



4th September 2026

Ewell Grove Newsletter

Welcome back to a new school year at Ewell Grove. I hope you and your family enjoyed a wonderful summer break. There is always a brilliant feeling at the start of the autumn term. It has been an absolute pleasure welcoming our returning families back through the gates, alongside a warm welcome to all the new families joining our school community for the first time.

Working together in partnership is key to a successful school journey. We value your support and open communication. If you ever have some good news to share or would like further information about something, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Parent Workshops

We have been planning our calendar of parent workshops for this academic year. These sessions are a fantastic way for us to work in partnership, share information, and support the children's growth together. To make these workshops as valuable and accessible as possible, we asked you to share what topics and themes you would like to hear more about in the summer term. Unfortunately, we didn't receive any responses. Last year we held workshops for phonics, online safety and Relationships and Sex Education (PSHE curriculum). Please share your thoughts using the [online form](#) by Friday 11th September 2026.

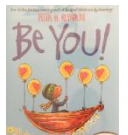
Classroom Visits

We would love to invite you into the classroom on **Wednesday 16th September at 3:20pm. Nursery will be open to visit from 3:35pm.** It's a wonderful opportunity to drop in, explore your child's learning environment, and let them proudly show you around their new space.

To keep home time safe and smooth, please wait outside until all children have been safely dismissed to their parents or carers. A member of staff will then open the doors and invite you into the building when they are ready.

This week during assembly we shared the story 'Be You' written by Peter H Reynolds.

Have a lovely weekend.
Miss Paula Rising



Useful Online Website Links



[School Calendar](#)



[Parents' Information Booklet](#)



[Change of Contact Details](#)



[Exceptional Leave of Absence Form](#)



[Pupil Medication Request](#)



[Photographic Images / Names Consent Form](#)



Year 6 SATs results

We are very pleased to share our Year 6 SATs results for the academic year 2025-26.

Ewell Grove 2026	Expected +	National 2025
Reading	85%	75%
Writing	85%	72%
Maths	80%	74%
Combined RWM	77%	63%

My Login and Google Classroom

Google Classroom is now ready to use. Please access [My Login](#) through the school website. Your child will then need to enter their emoji password which will take them to the Google Classroom tile.



Autism Friendly Review at Ewell Grove

In April 2025 Surrey County Council's All Age Autism Strategy Team carried out an Autism Friendly Review (SAFR) at Ewell Grove. This was a valuable experience where the team used questionnaires, focus groups and observations in the classroom to review all aspects of our provision.

During June 2026 we had a follow up review of our provision and we would like to share with you the feedback we received.



SAFR Follow up

Ewell Grove Primary

June 2026

There has been a significant cultural shift across the school towards a more inclusive approach for all pupils. Ongoing work is focused on ensuring that inclusive practice is implemented consistently throughout the school. Leaders have developed a greater awareness of sensory considerations within the classroom and are increasingly embedding these into strategic planning and day-to-day practice. Extensive staff training has taken place, including training on behaviour support, resulting in a move away from punitive approaches and towards restorative practice and emotion coaching to better support pupils' emotional wellbeing and development.

PE Days 2026-27

Please find the PE schedule for each year group listed below. Children should arrive at school wearing their full PE kit on their allocated days.

Reception	Monday and Tuesday
Year 1	Wednesday and Friday
Year 2	Tuesday and Wednesday
Year 3	Monday and Thursday
Year 4	Thursday and Friday
Year 5	Thursday and Friday
Year 6	Thursday and Friday

A reminder of our Ewell Grove PE kit can be found on our school [website](#) or within our [Parents Information Booklet 2026-27](#).

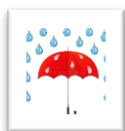
The Back-to-School Reset Guide

The start of the school year can bring mixed emotions for children and parents. Dr Martha Deiros Collado, a psychologist with over 20 years' experience who specialises in family support, shares her tips, via this [link](#), to help parents prepare for their child's return to school.

