



# The Emmanuel Eye

We see you and all the amazing things you do!

**Spring 2 – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2026**

We've had a busy and joyful week at Emmanuel this week! Today we celebrated *Comic Relief* and it was wonderful to see everyone dressed in red. Thank you for your donations - every contribution helps.

In Design Technology this week, Year 3/4 have been making sandwiches, while Y5/6 have been baking hot cross buns. We hope you enjoyed seeing (and maybe tasting!) their creations.

Next week is our final week of term, and it's a busy one. Please check the dates below to stay up to date with everything happening.

Have a lovely weekend with your families.

Mr Backhouse

## An Eye on Upcoming Events for your Diary:

*Please note, there will be no after-schools next week.*

- ✓ Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March – Easter Discos
- ✓ Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March – Decorated Egg Competition Deadline
- ✓ Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> March – Rock Steady Spring Concert – *parents of band members welcome*
- ✓ Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March – Easter Celebration – 09:00am – *parents welcome*
- ✓ Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March – Term Ends
- ✓ Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April – Summer Term Begins
- ✓ Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> April – RSE Parent/Carer Workshop

## An Eye on Attendance

Class	Attendance
Y3/4 AM – Beautiful Butterflies	96.51%
Y3/4 SB/CJ – Fantastic Foxes	94.79%
Y3/4 HH – Marvellous Meerkats	94.12%
Y5 RC – Powerful Panthers	93.08%
Y5 JH – Amazing Axolotls	95.83%
Y6VA – Determined Dinosaurs	96.79%

Our whole school attendance this week is: **94.65%**

The class with the highest attendance and winning extra playtime this week and extra football time, are **Y6VA** with **96.79%** - well done!

<p>IF YOUR CHILD'S ATTENDANCE DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR...</p> <p>WAS 95%</p> <p>WAS 90%</p> <p>WAS 85%</p> <p>WAS 80%</p> <p>WAS 75%</p>	<p>YOUR CHILD WOULD HAVE LOST APPROXIMATELY...</p> <p>9 DAYS FROM SCHOOL</p> <p>19 DAYS FROM SCHOOL</p> <p>29 DAYS FROM SCHOOL</p> <p>38 DAYS FROM SCHOOL</p> <p>48 DAYS FROM SCHOOL</p>	<p>OR THEY WOULD HAVE MISSED APPROXIMATELY...</p> <p>50 LESSONS</p> <p>100 LESSONS</p> <p>150 LESSONS</p> <p>200 LESSONS</p> <p>250 LESSONS</p>
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PLEASE ENCOURAGE PUNCTUALITY TO MAINTAIN SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

**MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD DOESN'T MISS OUT**



# An Eye on Success...Going for Gold!

A huge well done to our amazing **Gold Award** winners this week:

Y3/4 AM – Beautiful Butterflies	Kingston	<i>For stepping up and improving his behaviour and attitude.</i>
Y3/4 SB/CJ – Fantastic Foxes	Jahream	<i>For showing courage and determination in his learning.</i>
Y3/4 HH – Marvellous Meerkats	Tom	<i>For consistently working hard at every task in The Hive.</i>
Y5 RC – Powerful Panthers	Harry	<i>For going above and beyond in maths at home and in school.</i>
Y5 JH – Amazing Axolotls	Eliza	<i>For showing courage and determination this week.</i>
Y6VA – Determined Dinosaurs	Evie	<i>For always working hard especially in writing this week.</i>

As well as receiving their “**Gold Award**” time, they will also have the chance to sit on the benches during Collective Worship next week.

### The “Emmanuel Way” Class of the Week:

The class who had the highest percentage of pupils remaining on the Blue Door this week are the **Amazing Axolotls** with **78%** of the children showing our “Emmanuel Way”. This class will get to sit on the benches in Collective Worship next week.

### Gold Readers

Congratulations to our **Gold Readers** this week: Keira, Ned, Amelia, Gracie, Rhylee and Theo.

They will get the chance to choose a reading book to keep from our donated book shelves.

This week in worship, we have continued with our theme of forgiveness - why it matters, how it helps us live well together and how it reflects our school values of being *respectful, courageous, and safe*.

### Reflection questions for home:

- *When is it hardest to forgive someone?*
- *How does it feel when you are forgiven?*
- *Why do you think forgiveness is important for friendships?*
- *Is there someone you might need to say sorry to—or forgive—this week?*
- *What helps you show courage when making things right?*



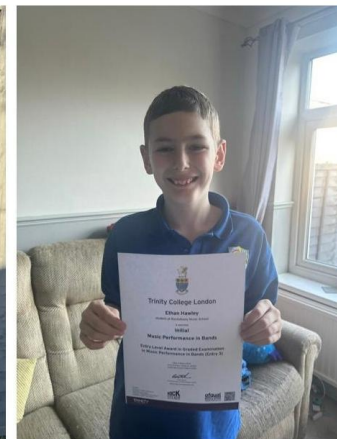
# An Eye on Out-of-School Achievements

## SPOT LIGHT

We love seeing our pupils shine beyond the classroom! Take a look at some of the incredible **Out-of-School Achievements** that have taken place in our community over the past week.

Ethan has had a brilliantly busy and successful week! He has earned three badges in Cub Scouts - Photography, DIY, and Skills - showing fantastic effort and commitment. On Tuesday, he also swam an impressive 400 metres during Swimming Distance Day. To top it all off, Ethan has received a certificate from Trinity College London, recognising that he has achieved his Initial Award in Music Performance in Bands (Level 3) through Rock Steady.

What an amazing range of achievements —well done, Ethan! We are very proud of you.



Juve has had an incredible weekend of football success! Last Saturday, he was awarded Man of the Match for Staveley JMWFC U10s for his fantastic performance as goalkeeper. Then on Sunday, he went on to achieve both Man of the Match *and* Parents' Player for Westfield Rangers U10s!

What an amazing set of achievements—well done, Juve! We're all very proud of you.



## Important Updates:

### Easter Celebration:

On Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March, we will be holding an Easter Celebration in the hall at 09:00am. Parents/carers are welcome to join us for some Easter songs. During this celebration, we will also reveal the winners of the Decorate an Egg Competition.