

Elsecar News Weekly

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Friday 11th November 2022



Dear families,

We've had a great week where we have seen some wonderful science work taking place around school, from investigating 'light and shadows' to building electronic circuits. Children have also been using some excellent scientific vocabulary to explain their scientific understanding.

Remembrance Day

Today we have celebrated Remembrance Day where we held a two-minute silence throughout school. In our classes we have also dedicated time to learn about and create something based around Remembrance.

Science Extravaganza

We have been overwhelmed with the responses from children and parents with the competition. We would like to showcase children's work next week in the school hall from 3pm – 4pm where you will get the chance to see the wonderful work, which the children have produced.

Odd Socks Day

On Monday 14th November, children can come to school wearing odd socks to support anti-bullying [donate here](#).

Children in Need

On Friday 18th November, children can come to school in their pj's to support Children in Need.

Christmas Dinner Day

The deadline for returning your dinner letter has been extended to this coming Monday. The catering team won't be able to accept responses after this date.

Thank you
Mr Silverwood

This Week's Attendance

Class	%
EYFS	91.6%
Year 1	93.7%
Year 2	96.9%
Year 3	99.2%
Year 4	88.3%
Year 5	97.0%
Year 6	91.2%


This week's winners: Year 3

School Attendance Target for the Year:	96.5%
School Attendance this week:	94.4%
School Attendance this year so far:	93.6%

Lunch Menu

Day	Traditional Meal	Other
Mon	Chicken nuggets/Margarita pizza	Cold sandwich/ Jacket potato
Tues	Chicken curry/Macaroni cheese	Hot panini/ Jacket potato
Wed	Roast chicken/Omelette	Hot roast sandwich/ Jacket potato
Thu	Pork sausages/Veggie sausages	Cold sandwich/ Jacket potato
Fri	Fish or salmon fish fingers/ Pasta in homemade tomato sauce	Hot fish finger sandwich/ Jacket potato

Spotlight on Year 4

	<p>What a fantastic week we have had!</p> <p>We have been using description and fronted adverbials in our diary writing, based on the story Escape to Pompeii. We have been looking at similes and metaphors and how we can use them in our writing to make it more interesting for the reader. In math's, we have been working on measurement and comparing the area of different shapes. We have continued (and are thoroughly enjoying) our electricity unit in science where we have been creating and investigating different switches and seeing how effective they are as well as delving into the world of glockenspiels in music and dance in PE.</p> <p>We are having such a wonderful half term and are looking forward to what the next few weeks bring.</p>
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Kind Heart and Star of the Week

Well done to this week's winners!



Key dates

[Key-Dates-2022-2023.pdf \(elsecarprimary.org\)](#)

Diary Dates

Mon 14 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Odd Socks Day – Anti-bullying Week • White Rose Math's Meeting 5.30pm (Y1-6) • After school club – Street Dance (Y3 – 6)
Tue 15 th	•
Weds 16 th	•
Thurs 17 th	•
Fri 18 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children in Need Day – PJ Day • Science Extravaganza Showcase 3.00pm

