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TEMPLE EWELL CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

TERM 1 NO. 2

THURSDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER 2025

Dear Parents/Carers

All of our children continue to be engrossed in their curriculum work for this term and are showing fantastic progress in their learning. We continue to have reading as a focus in the school as it is the foundation for all learning. It is important that children practise reading at home as well as at school; ideally, children of all ages should read at home every day. We also encourage parents and carers to read books to their children even when they are in year 6 as this can help their understanding of more complex texts as well as developing their love of books and reading.

Parent consultations will be in the last week of term to enable all parents to be able to speak to their child's teacher about their learning and to look at their child's books in class. You will be able to sign up for these from Monday 6th October at 7pm.

Our whole school Harvest Festival will take place in the Church on Monday 6th October at 9.15 am; everyone is welcome. Please can children bring in goods for the Dover Pantry (see separate list) on Friday 3rd October as the Church will be holding their own service on Sunday 5th October.

Pupil attendance is vital for their learning and well-being. Every day your child is absent from school impacts on their progress; children should only be off school in they are ill. Please make sure you contact the school office on each day of absence to explain why your child is not in school.

This week's class attendance: **Acorns 96.6%** **Willows 96.1%**
Elms 97.1% **Sycamores 95.4%** **Oaks 93.2%**

Kind Regards Mrs A Matthews



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Forgiveness

Acceptance

Inspiration

Trust

Hope

*Faith in God,
ourselves and each other.*

*Good Samaritan
Luke 10 v 25-27*

**"Love your neighbour as yourself."
Luke 10: 27**

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Please keep checking your fortnightly Newsletter for further important dates and events as they become available.

New dates are shown in bold type.

Bring items in for harvest festival

Harvest Festival

Wear Yellow for Young Minds (Tag day)

Individual Photos

Parents evening (Live on mcas 6th October 7pm)

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Half term

Term 2 starts

Friday 3rd October

Monday 6th October 9.15 am in the church

Friday 10th October

Tuesday 14th October

Wednesday 15th October 3.30 –7pm

Thursday 16th October 3.30– 5.30 pm

Monday 20th - Friday 24th October

Monday 27th October



Academic Year 2025/2026 Dates

Term 1:	Wednesday 3rd September 2025 - Friday 17th October 2025
Half Term :	Monday 20th October - Friday 24th October 2025
Term 2 :	Monday 27th October - Thursday 18th December 2025 Friday 19th December 2025 : INSET
Christmas Holiday	Monday 22nd December - Friday 2nd January 2026
Term 3 :	Monday 5th January - Friday 13th February 2026
Half term	Monday 16th February - Friday 20th February 2026
Term 4:	Monday 23rd February - Thursday 2nd April 2026
Easter Holiday	Friday 3rd April - Friday 17th April 2026
Term 5:	Monday 20th April - Friday 22nd May 2026
Half Term	Monday 25th May - Friday 29th May 2026
Term 6 :	Monday 1st June - Friday 17th July 2026 Monday 20th July 2026 INSET Tuesday 21st July 2026 INSET
Summer Holiday	Weds 22nd July 2026



**Temple Ewell Church
of England Primary
School**

Temple Ewell Church of England Primary School Open Morning 2026 Admissions

Wednesday 12th November 2025

1st Session 9.15am

2nd Session 10.45am

Please email or call the office to book:

01304 822665



New School Admissions
office@temple-ewell@kent.sch.uk

Dover PANTRY

OPENING TIMES
MONDAY 11.00 - 14.00
TUESDAY 11.00 - 14.00
WEDNESDAY 11.00 - 14.00
WEDNESDAY 16.00 - 17.30

**PANTRIES ARE ALL ABOUT DIGNITY,
CHOICE AND HOPE, BRINGING PEOPLE
TOGETHER AROUND FOOD!**

**OPEN TO
RESIDENTS OF
POSTCODES
IN DOVER
CT16 & CT17**

83%
OF MEMBERS
SAY MEMBERSHIP HAS
BEEN GOOD FOR THEIR
MENTAL HEALTH AND
68% SAY IT HAS BEEN
GOOD FOR THEIR
PHYSICAL HEALTH

