

# Elm Academy News

29th Sept 2023



# Message from Mrs Wakeman

What an exciting 2 weeks. I have managed to spend some time in with the new Reception class and how well they have all settled in.

Year 4 have been doing brilliantly at swimming with many already swimming without any aids. We have also had compliments from the public about their behaviour. Well done Year 4!

Bailey has enjoyed spending time with so many of you and looks forward to seeing more of you next week. Thank you from him for all the sticks and cuddles!

We look forward to welcoming you to parents evening in a few weeks and then the end of term parties after school for the children.

## **Exciting Curriculum**

Reception have had another super week at school. We have started Phonics and Maths and the children have loved showing what they have learnt during play to learn.





Reception



In History lessons the children in Y1 have enjoyed exploring toys from the past and comparing them with toys they play with today.





Year 1

## **Exciting Curriculum**

#### Year 2









We made houses for 3 pigs and then ate them. We are now writing instructions to share with everyone as they were so tasty.





We have been acting out pollination and fertilisation in Science using tennis balls as pollen and sticky pads as flowers. We were the bees!





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Year 6 enjoyed their day at the tank museum







## **Elm Events**

Well done to all of the boys involved in the tournament this week at Littledown. Great teamwork and plenty of goals. Well done boys. We are looking forward to lots of sporting events coming up this term.



### Elms celebrates our Pupils

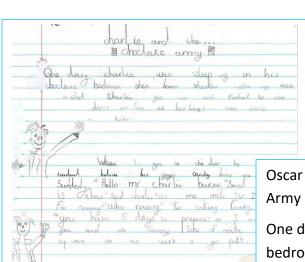
13th September was Roald Dahl's birthday.
The children were given to opportunity to design an engaging piece of work, written or drawn, and these are our winners. They will all be receiving a brand-new copy of a Roald Dahl favourite. Congratulations.



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Abdulah year 5 – Charlie Bedroom

Harry year 1 – What the Enormous Crocodile was dreaming



Oscar year 4 – Charlie and the Chocolate Army

One day Charlie was sleeping in his chocolate bedroom then, Boom! Charlie woke up with a shock. Charlie got up and rushed to the door as fast as his legs can carry him.

### Inclusion team

#### Parent Champion for SEND - Confidential monthly support and advice for families

As a school we want to play a role in improving SEND services for our children. We now have an opportunity to provide a confidential space here in school for families of children with SEND through a new Parent Champion project delivered and funded by SENDiass4BCP and Parent Carers Together.

Each month a dedicated Parent Champion will hold one session to support families in navigating appropriate local and national services and networks to meet the needs of their children. Your child does not have to be on the SEND register at school to be able to access the support. Time slots will be allocated to individual families on a first come first served basis and are held in confidence during the school day.

#### Our next Parent Champion sessions will take place on Tuesday 17th October 2023

To enable us to plan ahead for these sessions we are asking parent/carers to book onto a session by emailing *parent2parent@elm-academy.org.uk*.

If you are experiencing difficulties and are unsure where to access the support and resources you need please do get in touch and confirm your interest in writing. The role of the Parent Champion is to listen and to share knowledge of the services and the networks in your local community that may be of help to you.

This is a valuable resource we are so pleased to be part of. Together we can improve services and support for families across Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole.

### **Inclusion Team**

Mr Read – Inclusion Team Lead and DDSL

Miss Reed – DDSL and Pastoral Support Worker

Mrs Stevenson -Pastoral and Family Support
Worker

Please can we receive any donations by the morning of October 05<sup>th</sup>. Thank you



#### **Dates and Reminders**

05th Oct 2023 - Yr5&6 Girls football

12th Oct 2023 - Yr5 Mixed Football

12<sup>th</sup> Oct 2023 – Parent Evening (further information will follow)

19th Oct 2023 – End of Term Discos

23th - 27th Oct 2023 - HALF TERM

30<sup>th</sup> October – Pupils first day back

02<sup>nd</sup> Nov 2023 – Open evening Reception 2024-25

03rd Nov 2023 - Flu Vaccinations

29th Nov 2023 – Sibling school photos (full uniform - NO PE kits)

30<sup>th</sup> Nov 2023 – Whole school Enterprise day

01st Dec 2023 - INSET

08<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023 – Christmas Jumper Day

11<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023 – Year 6 Performance 2pm

12<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023 – Year 2 Performance 9.30am

12<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023 – Year 5 Performance 2pm

13<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023 – Year 1 Performance 9.30am

13<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023 – Year 3 Performance 2pm

14<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023 – Nursery & reception 9.30am

14<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023 – Year 4 Performance 2pm

14<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023 – End of term Disco

15<sup>th</sup> Dec 2023 – Pupils last day of term.



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