



What a fantastic start to the term everyone has made! All our children should feel extremely proud of the way they have begun the school year. It is a pleasure to visit them during lessons and hear the enthusiasm and excitement of their learning. It has also been wonderful to see so many of you attending school events this year. Thank you all sincerely for your continued support.

Harvest Donations- We will be holding our exciting Harvest Collection Challenge in support of The Rock Foundation, helping people in our local community who are facing hardship and homelessness. From Monday 5th October to Friday 9th October, children are invited to bring in donations of non-perishable food items and toiletries to earn points for their school team. The team with the most donations will be crowned our Harvest Champions 2026 and win a special prize. As an extra challenge, if we collect 200 items across the school, all staff will spend a day dressed as farmers!

School council, a message from Miss Brown- We are delighted to announce that our new School Councillors have now been elected and are already eager to begin making a difference across the school. We are especially excited that our Year 5 and 6 councillors have joined the New Waltham Youth Council and will soon be taking part in their first trip out into the community. We cannot wait to see the positive changes and opportunities that their ideas and hard work will help bring about, both within school and beyond. The School Council is already busy discussing its next big fundraising initiatives, so keep your eyes peeled for exciting events and opportunities to get involved in the coming months!



Cyber Crew, a message from Miss Sethi- Cyber Crew have been developing their understanding of online safety and AI, exploring how misinformation can appear online and why it is important to think critically about what we see on websites, social media and advertisements. As part of this, pupils investigated fake products and misleading online adverts, learning how to spot warning signs and stay safe from scams. They have also been enjoying coding with Minecraft Education, where they have used programming skills to complete challenges, solve problems and create their own interactive worlds. Through these activities, children are building valuable digital, creative and critical-thinking skills while becoming confident and responsible users of technology.

World Mental Health Day - On Friday, 9th October, we are supporting World Mental Health Day by taking part in Young Minds #HelloYellow campaign. We invite all children to wear a splash of **yellow** to school—whether it is a t-shirt, socks, a hair bow, or a badge—to show young people they are not alone with their mental health.

Enfield's school website- A reminder that you can find information about your child's learning and our latest policies, including the behaviour policy, on our school website.



OCTOBER	
Monday 5 th & Tuesday 6 th	Parents evenings for all year groups
Wednesday 7 th	Y5/6 Athletics event- more details to follow
Friday 9 th	World Mental Health Day (#HelloYellow day)
Tuesday 13 th	Y5/6 Basketball event
Wednesday 14 th	Harvest Festival
Friday 16 th	Break up for two week half Term 3.15pm
NOVEMBER	
Monday 2 nd	Staff and children return to school
Thursday 5 th	NELPCF coffee morning for parents of children with SEN
Monday 9 th	Flu Vaccinations Reception- Year 6
Monday 9 th	Open morning for new reception starters 10-11.30am
Tuesday 10 th	Open afternoon for new reception starters 1.30-3pm
Wednesday 11 th	Opening evening for new reception starters 4-5.30pm
Friday 13 th	Michael Rosen Day
W/C Monday 16 th	Anti-bullying week
W/C Monday 23 rd	UK Parliament week
Friday 27 th	Non-uniform day for Christmas raffle prizes
DECEMBER	
Thursday 3 rd	Christingle celebration Y3 and 4- 9am
Friday 4 th	Christingle celebration Y5 and 6- 9am
W/C 8 th	Nursery and Reception Christmas play- dates tbc Year 1 and 2 Christmas play- dates tbc
Monday 14 th	Learning Showcase- 2.15pm
Wednesday 16 th	Christmas parties KS1 am and KS2 pm
Friday 18 th	Christmas Jumper day- Cinema experience Break up for the Christmas holidays 2.15pm
JANUARY	
Monday 4 th	Staff Training Day
Tuesday 5 th	Children return to school

