

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are all well and keeping safe.

One Planet Living Goals

On Tuesday, Esther (Prime Minister) and Sophia (Deputy Prime Minister) visited Connect Educational Trust to work with other schools within the Trust on sustainability goals.

They learnt about the bioregional principles, which are listed below.

Principles	Goals
Health and happiness	Encouraging active, social, meaningful lives to promote good health and wellbeing
Equity and local economy	Creating safe, equitable places to live and work which support local prosperity and international fair trade
Culture and community	Nurturing local identity and heritage, empowering communities and promoting a culture of sustainable living
Land and nature	Protecting and restoring land for the benefit of people and wildlife
Sustainable water	Using water efficiently, protecting local water resources and reducing flooding and drought
Local and sustainable food	Promoting sustainable humane farming and healthy diets high in local, seasonal organic food and vegetable protein
Travel and transport	Reducing the need to travel, encouraging walking, cycling and low carbon transport
Material and products	Using materials from sustainable sources and promoting products which help people reduce consumption
Zero waste	Reducing consumption, reusing and recycling to achieve zero waste and zero pollution
Zero carbon energy	Making buildings and manufacturing energy efficient and supplying all energy with renewables

As a school, we have decided that we will look at 'Sustainable Water' and how we can use water more effectively at school and home to reduce flooding and drought.

On Thursday both Esther and Sophia presented to the cabinets what they had learnt and asked for their ideas. Next week in whole school assembly they will present this information and will ask how we can make improvements across our school.

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I was able to link our sustainability project in today's assembly to our big question 'Who is responsible for Antarctica.' The children knew that everyone is responsible because all of our actions combined can make a positive difference.



Individual Liberty

I am responsible for my actions. It is important to remember they can have an impact on people, places and things. We can choose actions that can help preserve and protect Antarctica.

The children were able to link today's assembly to the British Value - Individual Liberty, as we are all responsible for our actions. We can choose what we do and how we can try and protect and preserve Antarctica.

Today's assembly also linked to the United Nation Article 29 for Children's Rights. As part of our education we should be taught to live peacefully and protect the environment.



Computing Equipment

Class 4KR have been busy using the laptops and iPads this week. They had a great time using the computing equipment to complete quizzes, where they were able to see how much they have learnt and is now embedded in their long term memory. Well done 4KR!

Best wishes,

Samantha Williams
Headteacher

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Re: North London Food Bank

As you may already know, every year, we at Eversley contribute to the **North Enfield Foodbank**. This year it is more important than ever because of the cost of living crisis. We would really appreciate it if you could donate to help the people who need it the most.

We will be collecting food from Monday 27th November to Thursday 7th December.

Reception Christmas food e.g. mince pies, Christmas puddings, chocolates

Year 1 Baby items e.g., nappies size 5 and 6, baby food, baby wipes

Year 2 Tinned potatoes and vegetables

Year 3 Squash, long life milk, hot chocolate, coffee

Year 4 Sweet and savoury snacks, and gluten free foods

Year 5 Noodles and readymade meals

Year 6 Toiletries: shampoo, conditioner, shower gel, toothpaste, deodorant, toilet roll, washing powder



Items must be non-perishable and have a 'use by' date.

We hope that you can help us to make a difference.

Thank you for your support.

Alex, Zoe, Alea, Reece on behalf of the House Vice Captains

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Year 1 Trip to Bruce Castle Museum

This week Year 1 visited Bruce Castle Museum and participated in a toy workshop. In History, we are learning about old toys and the children had the opportunity to play with toys from the past and toys from today. They sorted the toys into the material they were made from and used this to help them decide whether the toy was old or new.

We were so proud with how the children confidently answered questions and how well they behaved.

We would like to thank all the parent helpers who accompanied us.

Year 1 Team



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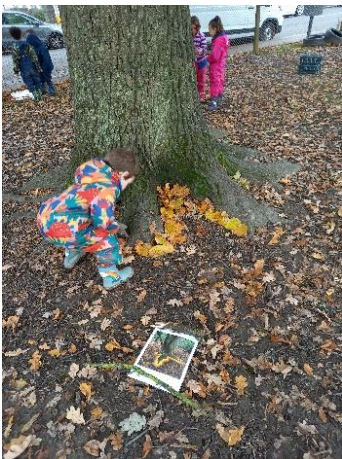
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Forest School News

With the extremely wet weather and our North London clay soil, our site is incredibly muddy and slippery at the moment and as Forest School is all about looking after the environment and ourselves, this week we moved out of the site to give the site a chance to recover.

However, that did not stop us from having fun.

The Nightingales have been reading *Three Owl Babies* in class so we made some telescopes and binoculars out of kitchen rolls and set about out to look for Sarah, Percy and Bill. Of course we did not find the owl babies as owls are nocturnal, but we did find some puddles to jump in!



Forest School News contd...



Year 1 became artists, making art with leaves, just as the artist Andy Goldsworthy did. The children were very good and worked independently or with friends and made some lovely artwork.

Year 5 had some science fun on the playground, using washing up liquid, water and food coloring. 5H had bubble madness, we also did a low level experiment melting ice. We melted some ice with a pan over 2 tealights, and poured some salt over some of it. We had another bowl of ice in the sun and one bowl in the shade. We guessed which method melted the ice the quickest - it went fire, salt, sun and last shade.

Thank you all for a good week.

