

Newsletter

It is the end of a very busy and exciting term. It's great seeing all our pupils wearing Christmas jumpers today. Thank you for donating towards the London Air Ambulance.

Just a reminder – we finish at 1.30pm today. Wishing all our families wonderful break and a very Happy New Year. See you on Monday 5 January.

During the holidays, please take the opportunity to talk to your children about online safety. There have been a number of very serious concerns this term, with pupils accessing distressing materials and “chats” on social media platforms such as WhatsApp, TikTok and Snapchat. Please read [Enfield's advice on our website](#) And the London Met Police's guidance <https://news.met.police.uk/news/parents-urged-to-be-vigilant-over-their-childrens-phones-503763>

Message from Androulla Nicou, Chief Executive Officer of our Trust

Please read our Chief Executive Officer's festive [message](#).

Brains of Carterhatch Quiz

Thank you to our wonderful quizzers who took place in the Brain of Carterhatch quiz this week! It was very close – with Citrine declared the winner. A huge thank you to our contestants in their families:

Citrine Huseyin, Yusuf, Aneela, Nawshad

Emerald Leana, Ihsan, Adam, Ata

Garnet Esther, Amarie, Elisa, Onyx

Young Entrepreneurs Shine at the Carterhatch Winter Sale

Thank you for coming along and support your children, who transformed into savvy entrepreneurs and market traders for the Carterhatch Winter Sale, showing off skills in design, maths and customer service.

The event was not just about selling their handmade items but was a business project from start to finish! Our pupils started the project by acting as product researchers. They looked at what customers might want and then used their fantastic imaginations and Design and Technology (D&T) skills to design their chosen products.

Through Maths lessons they tackled the tricky topic of profit and loss. Pupils learned how to calculate costs and set competitive prices. This vital step helped them understand the difference between making a great product and running a successful business! Using their D&T skills, pupils then got busy designing and making their high-quality products. From planning to perfecting, they showed great dedication to bringing their designs to life.

On the day of the sale, the atmosphere was bustling! Our pupils were the ultimate sales teams, confidently running their own stalls. They did not just sell their products; they were brilliant at interacting with customers, explaining the journey of their product from the initial idea to the final item. The stalls were a great success! The effort, skill and enthusiasm shown by every single pupil was truly inspiring.



After School Clubs

Bookings went live last week for clubs commencing in the week of 12 January; the last week will be the week of 23 March.

Year 3 class assemblies

3Derbyshire Class assembly will be Thursday 22 January from 9.00-9.20 for their class's parents/carers to come along. See dates below for other Year 3 class assemblies.

Parent/carer meetings - Tuesday 27 January 3.15-6.30pm & Wednesday 28 January 3.15-5.30pm

These meetings will focus on how your child/ren's learning. Please arrive 5 minutes early if you would like to look at your child/ren's books. **Bookings open on Friday 16 January on Arbor at 6.00pm.**

Book Fair – 2-5 February

We are pleased to announce our next Book Fair will take place from 2-5 February 2025. Please come along - each book purchased contributes to the school receiving free books for our library.



Year 2 admissions – September 2026

If you have a child in Year 2 currently, applications for a Year 3 place can be made online at www.eadmissions.org.uk from now until **15 January 2026**. We have more information on our [website](#).

Rip the Dog at Forty Hall

Follow Rip the Dog on an adventure through Forty Hall, blending local history with an imaginative tale. This festive season, why not give a gift that inspires curiosity and celebrates our borough's heritage. You can [purchase the book online](#) along with other merchandise. If you're searching for a Christmas present for a young reader, "I'm Not Scared" is a charming choice.



Winter Wellness

It could be another challenging flu season this year. There are many NHS services that can help you. You can find out about the range of local services on the [London Winter Wellness NHS website](#). Meanwhile, if you are pregnant or living with a long-term condition, it is important to get your free flu jabs.

Congratulations

Success Certificates

Congratulations! The pupils awarded success certificates since our last newsletter are:

Year 3: Muhammed, Yousef, Mason, Alayah, Eren, Isabella

Year 4: Yigit, Daniella, Layla, Juliana, Eva, Abdullahi, Zamin, Tevin

Year 5: Farhana, Omerasaf, Elias, Sean, Jonathan, Aliyah, Abudl

Year 6: Rahul, Kaycie, Azat, Rily, Mackenzie, Joshua, Aiza, Beran

Always Stars

Our “Always Stars” are awarded an enamel badge to wear to school every day to show that they always work hard and uphold our school values, are a good role model and are proud to be part of our school. They are always a credit to our school and their families.

The pupils awarded an “Always Star” badge since our last newsletter are:

Year 3: Ayse, Leane, Giulia, Zainab

Year 4: Alin, Ceylla, Renee, Ayah

Year 5: Zyaan, Davonne, Aaliyah, Nylah, Jonathan, Connor

Year 6: Irmak, Sophia, George

Congratulations for Best Attendance in December

1 December Year 6, Vaughan 97.2%

8 December Year 6, Lovelace 97.4%

15 December Year 4, Ramirez 96.7%

Dates for your Diary

19 December 1.30 finish

5 January 8.30

22 January 9.00-9.20

5 February 9.00-9.20

19 March 9.00-9.20

Last day of school this term. No Suffolks tea-time club

First day back – Spring term begins

3Derbyshire Kelsie’s class assembly

3Mozart Ruby’s class assembly

3Thompson Chloe’s class assembly

Click [here](#) for our 2025-26 term dates