



Europa School
UK
Fundraising



PRIMARY NEWSLETTER

Friday 30th
January
2026

Useful Dates

February

- 2nd Orchestra Day - Radley (sign up only)
- 3rd 4EE Abingdon School Trip
- 5th 3DE Swimming
- 10th 5FE Book Look 0825 -0845
- 12th 3DE Swimming
- 12th 6FE Book Look 0825 - 0845
- 13th Inset Day (no pupils in school)
- 16th - 20th February Half Term
- 24th NCMP (for R and Yr 6) - Schuman
- 24th - 5DE Hannah Murray Workshop
- 25th Y4 Lego Workshop - Drama Studio
- 26th 3DE Swimming
- 26th 6FE & 6EE Reading Museum Trip
- 27th - 5EE/5FE Hannah Murray Workshops

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

BromCom questions / Log on for students:

datamanager@europaschool.uk

CURRENTLY RECRUITING

Admin

- Receptionist & Admin Asst (20.5 h pw, TTO + 4weeks)

Primary

- SEN TAs (Part Time, TTO)

New Policies

At Europa we value respectful partnerships between home and school. Clear communication and mutual respect play a vital role in ensuring the best possible experience for our pupils. We are therefore introducing two new documents that are designed to support this partnership:

1. Home-School Communication Policy

This policy brings together clear guidance on how and when to contact the school, who to contact for different types of queries, and what you can expect from us in terms of response and support. It also includes useful contact details and outlines our commitment to open, timely, and effective communication.

2. Parent/Carer Code of Conduct

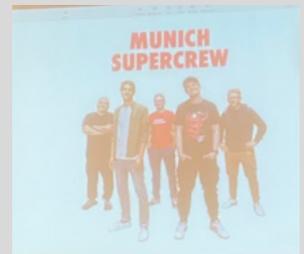
This sets out our shared expectations for respectful communication and behaviour across our school community. Its purpose is to help ensure that our school remains a safe, calm, and respectful environment for pupils, families, and staff alike.

Both documents are intended to provide clarity, consistency, and reassurance, and to support positive relationships between everyone involved in school life.

We encourage all parents and carers to take some time to read these documents. If you have any questions or would like to discuss them further, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

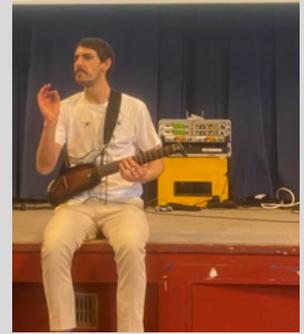


German Week



It was a busy week for the German Stream.

3DE shared some of their German learning with 3FE and 3EE, and to end the week we had a visit from a German Band called Munich Supercrew. The child had a warm up, getting used to the songs and then were treated to a real concert. It was a highlight. There was a lot of dancing from both students and teachers. A huge thank you to the Goethe Institute for this opportunity.



Invitation to Parent Volunteers for International Day 2026:

Friday 1st May



PTA International Day is a special celebration of the cultural diversity within the Europa school community. To help make this event successful, we are looking for parents from each language stream to support with the planning, coordination, set-up and clear-up.

You are warmly invited to join the team: please contact Vicky at strawsonvicky@gmail.com if you would like to learn more. We look forward to working together to create a wonderful International Day for our children, showcasing as many countries as possible.

NB some international tourist offices have been very generous with donations of flags, flyers and information if you are visiting countries over the half-term holidays that you might like to present on the 1st May. Please do get in touch with any questions or ideas.

Thank you.

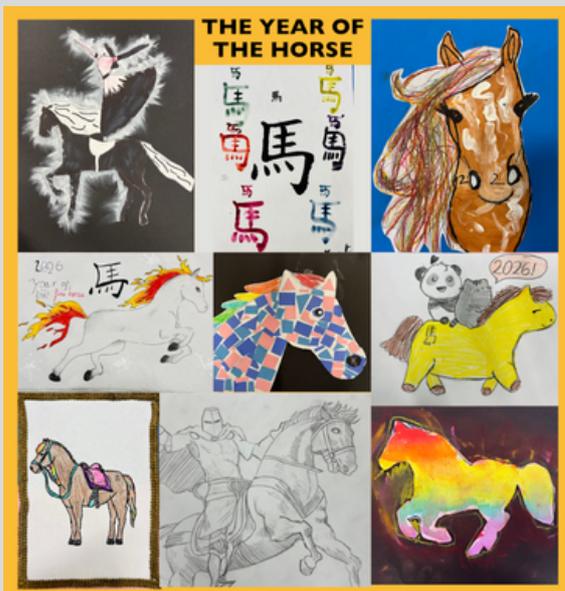
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Little Things
that Matter
Full Details



