



Dear Parents and Carers,

4<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (5)

I sent an email earlier this week to let you all know that I will be holding two coffee mornings on the 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup> October at 9.00 a.m. We will be looking at the school's data and school Improvement Plan. It will be your opportunity to hear what we achieved last year and also our next steps. I do hope you will be able to attend one of these coffee mornings.

### **Concerns**

I have had a few parents who have been to see me about concerns they have outside of school.

- The first is that some adults are spitting on the school premises. This is not acceptable, so please do not do it
- Some people who arrive early in their cars are leaving their engines on. This is causing air pollution, which is something as a school we are trying to change
- Oakwood Crescent has an unofficial one-way system, which runs from Chaseville Park Road to Eversley Park Road. Some parents are driving both ways, which potentially could be very dangerous if children are crossing the roads
- Parents being aggressive to other parents due to parking or congestion of traffic. We are trying to teach the children of Eversley values and manners, so please ensure that you model these, especially when dropping your child/children off at school

### **Parent Consultations**

Parent consultations will take place in November this year, and will be 10 minutes per child. We decided to change this, as parents felt last year that it was too early in October and that they would like more time with the teacher. The increase in time has replaced the 'Meet the Teacher' for this year.

### **Safeguarding**

Talk about how they can stay safe on social networks.

Ask your child if they know:

- where reporting functions are
- how to block someone
- how to keep information private

Show them how to do these things. Use [Net Aware](#) to help you.

Talk about online privacy, and being [Share Aware](#). Explain that online behaviour – including sharing personal information – should mirror behaviour in person.

Explain that talking to strangers isn't always 'bad', but they should always be careful about what they share and sometimes people aren't who they say they are.

Have a lovely weekend!  
Best wishes,  
Samantha Williams  
Headteacher

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## Our value of the month is Equality



**Equality** is a painting by artist Osnat Tzadok which shows a row of trees of various shapes, sizes and colours. However, the image of the reflection in the water, shows the same tree. I feel that this piece of art illustrates **equality** as it is showing us that peoples' similarities are more significant than their differences and that inside;

fundamentally, we are all the same regardless of appearance, wealth or culture.

(Mrs Whitehouse)

### Quotes:



No two leaves are alike,  
and yet there is no antagonism  
between them or between  
the branches on which they grow.

M. K. Gandhi

MAHATMA, Vol. 7, p. 118



### Library Sessions

Class library sessions are back! Each week, children will have the opportunity to borrow a book for up to 2 weeks, and develop good skills such as finding their way around a library and learning to be responsible for their book.

There are hundreds of children using the library and to make these sessions successful we really need your help to encourage children to return their library books on time. If your child has not finished reading their book and would like to keep it a little longer, please ask them to renew it to avoid unnecessary reminder letters. Please bear in mind that children who forget their book or have an overdue book will be unable to borrow a new book until their outstanding loan is returned.



We are extremely proud of our library and in order to continue to provide this fantastic facility, we do ask parents/carers to pay for, or replace, any books that are lost or damaged beyond repair by their child. Thank you for your support.

### Library Donations

Many thanks to all of you who help top up the library and class book corners throughout the year by very generously donating age appropriate books that your children have outgrown. This enables us to replace books that have been loved to death and are beyond repair.

(Mrs Harrison)

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### Black History Month

October sees the start of Black History Month, where achievements and unsung heroes are celebrated. For example, did you know that it was an African American doctor called Dr. Daniel Hale Williams who performed the first prototype open-heart surgery in 1893?

Although the celebration of all cultures are embedded into our curriculum, during October there will be classroom displays and workshops taking place throughout the school.

(Ms Lauder)



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### Lunch Menu Food Tasting

We would like to invite you to a 'Food Tasting' afternoon on Tuesday 29th October 2019 (***please note change of date***) at 2.30pm, in the Infant dining hall.

You will be able to sample the new dishes from the Enfield Catering Services Winter/Spring menu, which will commence from Monday 4th November 2019.

We look forward to seeing you there.



### Aldi's Kit for Schools!

We are now collecting Team GB stickers with Aldi's 'Kit for Schools' and would like you to help us to collect **300 stickers** to complete our school poster, which we can use to purchase a new sports kit as well as a chance to win £20,000!

Could anyone who shops at Aldi, please give their stickers to either the school office or Mr Robotham.