Parent Information Meetings

At the start of each term, we warmly invite parents/carers to join us for our Phase Information Meetings. These sessions are a fantastic opportunity to hear all about what your child will be learning, find out about key events, and ask any questions you might have. We know how busy life can be, so you are welcome to join us in person (in the school hall) or online. If you would prefer to attend virtually, please click the link that will be shared on your child's Google Classroom page ten minutes before the meeting starts.

	Autumn 9:00 am – 9:30 am
EYFS (N/R)	Friday 18 th September
KS1 Years 1 and 2	Thursday 17 th September
Years 3 and 4	Wednesday 16 th September
Years 5 and 6	Tuesday 15 th September



We have been very lucky this week with the weather. However, conditions are set to become more changeable over the coming weeks. Please send your child into school each day with a waterproof jacket to keep them dry during PE and their break times.

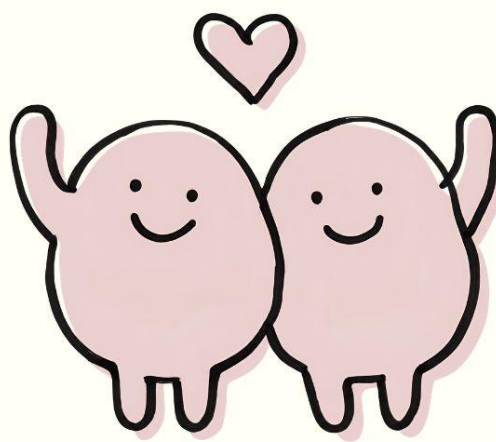
PARENT COFFEE MORNING

Proud to be part of
Mindworks
Surrey

The children and young people's emotional
wellbeing and mental health service



Understanding Friendships and How to Support Your Child



**Join us as our Mindworks School-Based Needs Team
share their top tips and answer your questions!**

**Wednesday 16th September
2026**

Ewell Grove

9:00am - 10am



Scan QR Code to confirm
attendance or click:
[https://forms.gle/JNH3kq
N5TDdC5GFJ8](https://forms.gle/JNH3kqN5TDdC5GFJ8)



NHS
Surrey and Borders
Partnership
NHS Foundation Trust

Data Protection

Privacy Notice for Pupils, Parents and Carers

Under data protection law, individuals have a right to be informed about how the school uses any personal data that we hold about them. We comply with this right by providing 'privacy notices' (sometimes called 'fair processing notices') to individuals where we are processing their personal data. Our Lumen Learning Trust privacy notice for pupils, parents and carers explains how we collect, store and use pupil & parent/carers personal data. This document can be found via this link: <https://www.lumenlearningtrust.co.uk/about-us/lumen-learning-trust-policies/general-data-protection-regulation-gdpr>.

Your child's profile name within Google Classroom

Your child will automatically be provided with their own personalised profile to enable them to access Google Classroom as part of their educational experience at our school. This is a fantastic online tool that allows a virtual learning environment to connect teachers and classmates from any location. Additionally, both in certain and uncertain times it ensures that we can provide a safe, secure and reliable way to continuously deliver education. You can read more about our remote learning offer, how and why we use Google Classroom and the security of your child's data by visiting our school website and navigating to Curriculum > Online Learning.

Each child has a unique profile which represents them in the online classroom, this is comprised of a name tag. Only the individuals in the virtual class can view this profile and all members of a Classroom are bound by the Lumen Family Acceptable Use of ICT Agreement and E-Safety Rules. For clarity purposes their name tag is comprised of their forename and surname. However, if you would like your child's profile name to show only the first initial of their forename and full surname please do contact our school office who can action this for you.

