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Ready to learn. Ready to thrive. Ready for tomorrow.

At Egerton we aspire to create an inclusive environment where all students and staff can flourish. We strive to nurture curious minds, so that all children leave school as confident, compassionate and globally aware citizens.

4th April 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a fab sunny week we have had here at Egerton. The children have enjoyed being able to have more lessons outside, spending time with their friends in the sunshine and generally having a super week.

As we come to the end of the Spring term, I thought it would be good to share all the visitors and trips the children have been on this term to enhance their learning.

Visitors in school: Esther McVey Tatton MP, Young Carers, Cheshire Fire and Rescue, Air Quality Team, NSPCC Speak Out, Open the Book, Explorer Dome, Outreach from Springfield Specialist School, Poetry Workshop, Bikeability, and Dogs Trust.

Trips this term: Pizza Express, Pensarn Residential, Church visits, Local Walks.

Thank you for all your support over this term, helping our school continue to be a wonderful place for the children to learn and grow.

Just a reminder that school will close today for the Easter holidays and not reopen until Tuesday 22nd April.

Parent's Evening

A big thank you to all of you who attended this week's parents meetings. I hope that you were able to get a good idea about what your children are able to do and what their next steps of development are for the summer term. I would also like to say a massive thank you to all of the staff who put a lot of work in to getting ready for the meetings so that the sessions are able to run smoothly.

Healthy Eating

Please can all parents who provide packed lunches/ break time snacks ensure that the contents are healthy. We have noticed over the last term that there have been more food items that aren't healthy/ contain high sugar. All this does is gives the children a boost during break time/lunch but then we are seeing some children then lethargic during their lessons after this.

Bunny Hop

The children enjoyed their sponsored Bunny Hop today. It was great to see the children hopping around the daily mile with massive smiley faces. Thank you for all the sponsorship that has been raised so far, please can we ask that all funds raised are sent via the QR code or sent in to school by Friday 25th April.

Celebrating Earth Day at Egerton – Friday, 25th April!

We are excited to celebrate **Earth Day on Friday 25th April** and would love for all children to take part in this special event! To mark the occasion, we are encouraging all pupils to wear the colours of our planet – green, blue, and brown – instead of their usual school uniform. This is a fantastic way to show appreciation for the environment and raise awareness of how we can help protect our planet.

We kindly ask for a £2 donation, which will go towards supporting eco-friendly initiatives within our school, such as enhancing our outdoor learning spaces, planting trees, and promoting recycling projects.

Throughout the day, children will take part in a range of fun and educational activities focused on sustainability, including nature-based crafts, litter-picking challenges, and discussions on how we can all make a difference to our environment.

Let's come together to celebrate our beautiful planet and inspire positive change! Thank you for your support—we can't wait to see everyone dressed in Earth colours!

Attendance winners

This week's attendance winners are Year 3 with a wonderful 99.2% attendance, in 2nd place are Year 1 with 98.9% and in 3rd place are Year 4 with 98.0%. A huge well done to Year 3 who get this week's extra playtime.

*I have removed Y5 from this week's attendance awards due to them being in Pensarn all last week, which means they automatically have 100% as they all attended the trip.

E-safety

The attached guide breaks down the latest risks on Instagram, including AI chatbots, scheduled messaging, and Threads. It offers practical tips for helping children stay safe on the app. *Please see the attached flyer for further information.*

Best wishes

Caroline Lowe

Head Teacher

Important Diary Dates (new dates in bold * change of date)

