

15th December 2023 (13)

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you are well and looking forward to the break.

Year 1 Production

Congratulations to Year 1 on their amazing production 'Wriggling Nativity!' The children spoke and sang confidently with two children singing solos! The children even got the parents singing and wriggling at the end of the show.

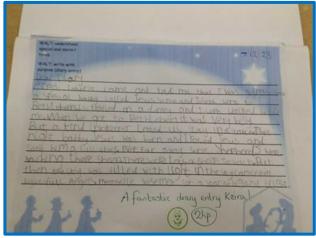
Thank you to all the staff who worked hard to put together this production in under two weeks!







In class, Year 1 have been writing about the Nativity. Mrs Moreton was very proud of Kiera's writing, which is amazing!





Trip to St Thomas' Church

Children in Years 2 to 6 went to St Thomas' Church on Wednesday to celebrate the birth of Jesus. Thank you to the Year 6 children who narrated and Year 4 children who acted out the story. The whole school sang Christmas songs that they had learnt with Mrs Evans and Mrs Georgiou. It was a lovely opportunity to all come together and celebrate, which we haven't been able to do for four years!

Thank you to Father Rich, St Thomas' Church, Mrs Barton and Mrs Evans for organising such a lovely morning.









Great Winter Bake Off

Thank you to everyone who donated a cake or bought a cake yesterday. We will announce the winner and how much was raised next week.

Best wishes,

Samantha Williams Headteacher



Year 5 Young Shakespeare Company

The Young Shakespeare Company came to Eversley on Monday to perform Romeo & Juliet for Year 5. The confident actors who performed were Maya (Juliet), Chanel (Nurse), Matt (Romeo) and Joseph (Lord Capulet).

This story was about a beautiful girl named Juliet who fell in love with a handsome boy named Romeo, however Romeo was the son of the Lord Montague, and Juliet was the daughter of Lord Capulet but The Montagues and The Capulets were great enemies. The actors made it look like it was wasn't real but real enough to believe.

The dramatic performance was outstanding, the expression on their faces was incredible and it fits with the theme. The experience of the them changing emotions in a blink was really effective and cool. This was expected to be good and interesting, but the words that came out of people mouths was more than that.





















Year 5 Young Shakespeare Company contd...

Nya from 5BH said "At first I thought it would be someone showing us a slideshow or something but instead it was an emotional rollercoaster full of surprises!"

Michaela also in 5BH said "I loved this play it was amazing and probably the best play ever, I can't even express how much I had the best time in the world."

Asena (5BH) said "I loved this play so much it was amazing and has lots of expression and emotion in this story."

Overall, these girls rate this play a solid 5-star performance!

By 5BH girls (Nya, Asena & Michaela)





Forest School News

Last week saw the last week for Year 1, Year 5 and Nightingale class.

What a week we had, it was filled with roasted marshmallows, hot chocolate, s'mores and laughter.















Thank you to all the children and staff, it has been so much fun.

The forest school is now having a little rest until February half term.

Enjoy the break!

Anna Reekie - Forest School





Food Bank Donations

The House and Vice Captains would like to say a massive thank you for all your wonderful and generous donations!

The foodbank representatives were also overwhelmed and wanted to extend their thanks to you and wish you a Happy Christmas.



Ms Lauder (on behalf of the House and Vice Captains)



Birthday Book Donations



We would like to wish

Theo K (1C) and Ayub (1EM)

a very Happy Birthday and thank you for donating a birthday book to your class

Our value for the month of December is

Kindness



Afttendance

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 95.82%

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/eversleyps/?invite=UA33U9%26referral-campaign=c2s%26utm_campaign=admin-trigger%26utm_content=srt



House Point Winners this week are ...



Scott





Superstars

Super

Congratulations to this week's Superstars

Superstars			
1C	Alex S	4SE	Emir
1M	Alexi	5A	Antonia
2G	Oscar	5BH	Yasemin
2N	Marissa	6B	Anaiya
3P	Termeh	6K	Orinthia
4KR	Phillip	6L	Emily









Dates for Diary - Autumn 2023

Autumn Term	Time	Event		
Monday 18th December	pm	Reception, Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 Christmas parties		
Tuesday 19th December	pm	Years 1 & 2 Christmas parties		
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 02 Arena		
Monday 22nd January	9am-10am	EPSA Happy Bags Collection (drop off at either gate)		
Tuesday 23rd January	am only	Year 5 Trip to Bayfordbury Observatory		
Thursday 25 th January		Year 4 Trip to St Albans Cathedral		
Thursday 1st February		National Height & Weight Check for Children in Reception & Year 6		
Friday 23rd February		EPSA Quiz Night		
Wednesday 17th - Friday 19th April		Year 5 Trip to France		
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		







Cookery Club – Spring term 2024

For ages 5 and up. The 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. My cooking classes run in a number of schools in North London – where my lessons are popular and oversubscribed. I also run my own cookery school for adults and teach cooking to vulnerable families as part of HomeStart charity.

Cookery club will run on Tuesdays and Fridays, after school, in the Training Room. All equipment and ingredients provided.

Cost is £14 per lesson. Please register your interest with Samina at si.remote@gmail.com as soon as possible.



