



Egerton Primary School  
and Nursery

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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.***

14<sup>th</sup> March 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a fabulous week we have had this week. We have enjoyed the good albeit cold weather and the children are getting excited about the prospect of getting on the field once it dries out a little bit more.

#### **PTA**

You may recall last year that the funds we have been trying to raise through the PTA are going towards replacing our daily mile track. We had quotes last year, which were over 15k to replace the existing track. We are really close to being able to get the works started, but please try and support the PTA events as and when they are publicised as this helps the school to have better facilities for the children.

#### **PTA Quiz Night**

The new date for our PTA quiz night is Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> May. Please make sure that you have your teams ready, the team from Y1 last year have put together a series of questions to cover all topic types- its sure to be a great night and one that will raise money to go to replacing our Daily Mile.

#### **Mrs Allott**

We are pleased to announce that Mrs Allott gave birth to a beautiful baby boy named Myles James weighing 9lbs 9oz on 1<sup>st</sup> March! Mum and baby are both doing well and Mrs Allott hopes to visit school soon.

#### **Nursery update**

We are sad to announce that Andrea Jackson our Nursery Manager has decided to move on and will be leaving us on 30<sup>th</sup> April, and Diane Leigh is retiring at the end of the summer term. We thank them both immensely for their many years of loyal service to our Nursery.

#### **Attendance winners**

This week's attendance winners are Year 5 AGAIN with a wonderful 100% attendance, in 2<sup>nd</sup> place are Year 1 with 98.1% and in 3<sup>rd</sup> place are Year 6 with 98.0%. A huge well done to Year 5 who get this week's extra playtime.

#### **E-safety**

The attached guide highlights the potential risks of Roblox, including online encounters, inappropriate content, scams, and in-game purchases, and offers expert advice on how to mitigate these risks.

*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
21.3.25	Red Nose Day- Non uniform Day- Wear your Pyjamas to school
24.3.25-28.3.25	Y5 Residential to Pensarn
28.3.25	Reception parents invited in for Mother's Day @9am
1.4.25	Parents evening 3.30-5.30pm Reception-Y6
2.4.25	Parents evening Reception, Year 4 and Year 5
3.4.25	Parents evening 3.30-6.00pm Y1-Y6
4.4.25	School closes for children
Summer 2025	
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
<b>8.5.25</b>	<b>PTA quiz Night- rearranged date!</b>
12.5.25	Y6 SAT's Week
12.5.25	Reception class trip to Norton Priory
16.5.25 & 23.5.25	Class Photographs
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
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

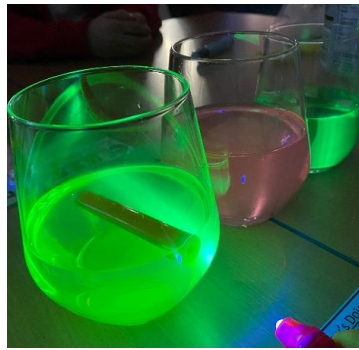


Last week, our dedicated **Climate Champions**, alongside our fantastic **school gardeners**, took a big step towards improving biodiversity by planting a variety of trees in front of the school. Thanks to the generous support of the **Woodland Trust**, we received **hazel, rowan, and crab apple trees**, which will provide food and shelter for local wildlife, support pollinators, and enhance the natural beauty of our school environment. These trees will not only help absorb carbon dioxide but also create a thriving habitat for birds, insects, and small mammals.

A huge thank you to our **Climate Champions and gardeners** for their hard work and teamwork in making this happen. This project is part of our ongoing commitment to sustainability and protecting our planet. Keep an eye on these trees as they grow and contribute to a greener future for our school community!



This week has been Science Week and the Reception children have continued learning about animal adaptations. They have been so interested in thinking about why certain animals might have stripy coats, spiky backs and sharp teeth. We also looked at a picture of frogspawn in a pond and thought about why it looks a lot like bubbles. We decided that if it looks like bubbles, ducks and fish would be far less likely to eat it! What a great adaptation! As part of our work, we made our own animals using paper cups and a random selection of animal body parts. The children decided what they wanted to add and had to explain why their animal needed these things to survive. Great work!



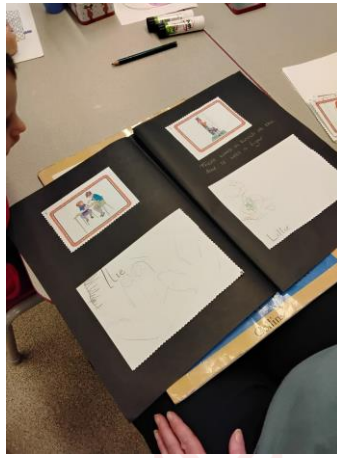
This week was the amazing Science Week, and we were lucky enough to have Mrs Rothwell come into Year 3 and share some amazing knowledge all about light. We explored UV light through treasure hunts and discovered how germs can spread so easily using light. Furthermore, we also looked at the impact of sun cream on our skin and compared different sun lotion types. The children were super excited and learned a lot all about marvellous light!



Egerton Primary School is proud to be taking part in the **Football Rebooted** initiative! We now have our very own collection point, where you can donate pre-loved football boots to give them a second life on the pitch. This fantastic campaign, led by **Utilita**, helps reduce waste and makes football more accessible for children and players who might not have the means to buy new boots. By donating, you're not only helping others but also playing a part in protecting the environment by reducing landfill waste. If you have any old boots—of any size and condition—simply drop them off at our collection point at school. We'll ensure they are passed on to those who need them most. Let's work together to make football a game for everyone! Find out more about the initiative at <https://www.footballrebooted.co.uk/>

In afterschool club this week, we have started making cards for Mother's Day using different materials. We managed to have lots of time outside while the weather has been dry, the new favourite game to play is 4 square, it's great to see the older children teaching the younger children how to play. Lots more crafts planned for next week.





This week in Nursery, the story bears have been coming home along with their pj's toothbrush and teeth cleaning chart for the children to complete, this has opened discussions on how we keep our teeth healthy by choosing healthy foods and brushing twice a day. The children made a colourful fruit salad for snack, which they all enjoyed. We have made a class book together of one of our favourite stories "The Tiger Who Came for Tea" and in the hall we have been doing some exercises and feeling our heart beat to see what effect exercise has on our bodies. For our mental wellbeing we have made good use of the sunshine and enjoyed the daily mile, whilst inside the children followed the yoga story wonderfully well on our interactive whiteboard.



During Science Week, Year 2 explored how materials change. In the Magical Milk Experiment, they watched colours swirl as soap broke apart fat molecules. They also investigated how gummy bears grew in different liquids. Some grew in water, while others shrank in saltwater, helping us understand how materials absorb and react to their environment. We also had a visit from Miss Rothwell, who taught us about UV light. The children enjoyed a highlighter experiment and explored how sun cream protects us from UV rays.