Sharing data and information with NHS Surrey to support children to access local health and wellbeing services

Surrey Children's Community Health Provider, Children and Family Health Surrey request regular information from us about our children to support planning and delivery of school-based health screening at different points of a child's life. Information provided to them by the school is Name, Gender, Address and DOB. Assurances have been received from the Service that this request is in accordance with Government guidelines and adheres to the required Data Protection standards. If you would like further information please refer to <http://childrenshealthissurrey.nhs.uk>. <https://childrenshealthissurrey.nhs.uk/about-us/privacy-policy>

Attendance Policy

Please find below important information regarding Penalty Notices.

Just to remind parents/carers that if they take their children out of school without authority for 5 or more days (which do not have to be consecutive), then the following will apply:

1. If you have not incurred a penalty notice relating to this child/children in a rolling 3 year period since 19 August 2024, then the penalty notice will be charged at the rate of £160.00, **per parent/carers per child**, if paid within 28 days. This will be reduced to £80.00 if paid within 21 days of receipt of the notice. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice will result in Surrey County Council considering legal proceedings against you in the Magistrates Court.
2. If you have incurred a penalty notice relating to this child/children since 19 August 2024, the rolling 3 year period will be activated from the date of the first penalty notice and the second penalty notice will be charged at the flat rate of £160.00, **per parent/carers per child**, if paid within 28 days. There will be no reduction for payment within 21 days. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice will result in Surrey County Council considering legal proceedings against you in the Magistrates Court.
3. If you have incurred 2 penalty notices relating to this child/children in the rolling 3 year period since the first penalty notice was issued, then you will NOT receive a third penalty notice – Surrey County Council will have no option but to consider a prosecution, **per parent/carers per child**, in the Magistrates Court under s 444 Education Act 1996.

Surrey County Council is not responsible for authorising pupil absence and therefore cannot withdraw any Penalty Notice requests without the written permission of the Headteacher.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Feeling like parenting has become a battle?
We can help.

HOME START
Epsom, Ewell & Banstead
including Mole Valley North

We are running a 10-week
Parenting Puzzle
course for Parents and Carers

Children can be rewarding, stimulating and fun, but looking after them can also be extremely challenging and stressful. This course introduces POSITIVE PARENTING strategies to encourage cooperation, communication, and bring some harmony back into the family home.

Where?
Epsom Downs Family Centre
St Leonards Rd, Epsom
KT18 5RJ
Free Parking

When?
Thursday 17th September to
Thursday 3rd December 2026
9:30am - 11:30am
(no sessions during half term)

To book
Register using the QR code or email Lesley.Lane@hseeb.org.uk to reserve your place

We ask a voluntary contribution of £10 towards the course book, but if you are experiencing financial difficulties, there are free places available - Just ask Lesley.



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FUN FOR ALL THE FAMILY

HALLOWEEN FAMILY DISCO
Saturday 31st Oct, 4:00pm - 5:30pm
Join us for some spooktacular Halloween fun. Dress up in your best ghostly getup, dance like a monster, or enjoy Halloween-themed arts, crafts, and colouring.
Suitable for ages 4+

Short Stories - Tall Tales
Thurs 24th Sept, 11:30am/1:30pm
Fri 23rd Oct, 11:30am/1:30pm
A live sensory first theatre experience for the young ones. On 24th Sept we have **Adventures of an Ugly Duckling** and then on 23rd Oct, we have **Three Little Pigs**.
Suitable for ages 0-5

Three Little Pigs
Further action by the same writer
Illustrations by Sam Weller

thehortonepsom.org
01372 747 662 @thehortonepsom
The Horton Arts Centre, Haven Way, Epsom, KT19 8NP



Live talks for Parents - book on and join live!



Are you feeling that no-one is listening? Are you stuck on a waiting list needing some support?

Raising children is probably the most challenging thing we will ever do. You are probably already doing lots of great parenting but sometimes we need extra ideas and techniques, especially as the children turn into teenagers.

The live, online talks offer up to date information, effective and easy to apply interventions and the opportunity to ask questions and get practical advice.

Recording links are available for 48 hours after the live session has taken place.

You are able to access all the online talks and courses via this [link](#).