



# Thomas Eaton News

Autumn Term Issue 9

15th November 2024

School has been a hive of activity this week and there has been a real buzz around school. Classes have been filled with pupils who are on task and engaged in their learning.

Both myself and Mr Turner have been observing play at both break and lunchtimes this week, and we have been pleased to see the majority of our pupils engaged in meaningful play. There is still a small minority of our pupils who are demonstrating rough play and we have addressed this in the moment. We will also be following this up in assemblies and further details will follow next week about the plan to improve our play provision.

Enjoy the weekend, whatever your plans.

Mrs N Webb  
Deputy Headteacher

## Questions of the week

We are aware that sometimes it is tricky for children to talk to parents about their learning from the week or that sometimes you get the answer "nothing" when asking children what they've learned at school.

Therefore, we are going to provide a prompt question for each year group every week, that you can ask your child and get them talking about their amazing learning.

**Koala Class:** Who fell off the wall?

**Meerkat Class:** Name the parts of your body that make you whole?

**Panda Class:** Are humans animal?

**Tiger Class:** How did life change across the Stone Age?

**Fox Class:** Who was Fu Hao?

**Lion Class:** Name all eight phases of the moon.

## Above and Beyond

Koala Class: Buddy

Meerkat Class: Clara

Panda Class: Raven

Tiger Class: Eric

Fox Class: Frankie-Rose

Lion Class: Rosie

## Children in Need

It was wonderful today, to see all our pupils (and staff) wearing their pyjamas in support of Children in Need. Classrooms looked quite different today, as pupils were sporting an array of distinct colours and designs. A big thank you to those of you that provided cakes and biscuits for our bake sale yesterday. The goodies were all devoured! Our School Council members were responsible for staging the event, which has raised £306.65 for the charity. Thank you for all your support and generosity.



## Upcoming dates

### Autumn Term 2024

**Thursday 21st November**  
PINS project session  
2 till 3pm in the school hall

EYFS open session 9.30am to 10.30am  
for perspective Pre-School (enrolling January  
or April 2024) or Reception pupils starting  
school in September 2024.

**Saturday 23rd November**  
Wimblington Christmas Lights switch on

**Thursday 5th December**  
Twinkl Nativity (EYFS & Year 1)  
2:30pm and 6pm performances

**The Big Sing @ Cromwell Years 3 & 4**

**Friday 6th December**  
Festive Friday

**Wednesday 11th December**  
Christingle in St Peters Church @2.30pm Year 2  
and 3, plus members of VIAM

**Thursday 12th December**  
Christmas Jumper Day  
Christmas dinner

**Wednesday 18th December**  
The Nutcracker 2.30pm performance @ London  
Coliseum Years 5 & 6

**Friday 20th December**  
Celebration Day  
Celebration Assembly 2:30pm  
Autumn Term ends

**Monday 23rd December-Friday 3rd January**  
Christmas Holidays

## Thomas Eaton Dojos

Koala Class - 96  
Meerkat Class - 72  
Panda Class - 109  
Tiger Class - 144  
Fox Class - 95  
Lion Class - 111



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## Remembrance Display

All of our 126 pupils worked hard to collectively create our Remembrance window displays, as a symbol to commemorate Remembrance Day in honour of the service and sacrifice made by past and present members of the armed forces, and their families. Each pupil individually created a poppy which were then collated as a class display in each window. I think you will agree that the window displays are a fitting tribute. On Monday, at 11am, we all stood collectively on the playground to pay our respects by participating in a two minute silence.



Lest we forget.