Summer 2025	
Date	Event
22.4.25	School opens for the children
25.4.25	Earth Day- non uniform- wear green, blue or brown- Donation of £1
24.4.25-1.5.24	Book Fair in school- more info to follow
29.4.25-1.5.25	Y2 residential to Burwardsley
5.5.25	May Bank holiday
6.5.25	School opens for the children
8.5.25	PTA quiz Night- rearranged date!
9.5.25	VE celebration day- wear red, white and blue- further details to follow
12.5.25	Y6 SAT's Week
12.5.25	Reception class trip to Norton Priory
15.5.25	PC Andrew Cornell to speak to parents about online safety 6pm-7pm
16.5.25 & 23.5.25	Class Photographs
20.5.25	Dogs Trust KS1
21.5.25 or 22.5.25	PTA Film night- Dates to be confirmed
23.5.25	School closes for children
2.6.25	School opens for the children
9.6.25	Queensberry AP in to speak to Y6
11.6.25-13.6.25	Y6 Residential to Castleton
13.6.25	Lego workshop Y5
16.6.25	Lego workshop Y6
19.6.25	Sports Day KS2 am and Reception and KS1 pm
20.6.25	Primary Schools Ball
25.6.25	Y4 trip to Chester
26.6.25	Sports Day KS2 am and Reception and KS1 pm (Reserve Date)
27.6.25	PTA Summer Fair
1.7.25	Y2 trip to Safety Central
11.7.25	Additional inset day 6- school closed for children
18.7.25	School closes for children
21.7.25 & 22.7.25	Inset Days 4 & 5



This week, our Year 6 children (and all KS2 classes) had the fantastic opportunity to take part in a workshop delivered by Dog Trust, where they learned about responsible dog ownership, canine body language, and how to stay safe around dogs. The session was interactive and engaging, allowing the children to explore the importance of caring for animals with kindness and respect.

Through discussions and activities, they gained valuable insights into a dog's needs and behaviours, helping to develop their understanding of animal welfare. The workshop also linked beautifully to our PSHE curriculum, reinforcing key themes such as responsibility, empathy, and safety.

A huge thank you to Dog Trust for delivering such an informative and enjoyable session. The children thoroughly enjoyed it and left with a

deeper appreciation for our four-legged friends!

New Recycling Initiative from the Climate Champions!

We're excited to introduce a new eco-friendly initiative from our school's Climate Champions! We now have a Valpak recycling box in the entrance hall, ready for collecting used batteries.

Instead of throwing them away, bring them to school and drop them in the box. Recycling helps prevent pollution and conserves valuable materials, making a real difference for our planet.

Join us in making our school greener—every small action counts!









This week in Nursery we have continued talking about and enjoying spring and the lovely weather it has brought us. The children have made pretty blossom from tissue paper so they could put the finishing touches to our spring tree. The children have made bunny ears ready for the big Bunny Hop event today, with lots of hopping, skipping and jumping around the daily mile.







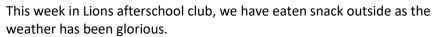


It has been a busy end of term in Reception. Last Friday we welcomed family members in to school for our Mother's Day celebration. Thank you to everybody who came and we hope you had a lovely day on Sunday.

This week the children have been learning about baby animals and have of course been caring for our chicks. 7 out of the 10 eggs hatched this year, 6 boys and only 1 girl!

The Living Eggs company will be coming to pick up the chicks today where they will then all be placed in local small holdings.





Some of the girls have enjoyed making daisy chains. Our Little Lions entertained us with their singing.

Big well done to Leah and Henry for winning the Easter Egg design competition!

We hope you all have a wonderful Easter break.







The Headteacher's Award this week has went to all of Year 3 this week! Every single child in the class has worked incredibly hard this week in planning and writing their article all about whales and the threats that they face. They have listened very attentively, made sure to use our mastery keys and taken so much pride in their presentation. It has been so wonderful to see the progress this week and watch their confidence grow day by day. I hope you all have a wonderful break, thank you as always for your continued support!



This week, Year 2 brought in their own puddings as part of their 'Pudding Lane' creative homework. This was for our fabulous finish for our topic 'The Great Fire of London.' The children loved creating their own Pudding Lane and trying each other's puddings.













Year 5 have had a very busy week back in school! They enjoyed their workshop from Dogs Trust on Monday. They learned how to be a best friend to a dog and how to read communication signals to ensure everyone stays safe. We visited the Methodist Church on Wednesday for an Easter Experience workshop. They thoroughly enjoyed learning all about the Easter story and why Christians celebrate Easter. Well done to Year 5 for representing the school. We really enjoyed our bunny hop this morning! We have been learning about natural resources in our geography lessons this half term. For our last lesson, the children worked in groups to create a poster all about how steel is made, imported and used. Well done!