Anna Reekie - Forest School

Year 2 Trip to the London Eye

Year 2 had a lovely trip a few weeks ago to the London eye. We arrived by coach and it took us 1 hour and 10 minutes to get there. Once we arrived we ate a delicious snack and then set off to get on the London eye. The London eye was so high we could see the whole of London. We saw lots of landmarks including The Shard and Big Ben, it was incredible! Here are some pictures of our wonderful day.





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Flu Immunisation Catch Up Session

Enfield Immunisation Team will be returning to Eversley on **Monday 27th November 2023**.

They will be here for any child that missed the Flu vaccine due to absence and for anyone who would like for their child to have it.

Enfield immunisation nurses are offering the flu nasal spray and also the injectable version, which does not contain porcine gelatine.

If you want your child to have the vaccination, please fill out the eConcent form clicking on the link below:

<https://www.enfieldhealthimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu>

Your child's school code is: **ENF102025**

If you have any questions or need any support, please contact the immunisation team in the following way:

Tel: 0208 702 3499

Email: beh-tr.enfieldimmunisationteam@nhs.net

Website: www.saisenfield.co.uk

Please do not call the school office as we will not be able to help you.

Kind regards

The Welfare Team

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Easyfundraising

Thank you to everyone for raising donations for Eversley Primary School with #easyfundraising! If you haven't signed up yet, it's easy and completely FREE. 4,500 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

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 96.02%

Music Lessons for Spring Term 2024 - Bookings now open

Parents/Carers are now able to renew and book music lessons and activities for Spring 2024 from the Music Store: <https://traded.enfield.gov.uk/musicstore>

The deadline for booking lessons and instrument hire is **3rd December 2023**.



Book now for lessons in the Spring term!

MUSIC CAN HELP US:

- ☒ Build confidence
- ☒ Enhance memory
- ☒ Express ourselves
- ☒ Be creative

EMS Instrumental & vocal lessons start from around £7 per week

Visit the Music Store now to book:
<https://traded.enfield.gov.uk/musicstore>

Closing date: 3rd December 2023



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Our value for the month of November is

Friendship



House Point Winners this week are ...



Marconi



Birthday Book Donations



We would like to wish

Mílara (2PS), Colton (3C) and Oliver (5H)

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

Thank You Certificates							
3P	Anna	&	Elifsu	6B	Anaiya	&	Phoenix
4SE	Alessia, Aydin & Wasi			6K	Naomi-Rose		
5BH	George	&	Leyla				

Superstars

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Congratulations to this week's Superstars



Superstars			
1C	Nicole	4KR	Shaesh
1EM	Kaian	4SE	Alessia
1M	Isla	5A	Rowan
2G	Reyna	5BH	Ermes
2N	Elliot	6B	Amelia
3P	Faith	6K	Cameron
		6L	Sophie



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Inconsiderate Parking/Driving

Please remember that Oakwood Crescent is a public road.

Residents experience a huge deal of disruption from Eversley traffic. It would help relations with local residents if parents remember the following:

- The unofficial one-way system in operation in Oakwood Crescent which runs from Chaseville Park Road to Eversley Park Road
- Please do not park over residents' driveways
- Please do not make a U-turn over residents' driveways
- Please do not park on the yellow zigzag lines or yellow lines
- Please do not stop your car in the middle of the road to allow your child into or out of the car
- Please do not leave your parked vehicle unattended with the engine running
- Please do not leave your vehicle engine running unnecessarily while your vehicle is stationary
- Please do not drive your vehicle whilst using a mobile phone

Residents have been advised to contact the Police and local authority to report any incidents.

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Dates for Diary – Autumn 2023

Autumn Term - 2023	Time	Event
Monday 27th November		Flu Immunisation Catch Up Session
Monday 27th - Thursday 7th December		North London Food Bank Collection
Friday 1st December	All day	EPSA Secret Santa
Tuesday 5th December	9.15am	Woodpecker Class Winter Performance of Goldilocks
Wednesday 6th December	9.15am	Kingfisher Class Winter Performance of Goldilocks
Wednesday 6th December		Childrens Christmas Lunch
Thursday 7th December	9.15am	Nightingale Class Winter Performance of Goldilocks
Thursday 7th December		Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day
Thursday 7th & Friday 8th December	All day	EPSA Christmas Bingo
Monday 11th December	9am-11.30am	Year 5 Young Shakespeare Workshop (In School)
Tuesday 12th December	9.15am-10.00am	1C Christmas Production to Parents
Wednesday 13th December	9.15am-10.00am	1M Christmas Production to Parents
Wednesday 13th December		Reception Trip to the Arts Depot
Thursday 14th December	9.15am-10.00am	1EM Christmas Production to Parents
Wednesday 20th December	1.30pm	Break up for Christmas Holidays
Please remember to book your child's school meals before returning to school		
Monday 8th January	School Closed	Inset Day - School Closed to Children
Tuesday 9th January		Return to School
Monday 15th January		Deadline for Submission for Reception Sept 2024
Thursday 18th January		Year 6 Young Voices School Choirs 2024 at O2 Arena
Monday 22nd January	9am-10am	EPSA Happy Bags Collection (drop off at either gate)
Monday 3rd June	9am-10am	EPSA Happy Bags Collection (drop off at either gate)
Monday 3rd - Friday 7th June		Year 6 Residential Trip to Kingswood
Thursday 11th & Friday 12th July		Year 4 Residential Trip to Phasels Wood Activity Centre

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