

# East Bergholt CEVC Primary School



## Newsletter



Summer Term (Week 2) – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2024

### Celebrating Cross Country Success!

Our East Bergholt runners conquered the Royal Hospital School course with grit and determination, with all 28 pupils completing the race – an incredible feat! Special shoutout to Henry and Tasmin from Year 5 for advancing to the next race. Bruno snagged third place, with Raife close behind in fourth. Plus, our teams dominated, with Year 6 boys bringing home the first-place trophy! Huge congratulations to all participants – you've made us proud!



### Celebrating Year 6's!

A special acknowledgment to our Year 6 pupils who are diligently preparing for their SATs tests. Mrs. Felgate has organised engaging activities to reinforce the children's skills and build their confidence. The tireless efforts of both the children and our teaching team reflect their commitment to success. Keep up the excellent work, Year 6 – you make us proud every day!



### Earth Day Extravaganza!

Monday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> was a blast as we celebrated World Earth Day at East Bergholt Primary! We dove into the book, "Dear Earth" by I. Otter, embarking on a magical adventure with the main character Tessa, who wrote a love letter to the planet which saw her embarking on an adventure filled with blowing bubbles with whales, soaring with birds and joining the lively rainforest hullabaloo.



Our classes took on Earth-saving missions:

- Reception planted hedges on the field
- Year 1 made Earth Day Pledges
- Year 2 cleaned up litter on the school field
- Year 3 got crafty with foraged materials
- Year 5 wrote beautiful Earth poetry
- And Year 6 painted stunning Earth portraits with Q-tips.

Together, we showed our love for our planet and vowed to care for it every day!

### Hoppy News from Year One!

Exciting news from Year One: we've got tadpoles! Mrs. Collins brought in some special guests for the Year 1 pupils to care for and watch grow into frogs.



Our tadpoles are already the talk of the school, with visitors from all year groups stopping by to say hello. We've even set up a feeding rota to make sure our new friends are well looked after. Naming 200 tadpoles might be a bit tricky, so for now, they're just our tadpoles of mystery! But we're super excited to watch them transform into froglets and frogs. If you're ever passing by, come take a peek at our tadpole adventure – it's ribbiting fun for everyone! Stay tuned for more updates.

### Friendly Gate Reminder

Please use the path along the field when entering school via the Hop Meadow gate. This helps keep our carpets mud-free. Our school field remains closed during playtimes and lunchtimes currently due to unpredictable weather and a muddy surface. Thanks for your cooperation!



## Important Dates Coming Up

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2024**

Earth Day in school

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2024**

SATs week for Year 6 pupils

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2024**

Curriculum Wow Day – parents and relatives to work with children across the school

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June (onwards)**

Multiplication Tables Check for Year 4 pupils

**Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June (onwards)**

Phonics screening check for Year 1 pupils

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July**

Whole School Sports Day (morning and lunch)

**Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> & Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July**

Year 6 Production evenings

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July**

Meet with teachers & collect pupil books

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July – Last day of term**

Year 6 Leaver's Service at the Church (09:30)