



Europa School
UK
Fundraising



PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

Friday 8th May
2026

Year 4 Residential Trip to Woodrow High House

Our Year 4s went to Woodrow High House straight after the Easter holidays. Pupils discovered a variety of outdoors activities, challenging their physical or thinking abilities. They also had to cope with making their own bed and being on time for meals! They all came back proud of having spent 2 nights away from home and coping with a busy timetable.



The Year 4 Residential ~ by Felicity Vickery

When we got to school we grabbed our bags and got on the bus. When we arrived we took our bags inside and had a chat with the staff. Afterwards we got into groups and started our activities. In the evening we went to the camp fire and sang songs. We got back and went to bed.

In the morning we had breakfast and did some more activities, had lunch and more activities. We also had a break and ate a snack. Then we came to our rooms and played together before an amazing dinner, burgers!!

The morning was fun because we were allowed to play on the piano & breakfast was absolutely delicious. The last activities, like the scavenger hunt, were brilliant. We then listened to a song that one of the staff was singing, followed by lunch.

Finally, we had to pack up and played in the field. We got on the bus and left.

AFTER THAT, WE ALL WANT TO GO ON THE YEAR 6 RESIDENTIAL!!!

PTA - International Day at Europa

Sending a VERY BIG THANK YOU to everyone that supported the fantastic International Day atmosphere last Friday, not least to Vicky Shepherd who coordinated it on behalf of the PTA, and Rebecca Bolton for many fabulous photographs.

It was great to welcome many new country volunteers, as well as returning volunteers and as you see some Secondary students also joined in. The whole event was full of enthusiasm, treats and games.



S3 student: "It is great to learn more about the countries represented at Europa. I am proud to share my home country with younger Europa students, and to learn who already knows about it".



6FE students: "We really love all the different foods on offer at International Day. We've learned to find some new countries on a map, about new flags, and to spell Kazakhstan.



The games and competitions make each country fun. We hope to help out with International Day in Secondary".



Narnia Comes to Life in Headington

Year 3 enjoyed a truly magical day out at the end of April as we followed in the footsteps of the legendary author C.S. Lewis.

The children visited Holy Trinity Church, the very place where Lewis sat and found inspiration for his stories. We even drew the famous 'Narnia' window, which sparked plenty of excitement! To make the trip even better, the sun shone brightly as we explored the nearby nature reserve. The children had a fantastic time finding and imagining the real-life places that may have inspired the story, from hidden paths to ancient trees that looked just like the ones in Narnia.

It was a wonderful day of discovery, and the children returned to school bursting with creative ideas for their own story writing.

A huge thank you to all our volunteers who helped make the day such a success!



Sir David Attenborough turns 100 - Happy Birthday

Primary came together to create a giant mosaic made up of the children's favourite plants and animals to celebrate Sir D. Attenborough's 100th birthday on May 8th.

The artwork- Papilio Europa Attenborough- will be displayed in school for everyone to enjoy!





Europa Titans Tournament 2026

The Europa Titans Football Club is proudly hosting its first ever grassroots tournament this 6th and 7th of June 2026, with the Europa School UK as its venue and partner.

This is a great opportunity to get our community together - please come and support your friends! It would be greatly appreciated if you would consider giving up even an hour of your time to help us with the running of the tournament.

Please contact us on chair@europatitans.org, secretary@europatitans.org or 07947606798 / 07391053706, if you are able to help in any way.

SUMMER CAMP



Our Summer Camp operates from the grounds of the wonderful Europa School UK, for Reception up to Year 6. It will run from 8th - 17th July (inclusive) 08.30 - 17.30 at a cost of £54.50 per day.

To sign up click here: [Home](#)

The Deadline for signing up your child/ children is Monday 1st June

KREATIVE Kids

MAY HALF TERM ART

For your curious & creative kids this May half term: Join Jess & Laure **Multilingual Art Teachers** at Europa School and explore a variety of art projects:

- ▶ PAINTING & DRAWING
- ▶ PRINTMAKING
- ▶ MIXED MEDIA
- ▶ COLLAGE
- ▶ TEXTILE

2 DATES:
28 & 29 MAY:
 9 - 14 YEARS

9 - 14 year olds: Thursday 28th May
 9 - 14 year olds: Friday 29th May

£49/day (all materials supplied)
 9:30 - 3:00pm
 At Europa School, Culham, OX14 3DZ

PLEASE EMAIL US TO BOOK:
kreativekidsartcamp@gmail.com
www.kreative-kids.co.uk
 Follow us on: FB: @kreativekids IG: @kreat.ive.kids

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Thank You

Thank you to Micro Scooters for donating raffle prizes to our school. Their range includes toddler scooters, adult scooters, and everything in between.

