to happen for any reason, and this will be listed in red, just like the 'Dates for your Diary' section. The days of the week that items are needed are mainly consistent, but due to short weeks or other events there may have to be small tweaks. PE is outdoor for all classes, unless stated in the table. We would appreciate your feedback on this. Details about what is required for each activity can be found below this section.

Monday 27th April	Tuesday 28th	Wednesday 29th	Thursday 30th	Friday 1st May
Y1 - PE Y2 - PE Y6 - PE	Y5 - PE	YR - PE Y3 - PE Y4 - PE	Y3 - PE Y4 - PE Y5 - PE	Y2 - PE
Monday 4th May	Tuesday 5th	Wednesday 6th	Thursday 7th	Friday 8th
	YR - Swim Y1 - Swim Y2 - Swim Y3 - Swim	YR - PE Y3 - PE Y4 - Swim Y6 - Swim	Y4 - PE Y5 - PE	Y2 - PE

	Y5 - Swim			
Monday 11th May	Tuesday 12th	Wednesday 13th	Thursday 14th	Friday 15th
Y1 - PE Y6 - PE	YR - Swim Y1 - Swim Y2 - Swim Y3 - Swim Y5 - Swim	YR - PE Y3 - PE Y4 - Swim Y6 - Swim	Y4 - PE Y5 - PE	Y2 - PE
Monday 18th May	Tuesday 19th	Wednesday 20th	Thursday 21st	Friday 22nd
Y1 - PE	YR - Swim Y1 - Swim Y2 - Swim Y3 - Swim Y5 - Swim	YR - PE Y3 - PE Y4 - Swim Y6 - Swim	Y4 - PE Y5 - PE	Y2 - PE
Monday 25th	Tuesday 26th	Wednesday 27th	Thursday 28th	Friday 29th
Monday 1st June	Tuesday 2nd	Wednesday 3rd	Thursday 4th	Friday 5th
Y1 - PE Y6 - PE	YR - Swim Y1 - Swim Y2 - Swim Y3 - Swim Y5 - Swim	YR - FSchool PE Y3 - PE Y4 - Swim Y6 - Swim	Y4 - PE Y5 - PE	Y2 - PE
Monday 8th June	Tuesday 9th	Wednesday 10th	Thursday 11th	Friday 12th
Y1 - PE Y3 - FOSIL Y5 - FOSIL Y6 - PE	YR - Swim Y1 - Swim FOSIL Y2 - Swim Y3 - Swim Y5 - Swim	YR - FSchool PE Y3 - PE Y4 - Swim Y6 - Swim	Y4 - PE Y5 - PE	Y2 - PE
Monday 15th June	Tuesday 16th	Wednesday 17th	Thursday 18th	Friday 19th
Y1 - PE Y4 - FOSIL Y6 - FOSIL	YR - Swim Y1 - Swim Y2 - Swim FOSIL Y3 - Swim Y5 - Swim	YR - FSchool PE Y3 - PE Y4 - Swim Y6 - Swim	Y4 - PE Y5 - PE	Y2 - PE
Monday 22nd June	Tuesday 23rd	Wednesday 24th	Thursday 25th	Friday 26th
Y1 - PE Y3 - FOSIL Y5 - FOSIL Y6 - PE	YR - Swim Y1 - Swim FOSIL Y2 - Swim Y3 - Swim Y5 - Swim	YR - FSchool PE Y3 - PE Y4 - Swim Y6 - Swim	Y4 - PE Y5 - PE	Y2 - PE
Monday 29th June	Tuesday 30th	Wednesday 1st July	Thursday 2nd	Friday 3rd

Y1 - PE Y4 - FOSIL Y6 - FOSIL	YR - Swim Y1 - Swim Y2 - Swim FOSIL Y3 - Swim Y5 - Swim	YR - FSchool PE Y3 - PE Y4 - Swim Y6 - Swim	Y4 - PE Y5 - PE	Sports Day All classes - PE
Monday 6th	Tuesday 7th	Wednesday 8th	Thursday 9th	Friday 10th
Y1 - PE Y6 - FOSIL	YR - Swim Y1 - Swim Y2 - Swim Y3 - Swim Y5 - Swim	YR - FSchool PE Y3 - PE Y4 - Swim Y6 - Swim	Y4 - PE Y5 - PE	Y2 - PE
Monday 13th	Tuesday 14th	Wednesday 15th	Thursday 16th	Friday 17th
Y1 - PE	YR - Swim Y1 - Swim Y2 - Swim Y3 - Swim Y5 - Swim	YR - PE Y3 - PE Y4 - Swim	Y4 - PE Y5 - PE	Y2 - PE

Dates for your diary

New dates added are in red. More information about the events will be shared nearer the time.

Thursday 30th April	Rhinos School Trip	Year 3
Tuesday 5th May	Penguins School Trip	Year 4
Tuesday 5th May	Parent Workshop - Understanding Autism email office@eastpeckhamprimary.org.uk to confirm attendance	All parents welcome
Monday 11th May - Thursday 14th May	Primary School SATs - all children must be in school everyday.	Year 6
Friday 15th May	Penguin's Assembly	Year 4 parents
Friday 22nd May	End of Term 5	Whole school
Thursday 4th June	Meerkats School Trip	Year 2
Friday 5th June	PTA Quiz	All welcome
Monday 8th June	Lemurs School Trip	Reception
Friday 3rd July	Sports Day	Whole school

Designated Safeguarding Team

Mr Atkins - Mrs Elliott - Miss Ray - Mrs Sinden - Miss Worrall

