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Dear Parents,

It is hard to believe that it has been a year since the Prime Minister announced that schools would be closing their doors for majority of their students on 20th March 2020. How much life has changed in the months since.

On Tuesday 23rd March marked the first anniversary of the start of the first national lockdown. This day was a day of national reflection, a day to stop and look back on what our country has achieved in its fight against Covid-19 as well as remember and pay respect to the many lives sadly lost.

At Egerton, we all joined in the national reflection day, by taking part in the national minute silence. The staff spent time with the children reflecting on the whole year and the many changes that came. On Friday, in our assemblies, we reflected on our collective experiences of the Covid-19 pandemic and our hopes for a brighter future.

School meals after Easter

After the Easter holidays, our school lunch menu changes, we will email more details and add to the website as soon as they are available. From Monday 26th April, there will be an option of a packed picnic lunch called "cat bags" which can be taken outside to eat on nice days. A cat bag typically contains a filled roll of cheese, tuna or ham, a homemade biscuit or cake, fruit and yogurt. Each morning, children will be given the option to order a hot meal or a cat bag with a sandwich filling of their choice. If you would prefer your child not to be offered the packed lunch option, please let the school office know.

A PEEK IN OUR CLASSROOMS!

There is a real buzz of excitement in our classrooms this week. Have a look...



Year 5 have been able to resume their weekly music lesson.

This is a fabulous opportunity for children to engage with learning and playing an instrument.

Year 5 children are provided with an instrument of their choice, which they keep for a year and music teachers from Love Music Trust deliver weekly lessons every Wednesday.

Year 5 have also been making Viking masks as part of their Anglo Saxon studies.



This week in Year 3, children carried out an investigation to see whether plants need the same amount of soil nutrients in order to grow well. They had so much fun planning and carrying out their investigation and they cannot wait to see the results!



Look how much they have grown! Reception class have loved watching the chicks hatch out of their eggs and are now able to hold them. Thank you to the PTA for funding this every year.

Year 6 have become impressionists! They have been creating paintings inspired by Claude Monet.



Year 6 have also been making periscopes during their science lesson. They attended an online workshop via Zoom with the Manchester Metropolitan Police Museum and learnt about law in Victorian England.



In science, Year 4 set out into the school grounds to identify and tally what litter they could find.





Year 2 enjoyed PE with Multiflex in the sunshine today.



Year 1 have been planning poems this week and have also been able to spend some time with the chicks

Dear Parents/Carers /Knutsford residents,

My name is Sarah (Susie's mum Year 6) and I am one of the very proud super dazzling dinner ladies at Egerton!

This is my plea for your help as **WE NEED YOU!**

Ever fancied being a fabulous "dinner lady"? It's truly very "cool" to be one, according to the kids! Though the income is not enough to make a down payment on the latest Ferrari, you will look super cool in a trendy apron and funky PPE face covering of your choice.

Our *paid* fantastic midday team that serves scrumptious lunches to the children at Egerton are really in need of your helping hands.

If you are a parent this will be a wonderful memory for your children and for anyone else, you are helping shape warm memories of time at school. The hours are from 11.45 - 1.15 pm. Even 1 day a week would be amazing for us right now - we are really in need of help! Starting after Easter would be terrific.



Dinner ladies rock !... so please consider bringing your smiling face to our midday team at Egerton Primary. You will have so much fun you won't want to leave!

Please contact the school to register your interest on admin@egerton.cheshire.sch.uk

As part of Cheshire East Council's journey to become [#carbonneutral](#), we are converting two of our bin trucks to run on hydrogen fuel - which means they are not as harmful to our planet.



We are calling on primary school children in Cheshire East to submit a name for one of the two trucks.

You must include a 'H' for hydrogen anywhere in your suggestion.

The winning names will be proudly displayed on the trucks and the winners will also receive a £50 Love2Shop voucher and a goodie bag.

Please submit your entry by email, including your first name, age and school to: carbonneutral@cheshireeast.gov.uk.

The closing date is 30 April at 12pm. We can't wait to see what you come up with!

More info here <https://crowd.in/owe5EL>

Have a restful weekend,

Monika Sedgwick

EGERTON PRIMARY SCHOOL
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

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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