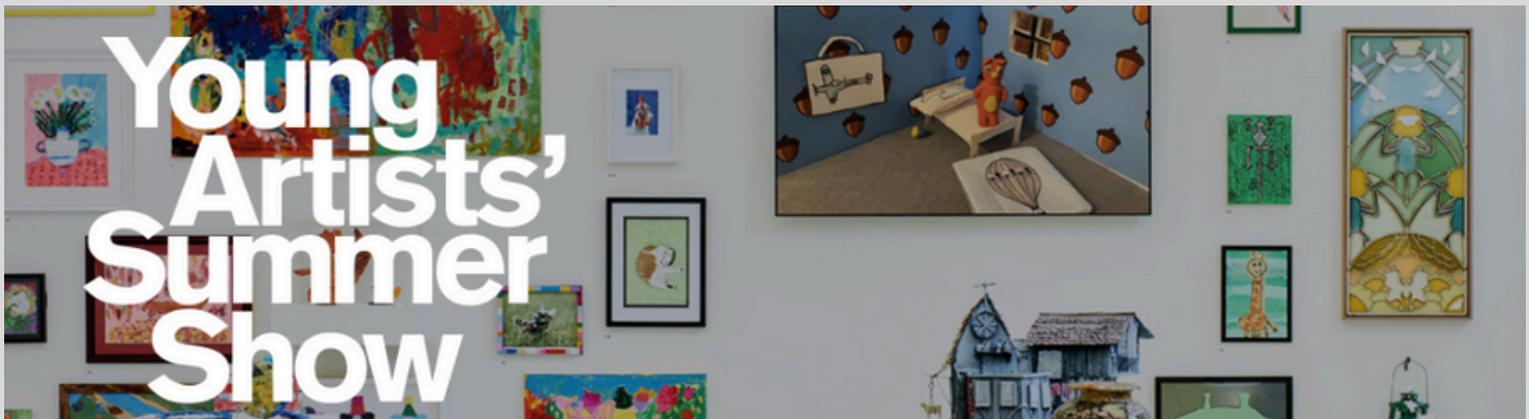
CONSENT FORM

Please bring the artwork & £2 to
Reception between Monday 2nd
and Friday 6th February.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact:
Helga Merritt-Tassy (Young Art Oxford co-ordinator) h.merritt-tassy@europaschool.uk



The primary art clubs have started working on their art pieces to celebrate the NEW YEAR OF THE FIRE HORSE. They are working on creating mixed media artworks including: pencil drawings, pastels, paintings, and incorporating textile and paper mosaic.



Here is some information about an art competition with the Royal Academy in London, The Young Artists' summer show. This is a lovely art making opportunity open to any children in the UK ages 4-18.

Our school has been registered, and parents can submit their child's entry directly on the website. The deadline is 4th March for submissions and there is no specific theme, so the children can create anything they would like for this, drawing, painting, clay, sculpture, textile etc.

The instructions are listed on the website at the links below:

<https://youngartists.royalacademy.org.uk>

Please remember:

Language Exams

Emails have been sent out regarding the DELE and DELF exams. These will be for children in either Year 4 or Year 6.

Details for payment can be found on MCAS (store).



Dele

If you have any issues with MCAS/ payment please contact accounts@europaschool.uk



Delf

NO NUTS

Help us keep all students safe by remembering that nuts are not allowed at school.

Thank you for being mindful of the needs of pupils at risk of severe allergic reactions.



Lost Property Updates



If any one has Europa Hoodies or Leavers Hoodies that their child has grown out of and you don't know what to do with them, we can use them as spares for our KS2 children (especially at this time of year when people are at risk of getting rather muddy/ wet)

Thanks to the S3 students who helped to set up and run the Lost Property Sale. If the weather is good they plan to do the same again on Wednesday 4th Feb, 3 - 3.45pm

There will also be the opportunity to look for clothes that have gone missing recently so please make the effort to visit.

We're looking for donations of KS2 clothes (Age 8-12) so we can have a box of spares.

- Joggers
- Leggings
- T-shirts

If you can help please hand in at Reception, or with the class teacher



Primary Food Garden - Looking for Donations

In order to build our raised beds for the primary food garden, we are looking for:

- timber
- compost
- top soil
- sand.

We will also need helpers to build the raised beds.

If you can make donations or/and help build the beds, please contact s.harries@europaschool.uk



A big thank you!



'We need to move away from our 'take-make-waste system' to build a circular fashion industry... what could you design differently?'

Ellen MacArthur Foundation — 'Redesigning Fashion's Future'



Swapping, patching, borrowing, altering, mending, re-designing, dyeing

A 1/4 of clothes in UK wardrobes haven't been worn in the last year!

Dig deep, rummage around, and maybe you'll find some surprises!

It's time to tidy your cupboard ... help tackle fast fashion ... and climate change.

If it still fits - great!! If there's a tear or a stain - can you mend it, patch it or even tie-dye it? If it's too small, pass it on - to a cousin, neighbour, friend?



When you've completed this challenge ... Remember to hit the red button!



- 100 billion items of clothing are produced every year - nearly 14 items for every human on the planet!
- Clothing is currently responsible for 9% of global carbon emissions ... and increasing each year.
- Choosing organic cotton can reduce a garment's impact on the planet. Organic farming avoids synthetic pesticides and helps soil hold water, with some studies showing around 40% lower carbon emissions compared with conventional cotton

