



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.

10th October 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

This week our School Councillors have been showing round prospective parents for our Reception 2026 cohort and the feedback from these parents has been brilliant. Our Health and Safety team have also been helping the school by clearing the chestnuts that have fallen from the many trees both inside school and on the car park on the school grounds- a big thank you to all of the Y6 children in these teams.

Reception phonics

Thank you to all parents and carers who attended our Phonics workshop run by Mrs Taylor Wattam and Miss Renton. I hope that you found the sessions interesting. Please remember we are always on hand to help with any phonics or early reading questions you may have. A big well done to our Reception children as well, whose behaviour and phonics knowledge was exemplary.

Boom Reader

A gentle reminder that all home reading should be recorded using our **Boom Reader app**.

Regularly logging your child's reading helps us to:

- Celebrate progress and effort at school,
- Track how often children are reading at home, and
- Make sure they're moving on to new books at the right time.

We kindly ask that you record each time your child reads — whether that's a school reading book, library book, or a book from home. Short daily reading sessions make a huge difference to your child's confidence and fluency. If you haven't yet accessed **Boom Reader**, please log in using the details sent home earlier this term. If you need help with login information or using the app, please contact the school office or your child's class teacher. Thank you for your continued support in developing a love of reading at home and school.

Y1/2 Dance

A huge well done to our Y1/2 children who attended the dance event last night at the High School. The children enjoyed their dance session. A special thank you to Miss McAlister who accompanied the children.

Attendance award

This week's infant award goes AGAIN to Year 2 for 99.2% attendance, in 2nd place is Year 1 with 99.0% attendance and in 3rd place is Reception with 95% attendance.

Our Junior winners this week are AGAIN Year 4 with 99.3% attendance in 2nd place is Year 6 with 98.8% attendance and in 3rd place is Year 3 with 98.5% attendance.

A huge well done to Year 2 and Year 4 who get this week's extra playtime!

Online safety

The attached guide offers compassionate, practical advice for helping children cope with traumatic or challenging events – such as bereavement, bullying, or family upheaval – and begin the healing process.

Warm wishes,
Caroline Lowe
Head teacher

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

PLEASE NOTE THE DATES IN THE SPRING AND SUMMER TERM MAY CHANGE DUE TO OTHER EVENTS THAT MAY ARISE.

Diary dates 2025-2026

Date	Event
Autumn term 2025	
14.10.25	Y3 trip to Delamere Anglo Saxon trip
16.10.25	Flu Nasal spray whole school
17.10.25	Y5 Viking experience
20.10.25	Reception Parents Evening 3.30pm-6pm
Week beg 20.10.25	Nursery parents evenings
21.10.25	Divali workshop Reception
21.10.25	Y1 trip to the Lambing Shed
21.10.25	Parents Evening Y1-6 3.30pm-5.30pm
22.10.25	Reception Parents Evening 3.30pm-6pm
23.10.25	Parents Evening Y1-6 3.30pm-6.00pm
24.10.25	School closes
24.10.25	Quarry Bank Mill Y6 trip
31.10.25	Deadline for Y7 applications September 2026
3.11.25	Inset Day 3
4.11.26	School opens to children
12.11.25	PTA Film Night KS1
13.11.25	PTA Film Night KS2
19.11.25	Y3 PSHE sleep workshop
28.11.25	PTA Winter Fair- More info to follow
8.12.25	Reception & KS1 trip to the cinema
9.12.25	KS2 trip to the cinema
10.12.25	Carol Concert Y3/4 6-7pm
10.12.25	Reception Christmas Play 9.30am
11.12.25	Carol Concert Y3/4 9.15-10.15
11.12.25	Carol Concert Y5/6 6-7pm
12.12.25	Carol Concert Y5/6 9.15-10.15
12.12.25	PTA Santa Dash
15.12.25	Christmas Jumper Week
15.12.25	KS1 Play @1.30pm
16.12.25	KS1 Play @9.30am
16.12.25	Y5/6 Christmas Party @1.30pm
17.12.25	Nursery Christmas Party am

