



The Emmanuel Eye

We see you and all the amazing things you do!

Spring 2 – Friday 13th March 2026

This week, we've been celebrating **British Science Week**, exploring the 2026 theme **“Curiosity: what’s your question?”**, which encourages children to ask big questions and follow their natural sense of wonder. Keep an eye out on Class Dojo to see the wonderful learning taking place.

A quick reminder that our Parent/Carer Consultation evenings take place next week. If you haven't yet shared your availability, please contact your child's class teacher via Class Dojo or return the reply slip so an appointment can be arranged. These meetings are a valuable chance to discuss your child's progress and look through their learning. Appointment times will be shared before the end of the week.

Also, next week, we will be celebrating **Comic Relief (Red Nose Day)** on **Friday 20th March**. Children are welcome to wear something red and we will be collecting donations on the gate before and after school.

Have a lovely weekend with your families.

Mr Backhouse

An Eye on Upcoming Events for your Diary:

- ✓ 18/19th March – Spring Term Parent/Carer Consultation Evening
- ✓ Friday 20th March – Comic Relief
- ✓ Tuesday 24th March – Easter Discos
- ✓ Wednesday 25th March – Rock Steady Spring Concert
- ✓ Wednesday 24th March – RSE Parent/Carer Workshop
- ✓ Friday 26th March – Easter Celebration
- ✓ Friday 26th March – Term Ends

An Eye on Attendance

Class	Attendance
Y3/4 AM – Beautiful Butterflies	96.9%
Y3/4 SB/CJ – Fantastic Foxes	92.9%
Y3/4 HH – Marvellous Meerkats	95.7%
Y5 RC – Powerful Panthers	96.9%
Y5 JH – Amazing Axolotls	98.3%
Y6VA – Determined Dinosaurs	97.1%

Our whole school attendance this week is: **96.2%**
The class with the highest attendance and winning extra playtime this week and extra football time, are **Y5JH** with **98.3%** - 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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An Eye on Success...Going for Gold!

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

Y3/4 AM – Beautiful Butterflies	Alfie	<i>For trying hard in everything he does, particularly in his assessments this week.</i>
Y3/4 SB/CJ – Fantastic Foxes	Elsie	<i>For aiming high in all of her learning.</i>
Y3/4 HH – Marvellous Meerkats	Richard	<i>For being a good sport and a friend to all.</i>
Y5 RC – Powerful Panthers	Alicia	<i>For having a great attitude to learning.</i>
Y5 JH – Amazing Axolotls	Alexa	<i>For continuing her great work ethic throughout all lessons.</i>
Y6VA – Determined Dinosaurs	Maisie	<i>For making great choices and always working hard.</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 **Determined Dinosaurs** with **77%** 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: Kaya, India, Ronnie, Lucy, Ben and Daneeka.

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

This week in Collective Worship, we continued exploring our value of **Forgiveness** by reflecting on **Matthew 18:21–35 — The Parable of the Unforgiving Servant**. The story reminds us how important it is to forgive others just as we are forgiven.

Reflection Questions for Home:

- *Why is forgiveness important?*
- *How does it feel to forgive or be forgiven?*
- *How can we show forgiveness in our daily lives?*



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.



Muireann had a fantastic Sunday with the Middlewood Rovers boys' team, earning both the Manager's Player and the Parents' Player awards. She was absolutely thrilled!

Important Updates:

Comic Relief – Red Nose Day: Friday 20th March

On Friday 20th March, we will be celebrating Comic Relief (Red Nose Day).

On this day, children are welcome to wear something red to help mark the occasion, and we will be collecting donations on the gate before and after school to support this fantastic cause.

To help us keep things running smoothly, please can we kindly ask that sports kits are not worn on this day. Thank you for your support and understanding.

We're looking forward to a fun, colourful day for a brilliant charity!