(Peter Robotham)



## Superstar Tea



**Congratulations to this weeks' Superstars  
who had afternoon tea with Ms Williams today**

Superstars			
1EM	Zachary	4DC	Christopher
1F	Asena	4E	Zayd
1M	Rowan	4G	Isabella
2C	Sebastian	5B	Nicole C
2O	Anish	5E	Lily
2WH	Zoe	5K	Dylan
3OS	Ayaz	6DS	Ismael
3P	Ivie	6L	Caden
3SS	Elyssia	6RK	Christian



**Our VIPs were Zach Khan (1EM) and Andreano Panayides (5E)**



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Well done to the pupils who received a Thank You Certificate for making Eversley a better place by demonstrating one of our Eversley Values

Thank You Certificates					
1EM	Khloey	&	Skyler	4DC	Aayush & Mahdi
1F	Alex	&	Lucy	4E	Gio & Oscar
1M	Jude	&	Reebha	4G	Isabella & Zackari
2C	Arielle	&	Pavlo	5B	Maya & Zeni
2O	Theo	&	Zoe	5E	Evie & Jude
2WH	Emily	&	Nicholas	5K	Niyah & Stefan
3OS	Ayaz	&	Ben	6DS	Matthew & Zdravko
3P	Dilara	&	Kaan	6L	Eva & Jason
3SS	Eshaan	&	John		



## Birthday Book Donations

We would like to wish Emilia (Kingfisher) and Dominic (1EM) a very Happy Birthday and thank you for donating a birthday book to your class.



House Point Winners this week are ...



**Marconi**

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## Dates for Diary

Autumn Term - 2019	Time	Event
Monday 7th October 2019		Yr 2 London Eye River Boat Cruise
<b>Wednesday 9th October 2019</b>	<b>9-10.00am</b>	<b>EPSA Reception Parents Coffee Morning**</b>
Wednesday 9th October 2019	2.00pm-3.30pm	Yr 3 Share Plus Programme
Wednesday 9th October 2019	7.00pm	Reception Parents Curriculum Evening**
Monday 14th October 2019	9.00am	School Improvement Plan Coffee Morning
Tuesday 15th October 2019	9.00am	School Improvement Plan Coffee Morning
Wednesday 16th October 2019	2.00pm-3.30pm	Yr 3 Share Plus Programme
21st-25th October 2019	school closed	Half Term - School closed to pupils
Monday 28th October 2019		Children Back at School
Monday 28th October 2019		Yr 3 Diwali Day
Tuesday 29th October 2019	2.30pm-3.30pm	School Lunch Menu Food Tasting for Parents**
Wednesday 30th October 2019	2.00pm-3.30pm	Reception Parents Share Course
<b>Thursday 31st October 2019</b>	<b>3.30pm-4.30pm</b>	<b>EPSA Halloween Cake Sale</b>
Friday 1st November 2019		Parent Rep Meeting
Tuesday 5th November 2019	9.00-9.40am	Class 1F Reading Session
Tuesday 5th November 2019	1.00pm-4.00pm	Yr 5 Young Shakespeare Company at Millfield Theatre
Wednesday 6th November 2019	2.00pm-3.30pm	Reception Parents Share Course
Thursday 7th November 2019	9.00-9.40am	Class 1EM Reading Session
Friday 8th November 2019	9.00-9.40am	Class 1M Reading Session
Wednesday 13th November 2019	2.00pm-3.30pm	Reception Parents Share Course
Thursday 14th November 2019		Flu Nasal Vaccinations (only for those who have given consent)
<b>Monday 18th November 2019</b>	<b>8.30am-9.00am</b>	<b>EPSA Donations Day</b>
Tuesday 19th November 2019	9.10am	Class 6L Assembly to Parents
Wednesday 20th November 2019	9.10am	Class 6RK Assembly to Parents
Wednesday 20th November 2019	2.00pm-3.30pm	Reception Parents Share Course
Thursday 21st November 2019	9.10am	Class 6DS Assembly to Parents
Friday 22nd November 2019		Yr 2 Soldiers & Nurses Day
Tuesday 26th November 2019		Individual/Sibling Photos**
Wednesday 27th November 2019		Individual/Sibling Photos**
Wednesday 27th November 2019	2.00pm-3.30pm	Reception Parents Share Course
Thursday 28th November 2019	9.00am	Year 2 Singing Assembly

\*\* Date Change

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## Attendance

One of the areas the school is working hard to improve is the attendance of children at Eversley Primary School. The United Nation Convention on the rights of the child entitles them to a Right to Education (Article 28). If the attendance drops below 95%, this could potentially affect any future Ofsted judgement, as well as children missing vital learning which reduces their chances of success. Please help us to continue the upward trend by ensuring your child comes to school every day and on time.

