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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.

6th November 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,
Welcome back! I hope you all enjoyed a lovely half-term break and had the opportunity to spend some quality time together as families.
It has been wonderful to welcome the children back to school this week. They have settled back into their routines brilliantly and have returned with enthusiasm, positive attitudes and a real readiness to learn. It has been lovely to see our classrooms busy with learning once again, and I am looking forward to another exciting and productive half term as we head towards Christmas.

Keeping Warm as the Weather Gets Colder
As we move further into November, we are certainly beginning to feel the colder weather!
Please ensure that children come to school each day with a suitable warm coat, ideally waterproof, as we aim to make the most of our outdoor spaces and playtimes wherever possible. Hats, scarves and gloves are also encouraged as the temperatures begin to drop.
We would also be grateful if you could ensure that all coats and other items of clothing are clearly labelled with your child's name**,** as this makes it much easier for us to reunite lost items with their owners.
Thank you for your support in helping to keep everyone warm and comfortable throughout the school day.

KS1 and KS2 Movie Nights – Thank You!
A huge thank you to our wonderful PTA for organising this week's Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 movie nights!
These events are such a lovely opportunity for the children to enjoy time together with their friends outside of the usual school day, and it has been fantastic to see the excitement surrounding them.
Events like these take a great deal of time and effort to organise, and I am incredibly grateful to everyone involved in making them possible. A special thank you to our PTA volunteers for their hard work and commitment, and also to the teachers and staff who generously gave their time to be on hand and support the events.
We are very fortunate to have such a supportive school community, and these occasions really do highlight the wonderful partnership between our families, staff and PTA.

Online Safety – Supporting Your Child at Home

Keeping children safe online is an important part of safeguarding, and with technology playing an increasingly significant role in children's lives, we want to ensure that parents and carers feel informed and supported.

I would like to draw your attention to the **CEOP Education Parents and Carers website**, which provides a wealth of free, practical advice and resources to help families keep children safe online. The website includes useful guidance on:

- **Online gaming and communication:** Understanding the potential risks of online games, including communicating with others online.
- **Parental controls:** Advice on using settings and controls to help manage what children can access.
- **Social media and sharing images:** Helping children understand privacy, personal information and the importance of sharing safely.
- **Talking to your child about online safety:** Practical suggestions for starting conversations and encouraging children to speak openly about their online experiences.
- **Age-appropriate resources:** Activities, videos and games designed to help younger children develop safe online habits.
- **Reporting concerns:** Clear information about what to do and where to seek help if something happens online that causes concern.

The website also provides free family activities that you can complete together at home, helping to make online safety conversations a natural part of everyday family life.

You can access the resources here:

https://www.ceopeducation.co.uk/parents/

I would really encourage all parents and carers to take a few minutes to explore the website. Even if your child is only beginning to use technology, developing positive online habits and having regular conversations from an early age can make a real difference.

PTA message

Thank you everyone for joining in and contributing to the PTA events this week; you raised over £800! If you have any ideas for fundraising, future events or where funds should be spent, please join us for our next planning meeting at 7:15pm Wednesday 11th Nov at the Curzon, or email egertonpta1893@gmail.com

We are starting to collect donations for the Winter Fair from next week, and in return the children can come to school in non-uniform. On Friday 13th November it is bottles; on 20th November it is sweets and on 27th November it is teddies. Thank you so much in advance for all your support.

Netball match

Yesterday some of our children took part in their second netball match. Although the girls came away with a 9–1 defeat, they played brilliantly and should be incredibly proud of themselves. They showed great teamwork, determination and sportsmanship throughout. They were also excellent hosts, and it was a pleasure to welcome St Vincent's, who were a fantastic team to play against. Well done to everyone involved!

Have a Lovely Weekend!

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. It has been a really positive first week back, and I look forward to all that the coming weeks will bring.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

Warm wishes,

Rebecca Crawshaw
Headteacher
Egerton Primary School

Dates

Please see new and upcoming dates highlighted in yellow below.

Date	Event
Autumn term 2026	
11.11.26	Netball match V Mobberley away (rearranged)
17.11.26	Scholastic Book Fair (until 20.11.26)
19.11.26	Open the Book
24.11.26	Nasal Flu Immunisations
25.11.26	Pantomime in school Reception to Year 6
27.11.26	Mad Science assembly
27.11.26	Christmas Fair
09.12.26	Christmas lunch
09.12.26	Rocksteady concert 2:15pm
09.12.26	Reception Christmas Play 9.30am
10.12.26	Carol Concert Y3/4 6-7pm
11.12.26	Carol Concert Y3/4 9.15-10.15
14.12.26	Carol Concert Y5/6 6-7pm
14.12.26	KS1 Play at 1:30pm
15.12.26	Carol Concert Y5/6 2-3pm
14.12.26	Christmas Jumper Week
16.12.26	KS1 Play at 9:30am
18.12.26	School closes for Christmas

Warm wishes,

Mrs Crawshaw

Class Spotlight

Year 5

What a fantastic start we have had to Autumn 2! Everyone has settled in brilliantly, and we have been so impressed with their positive attitudes, enthusiasm and determination to do their best. It has been wonderful to see everyone working so hard. Well done Year 5!

In Science, we have been exploring the fascinating process of evaporation through fun, practical and interactive learning. We investigated how salt can be separated from salt water by allowing the water to evaporate, leaving the salt behind. This gave us a brilliant opportunity to develop our scientific thinking, make predictions and discuss what happens when water changes from a liquid into a gas.

We also explored how evaporation is useful in everyday life, from drying wet clothes and puddles disappearing after rainfall to producing sea salt from seawater. The children enjoyed making connections between our experiments and the world around them, asking thoughtful questions and sharing their observations. It has been a busy, creative and exciting start, filled with fantastic learning opportunities. We are incredibly proud of everyone's hard work, curiosity and enthusiasm









In Art, we have been learning about the fascinating artist Kurt Schwitters, who was famous for creating imaginative collages using everyday materials. We explored his unique style and discovered how he transformed ordinary objects, scraps of paper and discarded materials into wonderful pieces of artwork. Inspired by his creativity, the children designed and created their own collages, experimenting with different colours, shapes, textures and layers. The finished pieces were fantastic, and we were incredibly impressed by the imagination, attention to detail and creativity shown by everyone!

Our Viking topic has been another exciting highlight! The children have been busy working on some amazing Viking projects, demonstrating their growing knowledge and understanding of this fascinating period in history. They have shown wonderful creativity, enthusiasm and independence, putting a huge amount of thought and effort into their work. It has been particularly lovely to see how proud they are of their finished projects. We have been so impressed by the quality of their work and the interesting ideas they have shared.

