

25<sup>th</sup> September 2020 (3)

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are all well and keeping safe.

I noticed this morning that some children have come to school without a coat. It is important that now the weather has changed, your child should be wearing appropriate clothing. Also, we have lots of items in lost property which are not named. The quickest way to name your child's item of clothing is to use a Sharpie pen.

Thank you to all the parents and carers who continue to support the school by wearing a face mask, not driving down Oakwood Crescent and leaving when they have dropped off their child. We still have parents and carers who are standing on the opposite pavement having conversations or waving to their child. I am really concerned that the Covid cases in Enfield are increasing daily, and by not supporting the school we are potentially putting our community at risk. Please let's all work together to keep our families safe.



### Lunchtime

This week the Reception children have been staying for lunch. It was lovely to hear them saying that the lunch was 'yummy'. Thank you to the parents and carers for submitting their child's preferences for both weeks and not making any changes.

### EPSA

A huge thank you to EPSA and all the parents and carers who supported with the 'Happy Bag' collection this week. They made over £1000, which is absolutely fantastic! We have asked EPSA to continue to fund raise for the remaining IWB that need replacing across the school. This is a necessity, as assemblies and some lessons will be pre-recorded or streamed live to classrooms.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes

Samantha  
Headteacher

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### Forest School Adventures

Well this week it really was autumn, we donned our water proofs and headed out! This week we learnt about the trees we have on our forest school site by playing a leaf matching game, using descriptive words and by observing leaves. I read a book called the Leaf Man and after the book we looked for leaves to make our own leaf men, and other creatures! Plus plenty of free play and exploring.



Thank you year 1 for another good week, please remember to bring in your wellies and water proof clothing, forest school is so much more fun if you are dry and warm.

(Anna Reekie, Forest school)

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### Reading books coming home

Your child will have brought home a book today from their class reading area. This book needs to be returned to school on **Tuesday** (no other day). Next Tuesday, your child will bring home a new book and this book needs to be returned on the **Friday** (no other day). The children will continue to have the opportunity to bring home books on Tuesdays and Fridays going forwards. If they have not finished reading a book, there is no expectation for them to change it until they are ready to. Depending on their age, these books may be read to your child or your child may read them independently. At this stage, reading record books will not be coming home.

If your child is in Year 4, 5 or 6, and would prefer to bring in their own book from home to read in school, this is fine but it must remain in their tray throughout the day when not being read.

(Mrs Athanasi and Mrs Sawkins)

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### Pesto

We have noticed that some children are having pesto as part of their lunch. Unfortunately this contains pine nuts and can cause serious side affects to children with allergies. Can we please remind all parents to refrain from sending their children into school with any food that may contain traces of any type of nuts.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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**Autumn/Winter Clothing**

The weather has turned colder and as a result of Covid, we would like windows to remain open in all classrooms for ventilation. Please can you ensure your children come into school with their Eversley sweaters, and jackets for playtime.

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**Birthday Book Donations**

We are not able to accept cakes or any other food items in school on children’s birthdays, but we do like to celebrate birthdays, so please be assured that your child’s special day will be acknowledged.

We would be happy to accept book donations for the class library. Details of your child’s name and birthday would be inscribed in the book, then this can be shared with the class. Please email the school office with details of any book donations.

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**Birthday Book Donations**

We would like to wish Sam (5K) a very Happy Birthday and thank you for donating a birthday book to your class.



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

Superstars			
3K	Heath	4E	Aishvitha
3P	Jack	4M	Sienna
3S	Andreas	4SS	Sumeyra

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Our value for the month of September is

**Self Belief**

**Enjoyment, Perseverance, Self-Belief**