**The overall school attendance to date is 97.91%**

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**HALF TERM HALLOWEEN SPOOKTACULAR  
FOREST SCHOOL CAMP  
EVERSLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL  
FRIDAY 26TH OCTOBER 2019  
10-3.30PM  
YEARS 1-6**

Run by qualified teacher and Level 3 Forest School leader, Lucy Turner and supported by qualified and DBS checked staff  
£35 per day



For more information or to book your child's place at our Forest School holiday camp, please contact Lucy Turner  
[fourseasonsforestschool@hotmail.com](mailto:fourseasonsforestschool@hotmail.com)

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Primary School

**CK Performing Arts HOLIDAY CAMPS**

**FOR KIDS WHO LOVE TO DANCE, SING AND ACT!**

Dancing, singing, drama, musical theatre, gymnastics and cheerleading

**£135** for the full five days

**October Half Term Camp**  
Monday 21st to Friday 25th October 2019  
10am-3pm daily

**February Half Term Camp**  
Monday 17th to Friday 21st February 2020  
10am-3pm daily

**Easter Holidays**  
Monday 8th to Friday 12th April 2020  
10am-3pm daily

**INFORMAL PERFORMANCE FOR FRIENDS AND FAMILY ON THE LAST DAY OF CAMP**

Places are limited so allocation will be made on a first come first served basis!  
Contact Christina to book today!

Tel: 07792 352 312  
Email: christina.kyprou@outlook.com  
@CKperformingArt

CK Performing Arts is a registered charity. All proceeds from our events go to the charity. The school is not responsible for any damage to your child or any other party of your child. Please contact Christina for more information.

**CK CHRISTINA KYPROU PERFORMING ARTS**

**AFTER SCHOOL CLASSES**

**Once upon a PRINCESS**  
Dance and Pantomime

**CK PERFORMING ARTS CLASSES ARE FOR CHILDREN WHO LOVE TO SING, DANCE AND ACT**

For children wanting to learn new skills, to build confidence and new friendships. The classes are designed to be fun, engaging and a great way to learn musical theatre

Places are limited so allocation will be made on a first come first served basis!

**Monday After School Club** Years 3-6  
Term time only  
3.35-6.15pm

**Tuesday After School Club** Reception  
Term time only  
3.30-5.30pm

Eversley Primary School,  
N21 1PD  
Non Eversley students welcome

Contact Christina for more information or to book today!  
Tel: 07792 352 312 Email: christina.kyprou@outlook.com @CKperformingArt

### Old Grammarians Rugby Club

Following on from the rugby taster sessions during Sports Week last June, Old Grammarians Rugby Club (OGRFC) would like to invite Year 6 Eversley students to a special introduction day this Sunday 6th October 2019.

OGRFC is a friendly community club and new players and parents are always made welcome. We already have a number of Eversley children playing in different age groups at the club and would like to add Year 6 students to our Under-11 squad.

Players of all abilities are welcome and it's a fantastic opportunity to get fit, make new friends from different schools and play the wonderful sports of rugby. We look forward to seeing you on Sunday....and look out for the FREE HOTDOGS!

Training times are 9:15am - 11:00am at OGRFC, 180 Green Dragon Lane, London, N21 1EN. Any questions, please text or call 07809141236

**ENGLAND RUGBY** **UNICORNS**

**GIRLS FUN DAY @OG'S**  
SATURDAY 19th OCTOBER 2019, 11:00am to 2:00pm  
180 Green Dragon Lane, Winchmore Hill, N21 1EP

**Year 7 & 8 (Unicorns U13 Team), Year 1 to 6 (Mini's Section)**

- Fun Taster Sessions for Girls (age appropriate)
- Meet existing OG Girls players
- Parent/Carer Introduction to Rugby and OG's
- Food and Drink
- Goodie Bags
- Stay to watch the 1st Team Play

REGISTER FOR FREE @ <https://ogsunicorns.eventbrite.co.uk>

**A CELEBRATION OF WOMEN'S SPORT & BUSINESS**  
WEDNESDAY 16th OCTOBER 2019, 7pm  
Saracens Supporters Association, Fez Club, Saracens

Guests include players from both the double winning Saracens Women and the latest members of the family the Saracens Mavericks. Laura Eddie, the newly appointed director of women's sport and Sonia 'Sonic' Green.

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