£1000
AVERAGE SAVED
EACH YEAR
BY A HOUSEHOLD
VISITING THE PANTRY
EACH WEEK

97%
OF MEMBERS
SAY JOINING A PANTRY
HAS IMPROVED
THEIR HOUSEHOLD
FINANCES

**ONLY £6 A WEEK,
AVERAGE
SAVINGS
OF
£21 A WEEK**



To make a donation
to Dover Pantry:
Scan the QR Code

**DOVER PANTRY
UNIT 16
CHARLTON CENTRE
HIGH STREET
DOVER
CT16 1TT
FB.COM/DOVERPANTRY**

**APPLY FOR A MEMBERSHIP VIA
WWW.YOURLOCALPANTRY.CO.UK
OR ASK FOR A PAPER APPLICATION FORM**

ITEMS FOR COLLECTION

BISCUITS, TINNED MEAT, TINNED VEGETABLES, SPREADS I.E. JAM, CEREAL, UHT MILK, UHT FRUIT JUICE, WASHING UP LIQUID, SUGAR, CUPPA SOUP, PASTA N SAUCE, RICE, TINNED SPAGHETTI



Kent Emotional Wellbeing Teams
Medway Emotional Support Teams

Online Parent Workshops

Aimed at parents of children in primary school

Supporting Your Child with Worries & Fears 7/11/2025 10:30—12:30pm



Introduction to Understanding Autism 8/10/2025 17:30—19:30pm



Understanding Your Child's Behaviour 30/09/2025 12:30—



The Mind, The Body and You 9/12/2025 12:30—14:30pm



Me & My Child: Understanding Resilience 25/11/2025 10:30—12:30pm



Understand ADHD 20/11/2025 10:30—12:30pm



**Workshop times alternate from term to term*

Our online workshops offer information around key topics to help understand what is going on for your child and strategies to support them, based on the latest evidence and practice.

If you would like to join, please raise your interest with your child's school so that they can send you the link. If you have any questions please speak to your child's school.

Our workshops are held on Microsoft Teams. You do not need an account to join. You will need access to the internet. Currently, this workshop is only available to parents/carers of children attending a EWT/EST school. Please speak to your child's school or check our website for our list of schools. If you require materials in another language or have any other access needs then please email: EWTandESTenquiries@nelft.nhs.uk





Tackling Violence against Women and Girls (VAWG)

Women's Safety Events

Kent Police are committed to eradicating all forms of violence against women and girls.

We want all women and girls who live, work, socialise and attend schools in our communities to feel safe.

Kent Police in partnership with AMK Krav Maga – Self defence experts and Rock Solid – Health Wellbeing Transformation practitioners are running several self-defence sessions with partner agencies, ending with a walk and talk within the community. Join us!

Location: **St. Mary's Parish Centre, Cannon Street, Dover. CT16 1BY**

On the following dates:

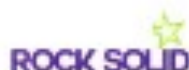
- Monday 6 October 2.30pm-5.30pm
- Monday 20 October 2.30pm-5.30pm
- Monday 27 October 2.30pm-5.30pm
- Monday 10 November 2.30pm-5.30pm

This will be an active event please dress comfortably

These sessions are **FREE**. Please follow the QR to book yourself onto a session



We look forward to seeing you there.



Kent / TKAT Autumn
Winter 2025 2026

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK ONE	Option One NEW BBQ Veggie Sausage Pasta with Garlic Bread	NEW Curried Chicken With Rice (Chicken Biryani)	Roast Chicken, Stuffing, Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread	Fishfingers or Salmon Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Option Two Autumn Vegetable Lasagne with Garlic Bread	Veggie Burger in a Bun with Potato Wedges	Vegetarian Wellington with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Potato & Courgette Layer Bake	Cheese and Bean Pasta with Chips and Tomato Sauce
	Vegetables Green Beans & Sweetcorn	Vegetable Medley	Carrots & Swede	Sweetcorn & Pepper Mix	Baked Beans & Peas
	Dessert Cheese and Crackers	NEW Apple Crumb Cake with Custard	Fruit Medley	Syrup Sponge with Custard	Jelly with Mandarins
WEEK TWO	Option One Classic Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Tomato Pasta	Spaghetti Bolognese	CHICKEN SHACK BBQ Chicken or Quorn with Seasoned Potatoes and Sweetcorn Salsa	Meatballs in Tomato Sauce with Rice	Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Option Two Mild Mexican Chill with Rice	Veggie Spaghetti Bolognese	Sweetcorn & Peas	Creamy Chickpea and Coconut Curry with Rice	Cheese Whirl with Chips and Tomato Sauce
	Vegetables Sweetcorn & Peas	Carrots & Broccoli	Fruit Salad	Vegetable Medley	Baked Beans & Peas
	Dessert NEW Gingerbread Cookie	Chocolate and Beetroot Brownie with Chocolate Sauce	Sweetcorn & Peas	Sticky Toffee Apple Crumble with Custard	Vanilla Shortbread
WEEK THREE	Option One Macaroni Cheese	NEW Chicken 50% Enchilada Bake with Paprika Wedges	Sausage with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Mild Caribbean Chicken with Golden Rice	Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Option Two NEW Chef's Special Lentil Curry with Rice	Tomato Pasta	Veggie Sausage and Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Caribbean Stew with Golden Rice	Red Pepper Frittata with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Vegetables Peas & Green Beans	Vegetable Medley	Carrots & Cabbage	Sweetcorn & Green Beans	Baked Beans & Peas
	Dessert Oaty Cookie	Fruit Crumble with Custard	Fruit Salad	NEW Jamaican Ginger Cake with Custard	Cornflake Tart

