



# Eastfield News

29<sup>th</sup> April, 2022

Aspirational & Ambitious **Kind** Community Spirit **Inclusive** Honest Creative & Imaginative

## Message from Mr Statham

It has been wonderful to see the many fantastic buildings the children have been making as part of our celebration of Stephen Lawrence Day. The time and care that has gone into some of the constructions is clear to be seen. What has also been great is to talk to the children about who they made the building with and to see them speak so proudly of their mum/dad/older brother and how clever they are. With our lives being so busy, it is sometimes easy to forget to take a moment and share some quality time with our families. Hopefully the longer weekend will give you a chance to catch your breath and spend time together. As part of our school focus on community, it is important to remember that all communities are built around communication and support – whether this results in co-creating a cardboard building or making wider-spread positive changes – every positive action has a positive impact on somebody.

## Dates for your Diary

2<sup>nd</sup> May – May Bank Holiday  
 29<sup>th</sup> May-2<sup>nd</sup> June Half Term Holiday  
 6<sup>th</sup> June - Additional Day for the Queen's Jubilee – School Closed  
 22<sup>nd</sup> June – KS2 Sports Day at Queen Elizabeth Stadium

## Eastfield Twitter

Schools across the nation are using Twitter more and more to showcase all the learning that takes place in schools. We are very excited to announce that we are re-launching twitter for our school. Head over to Twitter and check out all the learning and fun activities the children are doing at Eastfield. Make sure to follow us if you have a twitter account. Our Twitter handle is @Eastfield\_EN3 and Ivy Learning Trust @Ivy\_Trust

## Stephen Lawrence Home Learning Project

Thank you to all the children who took part in this Home Learning Project. The children were very creative and really thought about how to create a new 3D building in aid of Stephen Lawrence Day. Mrs. Hussain will be sharing some of the models on Twitter with his brother - Stuart Lawrence so head over to Twitter to check it out! We will announce the winners of the competition in next week's newsletter.

## Google Educators

As a school we are using Google Tools into our teaching practice. We would like to announce that our Year 6 teachers completed their Google Educator Level 1 exam last term and we are so proud of our teachers for completing the exam. They earned a lovely badge that they can display anywhere! All three teachers are now confident to demonstrate their mastery of Google tools in their classroom. Next step is to complete Level 2.

**Eid** A massive well done to all our Muslim families who celebrated Ramadan this year. We are nearly at the end of Ramadan. Ramadan gifts our Muslim families with the advent of a new beginning- Eid-ul-Fitr and grants abundant happiness and bliss! We would like to wish all our families a Happy Eid Mubarak whether you decide to celebrate the day on 02.05.22 or 03.05.22. Please remember you can only take one day off for this event.

**World Day of Cultural Diversity** The Equalities Team would like all the children and parents to take part in this event which will take place on 20.05.22. This will be an opportunity for families to share some of their cultural traditions with others from the Eastfield community. There will be a separate letter sent to all the families in the next couple of weeks so keep an eye out!

**Coffee, Tea and a Chat** As the weather is getting warmer and better, we would love to invite parents for coffee and a chat with other Parents. We will commence this on 13.05.22 from 8.45am - 9.15am. Mrs. Hussain and Ms. Edwards will be making tea/coffee near the family centre so please do join us and have a brew!

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