

The Evercreech Echo



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Headteacher's message

Welcome back and Happy New Year to all our families. It has been a real pleasure to see the children return after the Christmas break, full of smiles, energy and enthusiasm, and to hear their stories and experiences over the holidays. On behalf of all the staff, we would like to thank you for your kind words and gifts at Christmas—we are very appreciative.

This term promises to be an exciting one, with so many wonderful learning experiences, events and opportunities to look forward to together. Please ensure you keep up to date with Parent Mail and Class Dojo trip details and to find out more about what is going on.

I am also delighted to warmly welcome our new staff members who are joining the Evercreech team this term. We know they will be a fantastic addition to our school community. Joining us is Ms Davies as a Teaching Assistant in Holly Class (Mon, Weds & Fri), Ms Crees as a Midday Supervisor and Ms Harcourt as a Midday Supervisor and a cover support Teaching Assistant across the school every morning. The children have already made them feel really welcome as they settle in to their new roles.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support, and I wish you all a happy, healthy and successful year ahead.

Mrs Sarah Hann, Headteacher



Inspiring futures

Do you have a job or hobby that could inspire our children with their learning and futures? We are looking for people in our community who have something interesting to share with us—if you or someone you know fits this bill, please get in contact with the School Office as we'd love to hear from you—thank you.

Spring Club Offerings are now live!

Our Spring Clubs offerings were sent home yesterday with a range of different types of exciting after school clubs that we know the children will enjoy. As always, we endeavour to ensure that every child attends at least one club so please select something they will enjoy.

We are grateful to our teachers to give up their time to offer a club to ensure our children have a wonderful enrichment experience.



Attendance

This week, our attendance is: **94%**

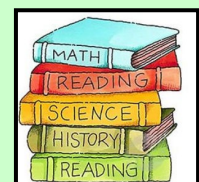
Are you having difficulties with school attendance? We have a range of people who can offer support and resources to improve school attendance.

Mrs Jefferies—Pupil Attendance Champion
Mrs Patton—School PFSA (Parent Family Support Advisor)
Mrs Chilcott—Senior Mental Health Lead
Mrs Hann—Headteacher

Timekeeping is also important in the education of your child. If your child is persistently late then they are missing out on important settling routines as well as the start of the lesson. Persistent lateness will be followed up.

Curriculum Letters

You will have received your child's curriculum letter today which outlines their areas of learning for the term. If you have any questions, please speak to the class teacher.



Dates for Spring 2026

Thurs 8th/15th/22nd/29th Jan—Cricket Coaching (Yr1-6)

Weds 14th—School In A Bag Assemblies

Mon 19th & Tues 20th Jan—Year 6 Bikeability (x12)

Fri 23rd Jan/Fri 30th Jan/Thurs 5th Feb/ Fri 13th/ Fri 27th /Fri 6th Mar—Young Somerset Friendships and Social Skills Yr5

Mon 26th & Tues 27th Jan—Year 6 Bikeability (x12)

Mon 26th Jan—Yr2 visit from a Synagogue

Tues 27th Jan—Year 4 Ansford Festival—Team Building

Fri 30th Jan—PTFA Doughnut Sale

Fri 6th Feb - Year 1 Lingleat trip

Fri 6th Feb—SCARF workshops

Mon 9th Feb—Children’s Mental Health Week

Tues 10th Feb—Safer Internet Day

Thurs 26th Feb—Year 1 Rock up and Read! 2.45pm

Fri 27th Feb—PTFA Doughnut Sale

Weds 11th Feb—Year 5 to We The Curious, Bristol

Tues 3rd Mar—KS2 Cross Country Race 3— Downside, 4pm

Mon 9th Mar—Fri 13th March—Science week

Tues 10th Mar—Year 6 Tudor Experience, Taunton Museum

Tues 12th Mar—Holly Class Mother’s Day Assembly—2pm

Fri 13th Mar—PTFA Mother’s Day Pop-up-shop

Mon 16th Mar—Space Explorer Dome

Tues 17th Mar—KS2 Cross Country Race 4—Millfield, 4pm

Tues 17th Mar—Mulberry Trip to Bath Farm

Thurs 19th Mar—Sycamore Class to Rural Life Museum

Fri 20th Mar— Comic Relief!

Tues 24th Mar—Year 3 & 4 Production 2.15pm

Weds 25th Mar—Year 3 & 4 Production 5pm

Fri 27th Mar—Dress Down Friday for PTFA donation & PTFA Easter Bingo!

Fri 27th Mar—Mulberry Class to the Glen Care Home

Thurs 26th—Tues 31st Mar—Book Fair

Weds 1st Apr—Easter Service



★ Evercreech Youth Club ★
Every Wednesday at Queen Park Playing
Fields

8-11 years - 6pm - 7pm
12-16 years - 7pm - 8pm
Only £2 per session

Starting school in September 2026?

A reminder that the Somerset deadline for Reception school places closes on Thursday 15th January. If you, or someone you know has a Pre-Schooler who is yet to apply please ensure you get your applications in.

A reminder that although we are a 2-11 Primary, any child who attends Acorns Pre-School who wishes to move to our Reception class must still make an application.

Schools are not responsible for the admission of Reception children and as such, all applications are handled by the County Council who will release outcomes in April.



Uniform reminder

An increasing number of children are coming into school without the correct school uniform. A reminder that P.E kits must only be worn on nominated P.E days—this includes the wearing of trainers with school uniform. We have worked hard to ensure our uniforms are affordable and accessible and ask for support in helping children to achieve this. Children in Year 6 should wear a shirt and tie with the exception of P.E days.

A reminder that our school wear provider, Rams Sports of Wincanton, will deliver ordered items free of charge to our school.

