

Egerton Primary School



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Through dynamic teaching, a highly creative curriculum and supportive environment, every Egerton child gains a passion for learning. When combined with the knowledge, skills and values they develop, we enable our children to fulfil their potential as global citizens in an ever-changing world

26 February 2021

Dear Parents,

This is a short newsletter as I will be writing to you early next week to share our plans to welcome the children back to school. We are all very excited to welcome them all back together once more. Let's hope the good weather continues!

Junior Bake Off

The Casting Researcher at Love Productions; the company behind The Great British Bake Off, The Great British Sewing Bee and The Great Pottery Throw Down has been in touch.

They have recently opened applications for the 7th series of **Junior Bake Off**; a Channel 4 programme that celebrates the culinary talent and ambition of the younger generation in Britain. This is a great programme and a firm favourite in my house. This is an exciting opportunity for many Egerton bakers! They are looking for young budding bakers between **9 - 15 years old**. Filming would take place from July 2021, but our **applications close on Sunday 28th March 2021**.

Interested bakers can apply online at - WWW.APPLYFORJUNIORBAKEOFF.CO.UK.

Communication regarding Covid

Regardless of your children being at home or in school, as key worker children, if there is anyone connected to your family that experience Covid symptoms resulting in self-isolation and any positive tests school needs to be informed as soon as possible. I have to provide daily information to the DfE regarding all children and staff and this includes instances of self-isolation and confirmed cases of Covid. Please do this via admin@egerton.cheshire.sch.uk

World Book Day

On Thursday 4th March, we will be celebrating World Book Day and we have planned a number of activities to help us to celebrate this important day. Reading is very important, so we want to ensure that this day is special.

A video launching World Book Day was shared on Seesaw and Tapestry on Tuesday explaining how we are going to celebrate and discussing the theme this year which is: 'Reading makes the World go round'.

The children will be set an activity by their class teacher looking at authors or stories from their class continent. Every class is learning about one of the seven continents this year and this will be an extra dimension to their learning. You will find the activity on the School website as part of the home learning challenges for Spring 2, week 2.

The children have also been invited to **dress up as their favourite book character on Friday 5th March during their Zoom assembly**. The children can dress up as any character they would like to; it does not need to link to their class continent. The children will also be set three questions to answer next week prior to their assembly.

- 1) Who is your favourite book character?
- 2) Who is the author of the book where your favourite character appears?
- 3) Which continent does the author come from/live in?

The children can share their answers via Seesaw or Tapestry.

We know that the children look forward to World Book Day every year and it is something they always enjoy.

Enjoy your sunny weekend!

Best wishes

Alison Hooper

Headteacher

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HOLIDAY DATES 2020/21

	School Closes	School Re-opens
Easter	Thursday, 1 April 2021	Monday, 19 April 2021
May Day	Friday, 30 April 2021	Tuesday, 4 May 2021
Summer Half-Term	Friday, 28 May 2021	Monday, 7 June 2021
Summer	Friday, 16 July 2021	

INSET Days: Monday 19th July, Tuesday 20th July, Wednesday 21st July

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HOLIDAY DATES 2021/22

	School Closes	School Re-opens
Autumn Term		Monday, 6 September 2021
Autumn Half-Term	Friday, 22 October 2021	Tuesday, 2 November 2021
Christmas	Friday, 17 December 2021	Tuesday, 4 January 2022
Spring Half-Term	Friday, 18 February 2022	Tuesday, 1 March 2022
Easter	Friday, 1 April 2022	Tuesday, 19 April 2022
May Day	Friday, 29 April 2022	Tuesday, 3 May 2022
Summer Half-Term	Friday, 27 May 2022	Monday, 6 June 2022
Summer	Friday, 22 July 2022	

INSET Days: Wednesday 1st, Thursday 2nd & Friday 3rd September, Monday 1st November, Monday 28th February