MENU KEY



Added Plant Protein



Wholemeal



Vegan



Chef's Special

Available Daily: - Freshly cooked jacket potatoes with a choice of fillings – Freshly Baked Bread- Daily solid selection – Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt

ALLERGY INFORMATION:

If you would like to know about particular allergens in foods please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of allergen cross contact.



School Uniform Sale

All items 50p

Donations may be left in the church w/c 6th October 2025

Sale will start w/c:

13th October 2025 in the Church every morning and after school.



BRANCHING OUT (T.E.)

Branching Out

Invite you to join them for

a Family fun Activity Afternoon

at Temple Ewell Village Hall

Saturday October 4th

2-4pm

Entry £1 includes refreshment

Etch art

Baking

Xbox

what you make you take

laptop chocolate apples painting

all activities free

hope to see you there

**BREAKFAST CLUB AT
TEMPLE EWELL C OF E
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

**Monday-Friday 7:45am - 8:45am
(Term Time Only)**

A yellow starburst graphic containing the text "ONLY £5.00!".

**ONLY
£5.00!**

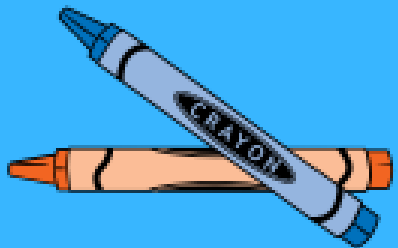
**Activities Include: Arts & Crafts,
Sports, Yoga, Board Games & Reading
Corner**

Breakfast Provided!

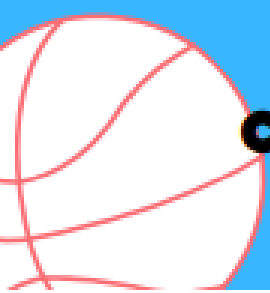
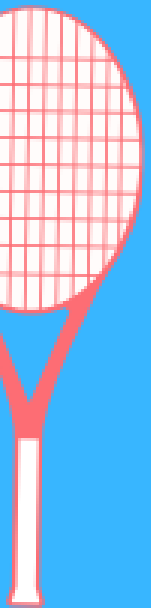
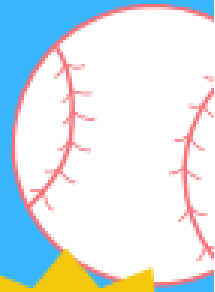
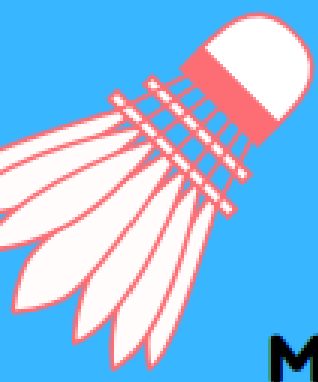
Taking bookings now!

*fun &
games*

**We accept
childcare
vouchers!**



**canterbury@teachsport.org
for more details**





**AFTER-SCHOOL CLUB AT
TEMPLE EWELL C OF E
PRIMARY SCHOOL**



**ONLY
£7.00
(3:15pm-
4:30pm)!**

**Monday-Friday 3:15pm - 6pm
(Term Time Only)**

**ONLY
£10.50
(3:15pm-
6pm)!**



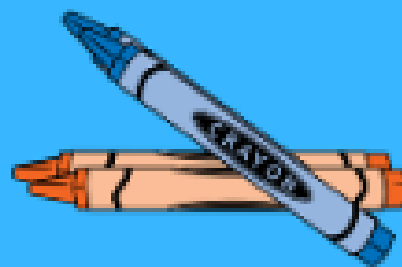
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**Healthy Snack Provided after
4:30pm!**

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