

Parent and Carer Autumn Newsletter October 2025

Elklan
Aiming High with Communication



What's been happening?

- ★ We got our 2nd Green Flag at the end of June
- ★ Our ELKLAN accreditation is now complete
- ★ Having received our Bronze RRSA, we're now working towards our Silver Award
- ★ Pupils have enjoyed autistic play sessions with Function Schmunction
- ★ We welcomed new pupils Filip, Daniyal and Dominic in August
- ★ Everyone had a great time canoeing on the canal with Metro Outdoors!

2025 – 2027



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**Bronze
Rights Committed**



Filip



Daniyal



Dominic

We are loving our RRSA journey! The road to silver begins... Article of the month for October is Article 29: Goals of Education.

**FUNCTION
SCHMUNCTION**
PLAY, EXPLORE, CONNECT AND
CELEBRATE AUTISTIC PLAY!

Metro Outdoors led another fantastic day out on the canal in September – we love our days on the water learning new skills.

We have been thrilled to welcome back Max Alexander, playworker and artist, to deliver his Function Schmunction programme with our pupils this term!

Parents Veronica and Lisa organized our first ever Macmillan Coffee Morning, raising over £170 for Macmillan Cancer Care – thank you so much to everyone who supported our event 😊



**WORLD'S BIGGEST
COFFEE
MORNING**
**MACMILLAN
CANCER SUPPORT**





Teacher Peter has been leading very popular football skills sessions on Friday afternoons -



Chloe and Josh took part in a great mask-making workshop with Project Ability during Scottish Learning Disability Week – they both did a brilliant job.



Our 'Let's Cook!' sessions with our fabulous cook, Mary, have been a great success. Thank you to everyone who has taken part so far – 2 more to go!



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Key dates:

- 10 October – Inservice Day, school closed
- 13-17 October – October Break
- 24 October - Let's Cook 3 (Steak Pie) at 9.30am
- 31 October –Let's Cook 4 (tbc) at 9.30am and Hallowe'en Party; fancy dress optional
- 04 November – Parent Forum RRSA at 2pm
- 12 November - Parents and Carers Evening
- 14 November – please wear something bright for Children in Need!
- 07 December - Christmas Jumper Day
- 19 December Christmas Show at 1pm



We'd love to see as many of you as possible in school – it's the best way to show you how your child is getting on 😊

Please do get in touch if you have any suggestions or queries. Either speak to your child's class teacher, or contact me on 0141 9462050 or at Catriona.Campbell@eastpark.org.uk Thanks, Catriona.