



Key Dates:

July
Friday 14th: Last Day of Term

September
Tuesday 5th: First day of term for Year1 – Year 6
(Gates open at 8.30am and close at 8.40am)

October
Friday 16th: Last Day of Term
Monday 30th: School Closed
Tuesday 31st: Return back to school

December
Thursday 21st: Last Day of Term

January 2024
Monday 8th: Return back to school

Dates for your diary.....

Sports Day

Each Sports Day has brought enjoyment and fun, for both children and parents. The pupil's behaviour has been outstanding and we defiantly have some future sprinting and javelin stars. Thank you to everyone who has supported and participated in the events – the children were thrilled that you took part. Our Sports Team, Mr Akindayini and Miss Balogun have created an annual event which is enjoyed by everyone and I would like thank them both for raising the profile and participation of sport across our school.



Summer Picnic

Our annual Summer Picnic was a great success children had the opportunity to explore the jungle run and giant slide, have their face painted or a henna design, hook a duck, beat the goalie, the list goes on. Your support enables us to raise much needed run funds to provide more fun and games on the school playground. I am sure you will join me thanking Mrs Trench for organising the event and everyone who helped on the day.



Nursery Graduation

One of the most memorable events of the year is the nursery children's graduation. Parents were entertained by the children's singing and dancing and each child was presented with a special photograph to treasure.



EYFS - Splash Park

Our Reception children had a very exciting day at Barking Splash Park. They had so much fun and made new friends with special characters on the day.



Year 1 - Science Museum

Year 1 had a fantastic time at The Science Museum. In "The Garden", they were able to explore floating and sinking, shadows and reflections and the forces of pulling and pushing. They also got to create symmetrical images and patterns in "The Pattern Pod".



Year 2 - The Beach

Year 2 travelled on the train to Chalkwell Beach in Southend. They made sandcastles, dipped their toes in the sea and finished the day with an ice lolly.



Year 3 – British Museum

Year 3 had an excellent time during our visit to the British Museum. They saw real ancient Egyptians and explored Roman Britain artefacts.



Year 4 – Swimming

The children have really enjoyed their weekly visits to the swimming pool. They have learned to swim and improve their swimming skills.

Year 5 – Natural History Museum

Children were amazed by the earthquake room which gave them an insight into how it really feels when you are struck by such force! It encouraged really deep and meaningful conversations.



Year 6 Residential Trip to Trewern

The year 6 children had an amazing time during their week residential at Trewern last week. They experienced, gorge walking, BMX bike riding, archery, paddle boarding, rock climbing and ended their week toasting marshmallows around a camp fire. They had made memories which will last a lifetime. We will be offering this experience each year for our year 6 children, please see the link for more information <https://trewern.org>. The dates and costs for the trip in July 2024 will be shared in September.



Year 6 – Adventure Island and London Zoo

The year 6 children went on a whole range of thrilling and exciting rides at Adventure Island, Southend and visited London Zoo on Friday. The Spider House caused a few screams!



Starting the new academic year

Your children are now with their new teacher, which we believe will support their wellbeing over the summer holidays. They will return in September after having spent a week in their new classroom with their teacher and will be positive and excited about the year ahead.

Arriving to school on time

We kindly ask that you make every effort to ensure your child arrives to school on time. (Gates open at 8.30am and close at 8.40am)



Thank you

A huge thank you from all the staff at Eastbury for your kindness and good wishes. We all hope you have a wonderful summer break with your family and friends.

