



Egerton Primary School
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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.

7th February 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had another busy week here at Egerton, we welcomed Miss Brady in to school who is now covering the Year 1 class and she has settled in brilliantly to the Egerton Team. On Friday next week, we say goodbye to Miss Garvey as she leaves us to start a new job outside of teaching. We wish her huge success as she start a new and exciting role working for Twinkl. Mrs Yates will replace Miss Garvey and she has already been in to meet the Y5 children as well as working in the school covering classes as well. In addition to this, I will be out of school Thursday and Friday next week. Mrs Sedgwick will be available in my absence, please contact the school office if you need to speak with her.

Mental Health Awareness Week

Thank you for supporting our Mental Health Awareness Day today by dressing the children in an item of yellow clothing. So far we have raised an amazing £304. If you still have not donated, please follow the link below:

<https://www.justgiving.com/page/egerton-primary-school-3>

Lateness

A big thank you to all the parents and carers who have made a big effort to get our children to school on time and before the gates close.

Homework

Please can you encourage your child to complete the homework including Boom Reader, being set by their class teacher, this reinforces the work completed in class over the week to ensure that skills are being retained. For example, on the Maths.co.uk quizzes if the majority of children get the same question incorrect this enables the class teacher to focus on this area the following week. Thank you for your support in this area.

World Book Day

World Book Day is on Thursday 6th March this year. Please can all children, if they want to, dress up as a favourite book character to showcase their love of reading. Thank you in advance for your assistance with this day.

Climate Champions

We would like to extend a huge thank you to all the children who applied for the role of Climate Champion. The applications were truly inspiring, and it was a pleasure reading through your thoughtful and passionate ideas for helping our school become more eco-friendly. After much consideration, we are delighted to announce our Climate Champions: Year 3 – Naava and Rose, Year 4 – Stanley and Rebecca, Year 5 – Jack and Tillie, and Year 6 – Evelyn and Lola. Congratulations to all our champions—we are excited to see the positive changes you will help bring to our school community!

Science Week 7–16 March 2025

We are thrilled to announce that we will be celebrating Science Week from 7–16 March 2025. This year's theme is *Change and Adapt*, which promises to spark curiosity and inspire our young scientists as they explore how living things, environments, and even technology adapt and evolve over time.

We would love to invite parents and carers to get involved! If you work in a science-related field or have knowledge and experiences connected to the theme, we warmly welcome you to contribute by giving a short talk, demonstration, or presentation. Sharing real-life examples and insights can make this week even more exciting for the children. If you are interested, please contact admin@egerton.cheshire.sch.uk by Monday 24th February.

Attendance winners

This week's attendance winners are Reception with a wonderful 99.3% attendance, in 2nd place are Year 6 with 98.3% and in 3rd place are Y1 with 97.4%. A huge well done to Reception who get this week's extra playtime.

E-safety

The attached guide breaks down the ways that scammers utilise 'fake news' and other tactics to manipulate their victims, as well as how best to protect young people from these concerns.

Please see the attached flyer for further information

Best wishes

Caroline Lowe

Head Teacher

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

Spring 2025	
Date	Event
11.2.25	Safer Internet Day
13.2.25	PTA Valentine's Disco- more info to follow
14.2.25	School closes for children
24.2.25	School opens for the children
27.2.25	PTA Parent quiz and Fish and Chips
5.3.25	Explorer Dome EYFS – Year 6
6.3.25	World Book Day- please see the info in this newsletter
7.3.25–16.3.25	Science Week
24.3.25–28.3.25	Y5 Residential to Pensarn
4.4.25	School closes for children
Summer 2025	
22.4.25	School opens for the children
5.5.25	May bank holiday
6.5.25	School opens for the children
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
11.6.25–13.6.25	Y6 Residential to Castleton
13.6.25	Lego workshop Y5
16.6.25	Lego workshop Y6
27.6.25	PTA Summer Fair
11.7.25	Additional inset day 6
18.7.25	School closes for children
21.7.25 & 22.7.25	Inset Days 4 & 5



This week the children in reception have been learning about how Chinese New Year is celebrated. We read the story of the Chinese zodiac and were rather excited to find out that we were born in either the year of the pig or the rat. We learnt a little about what that says about your character, tasted some Chinese food and even created our own dragon dance in PE.



This week in Year 5, we have had two exciting visits! On Monday, the children took part in a workshop all about how to keep safe in their local environment including road safety and fire safety. Later on in the week, the children had a workshop all about air pollution. They worked in groups to learn about different types of pollution around their local area and identified some ways to prevent or lessen this.



This week in forest school, Y1 had a focus on seeds and made clay faces. Thanks Ed, Y1 had a great morning!



As part of Children's Mental Health Week, Year 2 drew a picture in the middle of themselves and wrote some positive affirmations about themselves starting with "I am..." Well done Year 2!



This week, our Year 6 students had an incredible opportunity to participate in an engaging and educational Air Quality Workshop delivered by Cheshire East Council. The session was both informative and hands-on, helping the children understand the importance of clean air and the impact of air pollution on our environment and health. The workshop covered a range of fascinating topics, including how air pollution is measured, its effects on wildlife and human health, and practical ways we can all reduce our carbon footprint. Discussions were also held about the importance of active travel, such as walking and cycling to school, and the role that green spaces play in improving air quality. The workshop tied in beautifully with our current science and geography units, making it a memorable learning experience. We extend a huge thank you to Cheshire East Council for providing such a valuable and inspiring workshop.