Useful Dates

MAY

- 11th - 14th KS2 SATs
- 12th Y2 Beale Park Trip
- 14th 3EE Swimming
- 14th 1DE & 1FE Fire of London Workshop
- 19th Reception: Vision Screening (Schuman)
- 21st Reception: Farmer Gows Trip
- 21st 3EE Swimming
- 22nd INSET DAY
- 22nd DELE Exams (on INSET DAY)

JULY

- 7th Last Day of Term
- 7th Leavers Assembly for Year 6 followed by snacks in the Sunken Garden (approx 2.30pm)

JUNE

- 1st Back to school
- 2nd Fun Run Y5 am/ Fun Run Y2 pm
- 2nd 3FE - Arboretum Trip
- 2nd Y6 Workshops: Drugs & Alcohol
- 3rd Fun Run Y4 am/ Fun Run Y1 pm
- 3rd STEM Workshops for Year 3
- 4th Fun Run Y6 am/ Fun Run R pm
- 4th Workshops for Y5: Online Safety
- 4th 3EE Swimming
- 5th Fun Run Y3 am
- 5th Year 5 Science Oxford Trip
- 6-7th June Titans Football Tournament
- 8th Goethe Exams A1 & B2J
- 9th Goethe Exams A2 & B1J
- 9th 3EE Abingdon Museum Trip
- 10th Sports Day (no parents)
- 11th 3EE Swimming
- 11th 3DE & 3FE Abingdon Museum Trip
- 15th CPR Training for Year 6
- 16th 3DE/3EE Arboretum Trip
- 16th Year 1 - Cotswold Wildlife Park Trip
- 17th Transition Day
- 18th Year 4 - Tring Museum Trip
- 18th 3EE Swimming
- 18th Y6 Transition morning in Secondary
- 25th 3EE Swimming (last session)
- 25th Clothes & shoes Collection 8-9am

Menu Change:

Due to the School closure on Wednesday, the menu was amended slightly. **Thurs 14th May:**

Pork Sausage with gravy

Vegetarian option: Gnocchi with ratatouille & basil sauce

Veg: Broccoli, carrots and mashed potatoes

Dessert: Strawberry Ice cream

Useful Contacts

General Enquiries: reception@europaschool.uk

Reception phone number : 01235 524060

Bus related: bus@europaschool.uk, for bus changes use link: ****Change in Bus Usage Form 2025-2026****

PTA related: committee@europa-pta.org

Deputy Heads: dhop@europaschool.uk

Primary Secretary: e.schradi@europaschool.uk

Absences: absence@europaschool.uk (You can also log onto MCAS)

BromCom/MyChildAtSchool (MCAS) questions / Log on for students:

datamanager@europaschool.uk

Capital Campaign

Join us in making a meaningful difference at Europa School UK. Our aims are:

1. Upgrading toilets and the creation of a new boys' toilet.



2. Creation of a new secondary classroom.



3. Enhancing playgrounds by installing new safety flooring and creating a rain garden and a quiet garden in P1.



To support the campaign, donate through MCAS, go to the following website or use the QR code:

<https://www.goodhub.com/go/europaschoolukcapitalcampaign2026>

For more information, please go to:

<https://europaschooluk.org/fundraising/>



PTA News

8 MAY 2026

Keep in touch on  [Classlist](#)

[HELP AT THE SUMMER FETE](#) 

CLASS HAMPERS



It's time to start putting together class hampers for the Summer Fete Raffle, which is one of the biggest fundraisers for the school. Each class creates a hamper that will be raffled off as one of the prizes. Some classes like to have a theme (e.g. movie night, baking, pamper treats, etc.), but that's totally optional.

Please make sure everything is nut-free, and second-hand or regifted items are absolutely welcome.

The hampers will need to be ready by 5 June so a photo can be submitted and displayed on the raffle website. This really helps with ticket sales as those are used to advertise the raffle!

Thank you all so much for your support – it really helps make the raffle (and the Summer Fete!) a success.



CALL FOR STALL HOLDERS



We are thrilled to invite students, parents, staff, and local businesses to book a stall at this year's Summer Fete on Saturday 27 June.

Whether you are a professional looking to showcase your products/services or just eager to sell handmade crafts and pre-loved treasures, we'd love to have you there!

- Cost: Free for students (with a cake donation), £25 for others (waived if profits are donated)
- Setup: From 9:30am; please bring your own tables (max 2) and gazebo.
- Insurance: Students, parents, and staff making under £1k are covered by the PTA, other vendors must have their own.

Spaces are limited! Fill in our interest form to enquire about a spot.

[INTEREST FORM](#) 



COMING UP

[Click on event title for details](#)

- Fri 8 May [DIY evening](#)
- Fri 8 May [Parents party](#)
- Fri 15 May [DIY evening](#)
- Sun 17 May [DIY day](#)
- Fri 5 June Hamper photos
- 6/7 June [Titans' tourn.](#)
- Th 25 June [Rags2Riches](#)
- Sat 27 June [Summer fete](#)

SOFT TOYS DONATIONS NEEDED



for the Teddy Tombola at the Summer Fete

any Teddies / animals / soft toys

no plastic / dolls please

A great opportunity for kids to make space in bedrooms by passing old friends to a new home!

Please leave toys in a tied black / opaque bin-bag, addressed to KATE PTA, and left under canopy at Thame Lane. Any Q's contact Kate Lloyd-Williams on Classlist.

Thanks!