17.12.25	Y3/4 Christmas Party @1.30pm
18.12.25	Infant Christmas Party @1.30pm
19.12.25	Parents invited to look at children's work from 1pm- school to close earlier
Dates could change: Spring Term 2026	
5.1.26	School opens
15.1.26	Open the Book
15.1.25	Deadline for Reception places September 2026
23.1.26	Y3 trip to Manchester Jewish Museum
12.2.26	Y3 trip to Pizza Express
27.2.26	Y2 Great fire of London Trip Stair case house
16.3.26-20.3.26	Y5 Pensarn Residential
24.3.26	Parents Evening Y1-Y6 3.30-5.30pm
25.3.26	Reception Parents Evening
26.3.26	Parents Evening Y1-Y6 3.30-6.00pm
tbc	Nursery parents evening
27.3.26	School closes for Easter
Dates could change: Summer Term 2026	
13.4.26	School opens
21.4.26-23.4.26	Y2 Burwardsley residential
11.5.26-14.5.26	Y6 SAT's week
22.5.26	School closes
1.6.26	School opens
3.6.26	Y5 Safety Central Trip
5.6.26	Y3 Mr Egypt workshop
9.6.26	Y1 trip to Warrington Art Gallery and Museum
11.6.25	Sports Day
17.6.25-19.6.25	Y6 residential
24.6.26	Y2 Safety Central
25.6.26	Reserved Sports Day if weather is bad on 11.6.26
tbc	Summer Fair/Summer PTA event
7.7.26	Y6 Leaver's play 6-7pm
8.7.26	Y6 Leaver's play 6-7pm
10.7.26	Y6 Rounder's Y6 versus parents
Week beginning: 13.7.26	Reports to go out
16.7.26	Y6 Leaver's assembly 9.15am
16.7.26	School closes for summer
17.6.26	Inset day 4
20.7.26	Inset day 5



This week we have been learning about Superheroes and enjoyed watching an episode of 'SuperTed' as inspiration for our writing. We enjoyed making these masks too using scissors really carefully and wearing our superhero costumes. On Monday, we talked about the real-life superheroes we encounter from time to time and thought about doctors, nurses, vets, paramedics who do amazing jobs! If anyone would like to come and talk to the children about their jobs, we would love to hear about it, please let us know if that is something you would like to do.



As part of our DT project in Year 2, we had a fun 'taste testing' session trying out different breads and sandwich fillings. We talked about the taste, smell, look, and texture of each one, with some interesting reactions—especially from those trying rocket for the first time! This activity gave us some great ideas for what makes a tasty and healthy sandwich. In the next few lessons, we'll be putting that knowledge to use by creating our own healthy sandwiches.



Year 3 had a fantastic time exploring the world of cave art! Using pastels, the students experimented with different lines, textures, and shades to bring their cave-inspired drawings to life. It was wonderful to see their creativity shine as they discovered how to use colour and shading to create depth and atmosphere in their artwork. What an exciting and imaginative art exploration!



This week, Year 4 have been exploring finger knitting as part of their Art unit on weaving. It was a tricky activity that required plenty of concentration and resilience, but everyone gave it their best go! The children showed great perseverance and enjoyed developing their weaving skills in a creative and hands-on way.



This week, Year 1 had a special visit from Alex Molloy from York + Co, her independent organic greengrocer based in Knutsford Market Hall. Alex talked to the children all about different fruits and vegetables and how they grow. Everyone really enjoyed exploring the colourful produce and even got to taste some delicious apples, pears, and carrots! The children had great fun deciding which ones they liked best. This visit links perfectly with our Design and Technology project, as the children will soon be making their own fruit kebabs. A big thank you to Alex for coming in and sharing her knowledge and love of fresh food with us!