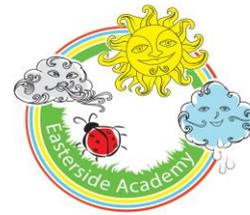


The Head Teacher's Fortnightly Newsletter

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Easterside Academy
Giving the chance to shine

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Hi,

Welcome to the start of the Summer Term and finally a little bit of weather!

Two weeks in and the Year 6's have continued to work extremely hard in preparation for their National SATs tests which take place all next week. We know that they will be trying their **very best**, and that is all we can ask of them. We don't want them to be worried about their results and feel it is important to remind them that although we want them to try their very best, the results that they get will only tell them a little something about themselves and not everything! It's **important** that they remember there are many things that make them smart and make them **'them'** and their results will only be a tiny part of that.

I have written them all a letter that reminds them of this and also gives them some top tips as to how to give themselves the best chance possible next week. **Everyone at Easterside Academy wishes them the very best of luck!**

Best Wishes
Mrs D Linacre



**Key Stage 2
Swimming
Lessons**



Over the last two weeks some of our Year 3 and 4 pupils have been going swimming every morning. Other KS2 pupils will get this opportunity over the Summer Term, and it is hoped that all pupils leave Year 6 being able to swim at least 25m.

Please follow us!!!

Easterside Academy has now joined **Twitter!** Keep up to date with what is going on in your school on our new Twitter feed.

You can find us at:
@easterside_a

Daily photos and news are shared. Latest 'Tweets' can also be seen on the Academy's website.



Well Done Everyone!

Together we raised an amazing £3,100 for Clic Sargent through our fantastic 'Colour Run' last term. A HUGE thank you to everyone in our community that contributed!



Staff and governors are committed to the safeguarding and wellbeing of all the children in their care.



Attendance

Week Beg: 24/04/17 and 01/05/17.

The information below tells you the attendance % for each class, for the last two weeks.

Class	%	%
1	100	95.8
2	97.3	98.2
3	97.7	98.4
4	95.5	100
5	93.7	97.9
6	94.7	95.8
7	99.0	97.3
8	96.3	96.3
9	88.2	90.3
10	95.8	95.8
11	97.5	95.0
12	90.6	98.3

The classes have been coded against the national average.

Red – Below
Yellow – Borderline
Green – Average or above

Punctuality

The information below tells you how many times a child has been late at each Key Stage in the last two weeks.

Rec/KS1	KS2
11	20
13	16

Please make sure your child comes to school on time!