

17<sup>th</sup> December 2020 (14)

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are all well and keeping safe.

I know that this term hasn't ended how we would have liked, but all the staff have worked hard this week trying to make it extra special. Today each class is having an end of term celebration with their teacher, teaching and learning support assistants. I will be popping in to see them all in their party clothes!

I would also like to thank all parents, carers, grandparents and everyone who has been busy supporting your child/children/grandchildren at home, so they have been able to log on and complete the work set. I think since Monday everyone has developed their skills in IT and we are all 'A Stars'!

### **EPSA**

I want to thank Demi, Joanna, Joe and all the EPSA parents for all their support since September trying to raise funds for our school. In the new year, we will be working together to think about new projects so that we can raise money for all the classes to have interactive whiteboards.

### **School Street**

I want to thank all the parents who have been volunteering to make our streets safer. They have supported mornings and afternoons, in all different weather conditions. It has been lovely to see more children arriving to school on bikes. I hope in the new year more parents/carers leave the cars at home and walk, cycle, run or scooter to school.

### **Christmas Videos**

Mrs Georgiou sent the email below, which I hope you have all received.

*We are delighted to be able to share with you class Christmas videos, that were put together for your enjoyment. Your class video will be uploaded onto your Teams page at some point today.*

*Unfortunately, due to COVID the following classes will have to send theirs out in January: 1G, 1F, 2W, 2C and 5K.*

The staff were restricted in what they could get the children to do, but we wanted to share a little something with you.

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### Inset Day

Please remember that the first day of term is an Inset Day, so the children will return to school on Tuesday 5th January 2021. The staff will be using the Inset Day to have training and time to plan for the new curriculum. Mrs Knight, Mrs Georgiou and Mrs Kirkpatrick will be delivering training for parents/carers in the new year.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and for those families who don't celebrate Christmas I wish you a happy and healthy holiday.

Please take care and stay safe over the festive period.

Best wishes for 2021.

Samantha Williams  
Headteacher

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Our value for the month of December is

# **Determination**

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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 97.46%**

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## Dates for your Diary 2020-2021

Autumn/Winter Term - 2020	Event
Monday 4th January	Inset Day - School Closed to Children
Tuesday 5th January	Return to School

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### Easyfundraising

Thank you to everyone for raising donations for our school with #easyfundraising! If you haven't signed up yet, it's easy and completely FREE. 4,300 shops and sites will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to do your everyday online shopping - at no extra cost to you! Every donation you raise makes a difference to us so please sign up & share today.

[https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/eversleyeps/?invite=UA33U9%26referral-campaign=c2s%26utm\\_campaign=admin-trigger%26utm\\_content=srt](https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/eversleyeps/?invite=UA33U9%26referral-campaign=c2s%26utm_campaign=admin-trigger%26utm_content=srt)

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### Online Cookery Club – January 2021

For any age. The lessons will be online via Zoom. Children will learn simple cooking skills, and cook a variety of interesting dishes each week. We will cover all the different food groups. They will learn about ingredients, and how to cook easy, healthy food. Parents need to supervise and help. Lessons will run on Wednesdays after school at 4.30pm, from the comfort of your own kitchen. I will send out the recipe with a list of ingredients, and a list of equipment you will need, so that you can have it ready before the lesson starts.

Cost is £6 per lesson. If you have more than one child taking part, that's fine, the cost is per family. Please register your interest with Samina at [si.remote@gmail.com](mailto:si.remote@gmail.com) as soon as possible.

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### Weekly Filmmaking Classes – New To Enfield!

Ages 7-14

Saturday mornings, 10.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

January 16 to March 27 2021

Eversley Primary School, N21

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FOOTBALL DEVELOPMENT

**Christmas  
Football Camp**

All children aged 5 years old and upwards welcome.  
Fun, age appropriate, games and skills  
Learn and gain confidence in a non pressurised environment  
FA/UEFA Qualified and DBS checked coaches  
Bookings **MUST** be made in advance as numbers limited  
Strict Covid-19 Policy and Procedures in place

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Time</b>
Monday 21st - Thursday 24th December	9am - 3pm
Tuesday 29th - Thursday 31st December	

<b>Location</b>	<b>Cost</b>
Cockfosters Cricket and Bowls Club, Chalk Lane, Cockfosters, EN4 9JG	£18 per day

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*Wishing you a very*  
**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

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