



Friday Letter for Parents and Carers

10th February 2023



Headteacher Update

Diary Dates

March

1st-3rd Lea Green Group 1

3rd HMO World Book Celebration
(National 2nd)

**20th Mother's Day open afternoon—Please note
change of date**

29th Makaton Revision Session 10am-11am

21st/22nd Parents Evening

31st Easter Eggstravaganza!

May

25th Makaton Level 1 Training 9am -3pm

June

6th Makaton Revision Session 10am-11am

July

13th Makaton Revision Session 1.30pm-2.30pm

Happy half term everyone! The absolute highlight from this half term has to be our wonderful whole school performances. Enjoy a special celebration of your comments and our photographs to end a busy half term on our third page.

It has been lovely to see a lot more educational visits taking place this half term, with visits to the library, on local transport and walks into the community, our pupils are developing their behaviours for learning and safety beyond our school walls. If you would like to volunteer, or know of someone who is keen to give some time, please contact the admin team.

Keep your eyes peeled on our diary dates for parent workshops, these will be run by our WEB team to support strategies in the home. We will share the dates in Spring 2.

Thank you to all staff and parents for their understanding and cooperation with the impact staff illness has had on the school this half term.

I wish you all a restful half term holiday ready for Spring 2.

Many thanks, Olivia

Olivia



Saplings

Wow, what a busy half term we have had! We spent so much time preparing and rehearsing for our performance and we had such a great time being part of the show. We made our own costumes and practised our dancing, alongside reading *The Scarecrow's Wedding* and having lots of scarecrow themed activities. We've finished off the half term with some transport themed learning. There have been some very popular and very messy activities!



**Hob Moor Oaks
Heroes of the Week**

Karen Gowland for a successful half term in your new role!
Thank you

Happy Birthday this week to:
Frank
Happy Birthday during the holidays to:
Emmie, Katie & Danny



We've been on a bus trip!



City Screen- Autism Friendly Screening

Minions: The Rise of Gru is to be screened on Sunday 19th February. The screening will start promptly at 11.15am. All tickets for this show cost £3.30. Please could wheelchair users book in advance so they can have enough spaces available. Please contact the cinema, if you should have any special requirements on 01904 612940 or email cath.s@picturehouses.co.uk Thank you.



Congratulations!!!
Poppy and Mira have been selected as our school's Pupil parliament representatives. Our pupil parliament representatives will represent HMO at the trust parliament meetings. We are working with HMP on our first project around the recycling of plastics in our federation. Look out for more information from our representatives.

**NSPCC
Number
Day 2023**

Thank you to everyone who donated towards last week's event. Thanks to your kind donations we have raised £126.79 to support the NSPCC.

MAKATON REVISION SESSIONS

Come along and practice your Makaton in a relaxed and friendly environment

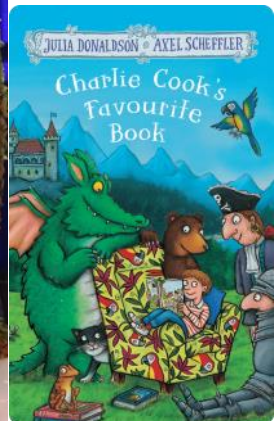
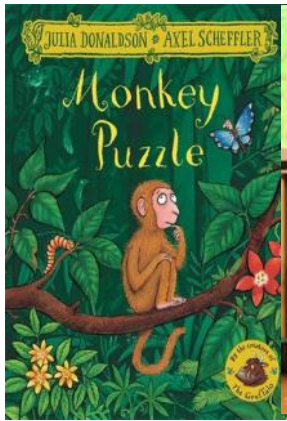
For Parents and Carers who have attended Level 1 and/or Level 2 Makaton training

Dates:
Wednesday 29th March 10am - 11am
Tuesday 6th June 10am - 11am
Thursday 13th July 1.30pm - 2.30pm

If you have any questions, please contact: s.morgan1@ebor.academy

To register to attend:
<https://forms.gle/WP2Riox8uWXMbQaA>

A Hob Moor Oaks celebration of Julia Donaldson



Thank you for a fabulous performance yesterday! It came together brilliantly and we can see how much thought and work went in to it! Ignas fulfilled his role of jumping frog brilliantly too!

I must say Joshy is sat on the sofa barely moving, it was fantastic show well done team Saplings you were all fab and thank you to our wonderful teachers and amazing assistants

Wow I'm still buzzing after such an amazing performance. I think it's the best I've ever seen. You could see the children loving it and the staff were Fab too. Thanks to you all. I'm so pleased I was able to see it. So proud of Frank he makes a great crocodile.

I was super proud of Alex and the the children today, they did amazing. I thought Alex was going to take off the way he was bouncing on the ball. Thank you so much for all your effort to making it so fabulous

He really did, I think the whole performance was amazing! I had tears in my eyes. The older children doing makaton were just amazing. A lot of hard work went into that, thank you so much for all your hard work.

It was AMAZING! Everybody did so well, we were very proud :)

Amazing! It was so lovely to watch. Well done every

Can I just say a massive thankyou to the Brilliant Panto this morning I was blown away Lily joining in absolutely fantastic and it's all thanks to your amazing team thanks again x

We were amazed with the performance and all the children they looked like they were having so much fun and laughter it was amazing to watch and to see all the teachers hard work and efforts go into an amazing show the love and care you all have for the children was clear to see I know leo had an amazing time as I'm sure all the children and parents did. thank you to everyone who made this special performance and made the children some special memories.

