



Newsletter

11 Oct 24

Upcoming Events

15 Oct 24 EPFC AGM

The AGM for the EPFC will be held in the parish rooms at 8.45 am. All parents/carers are welcome to attend.

17 Oct Orca Class Assembly

Orca parents are invited to join the school for a class assembly at 8.45 am.

18 Oct Bags2School

Please bring bags to Creighton Hall by 9.00 am. [Here](#) is information on what can be donated.

22 Oct Orca Parent Lunch

Orca parents are invited to share lunch with us at 12.30. You should have received a google form to sign up.

25 Oct Half-term

The school will close for half-term after wraparound on 25 Oct. It will reopen on Mon 4 Nov.

4, 5, 7 Nov Scholastic Book Fair

The Book Fair will run from 3-4 pm. Come and buy reasonably priced books for Christmas presents! Bring in pre-loved children's books to donate to charity.

Attendance Info

Since the start of term our attendance is 96.14%. We have had no days this week where everyone was in school.

Did you know...? Data from 2019 showed that 84% of Key Stage 2 pupils who had 100% attendance achieved the expected standard in their SATS compared to 40% of pupils who were persistently absent across the key stage.

Celebrating Success

Mrs Threlfall's star of the week: Emily B

Orca star of the week: Polly

Seal star of the week: Beatrice

Puffin star of the week: Liam D

Starfish star of the week: Frankie

Congratulations to Rosie Br on getting a certificate from the library for excellent reading and Aidan and Polly for awards from Rock CC.



Class Highlights

This week we had an opportunity to learn about how to stay safe around unfamiliar dogs from Blue Cross.

Starfish Class

This week we have been to the church to look at the font as part of our RE. We then went to the quarry to listen to the different sounds we could hear. We loved looking at the goats that call the quarry their home!

Puffin Class

We have been testing the stability of different shapes in DT this week in preparation for designing a new chair for Baby Bear.

Seal Class

We have been researching famous inventors this week as part of our English. In French, we have been learning how to ask how we are feeling. In computing, we have been focusing on making slideshow presentations on Google Slides.

Orca Class

In maths year 5 have been learning about rounding numbers up to 100,000 and year 6 have been investigating prime numbers. In history we've been exploring crime and punishment during the Victorian time period.

Important Info

Class Blogs

'What did you do at school today?'

'Can't remember.'

Is this a familiar conversation in your household? If you would like to find out what your child really has been up to you can find it on the [school website](#).

Brunton Show

The PFA have asked if anyone has any cakes or tombola prizes for the stall at the Brunton Show then please could you let Chelle Birbeck know.

Communication

If you have any queries please email admin@vincentedwards.northumberland.sch.uk

If you do not have access to the google calendar **Embleton Primary School Information** please let us know and we will add you. Information on what we have been up to can be found on the school [website](#).

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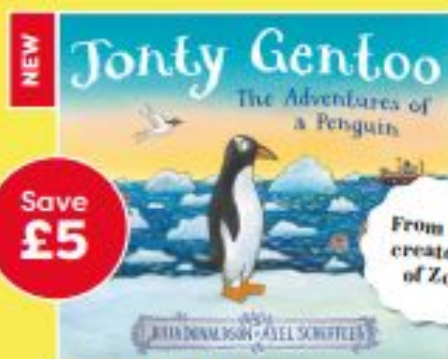
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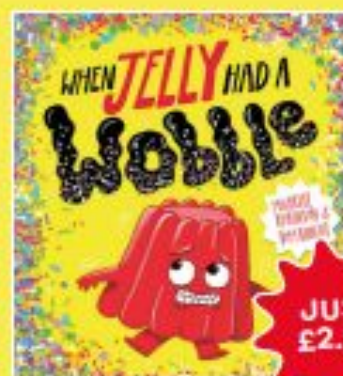
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11 October 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to inform you about Operation Encompass. This is an innovative project in which schools in Northumberland are participating, and which is run in partnership with Northumberland County Council and Northumbria Police. Many other Local Authorities both nationally and locally have successfully implemented Operation Encompass.

Operation Encompass aims to support children and young people who are affected by domestic abuse. Experiencing domestic abuse is really distressing for a child or young person, who often see the abuse, hear it from another room, see a parent's injuries or distress afterwards or can be physically hurt by trying to stop the abuse. As a result, following any domestic abuse incident being reported to the police, the Police will make contact with Children's Social Care who will then communicate relevant and necessary information to nominated school staff. This will ensure that the school is made aware at the earliest possible opportunity and can subsequently provide support to children in a way that means they feel safe and listened to.

Each school has members of staff (key adults) who have been fully trained in liaising with police and Children's Social Care when required, and will ensure that the necessary support is made available to the child or young person following the disclosure of a domestic abuse incident.

I believe that this project demonstrates our school's commitment to working in partnership to safeguard and protect children, and to providing the best possible care and support for our pupils.

In the meantime, if you would like to speak to someone further about the project or require further information, please contact our key adults in school who are Mrs Threlfall and Mrs Popay. You can also find out more information regarding support that is available for adults and children [here](#) and [here](#).

Regards

Nicola Threlfall





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Dear Parent/Carer

I am writing to inform you about Operation Endeavour. This is an innovative project in which schools and colleges in Northumberland are participating, and which is run in partnership with Northumberland County Council and Northumbria Police.

Operation Endeavour aims to support children and young people who go missing from home. Children who go missing from home are at risk of significant harm and they may be vulnerable to sexual exploitation, violent crime, gang exploitation, or to drug and alcohol misuse. As a result, following any report of a child going missing to the Police, the Police will make contact with Children's Social Care who will then communicate relevant and necessary information to nominated school staff.

Each school has members of staff (key adults) who have been fully trained in liaising with the Police and Children's Social Care when required and will ensure that the necessary support is made available to the child or young person following their return.

I believe that this project demonstrates our school's commitment to working in partnership to safeguard and protect children, and to providing the best possible care and support for our pupils. In the meantime, if you would like to speak to someone further about the project or require further information please contact our key adults in school who are Mrs Threlfall and Mrs Popay.

Regards

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