



Edgewood Primary School

Building skills and values for life

Friday, 16 September 2022

Dear parents/carers,

As we come to the end of our second full week, we are all thinking about Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth, her family and all the many people impacted by her death in the run up to her funeral on Monday. In school we have continued to speak with children in our classes and also spoke today in assembly about the silences planned over the weekend.

Please remember school is closed for all pupils on Monday as a sign of respect to Her Majesty's reign.

When we do return on Tuesday, 20th September we will be changing the gates children are dropped off at to try and reduce the volume of traffic through the most congested gates. This has just been sent via text/app message out to you and the link to the letter is also here, [EndDaySept22.pdf \(edgewoodprimaryschool.co.uk\)](#) We hope this change will further improve the situation to make the start and end of the day the best possible solution for all our children

Mr Seeley
Head Teacher



Congratulations to Orange Class for a weekly attendance of 97.86%

Weekly Class Achievers

On Wednesday, we celebrate the achievements of the following children for being this week's achievers.

Nursey & Reception		Years 1 & 2		Years 3 & 4		Years 5 & 6	
<u>Rainbow</u>	Amaya	<u>Yellow</u>	Jake	<u>Verde</u>	Edith	<u>Azul</u>	Reian
<u>Red</u>	Harriet	<u>Blue</u>	Arthur	<u>Amarillo</u>	Theodore	<u>Morado</u>	Maggie
<u>Green</u>	Ilysia	<u>Orange</u>	Isaac	<u>Rosa</u>	Katie	<u>Rojo</u>	Jake

Individual Photos



On Tuesday 20th September we will be have individual photographs taken of the pupils. Should you have any siblings of your children that do not attend Edgewood and you are welcome to bring them along from 7.50am to have their photograph taken along with the sibling that is here.



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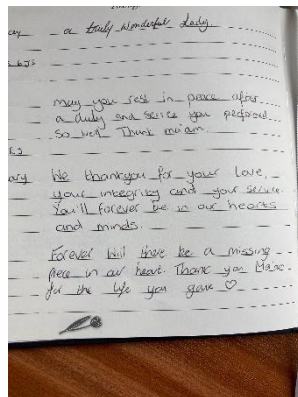
Visit to St Peter & St Paul's

Thursday morning, Mrs Bradley, Mrs Marshall and Mrs Adamson took the House Captains to the Church of St Peter and St Paul's to offer our condolences for the late Queen Elizabeth II. Lay Minister Caroline led them in a prayer and provided the children with materials to leave a personalised message and draw a picture. These will be placed into a special commemorative book.

The children were fabulous ambassadors for our school and presented themselves with respect and dignity. Mrs Bradley signed the church Book of Condolence on behalf of the school, which is available for all to sign during church opening hours.

Each House Captain was presented with a special prayer for the Queen and a candle, which will be placed into every classroom.

Here are a few photos from the visit:



Harvest Festival

We will be holding our annual Harvest Festival on Thursday 6th October 2022. We are once again asking for donations of non-perishable foods, which will be donated to the Under One Roof food bank in Hucknall. As I am sure you will be aware, due to the current cost of living crisis, food banks are in dire need of donations. We will be taking any donations you have from next week. All donations received will then be taken after our Harvest Festival assembly.

We will also take donations not only from yourselves, but from your neighbours and relatives. If parents could kindly bring these donations to school on behalf of any friends or relatives that do not attend our family. Let us see if we can help the many families that find themselves in need through no fault of their own.

All donations should be brought into reception.



☆☆☆☆PTA relaunch!! ☆☆☆☆☆



It time to relaunch the PTA with a new school year and restrictions lifted!

It would be great to have some new parents involved as we want to have the best events to be able to raise lots of money to help the school provide extra activities that they wouldn't normally be able to provide.

This is even more important now with the rising fuel costs and the cost of living. The school is under even more financial strain and can not fund these

types of things without the help of the PTA.

If you would be willing to be involved please drop in to our meeting in the school hall on Friday 30th Sept at 3pm.

Flu Vaccination

This year the annual flu vaccinations will be held in school on **1st December**. In order for your child to be given the nasal immunisation, you need to complete a consent form online. All the details can be found on the poster at the end of this newsletter. Details of withdrawing consent for the vaccination are also detailed on there.



Dates for your diary

We hope you found the 'Dates for your diary' letter useful. Please find the link below if you missed it.

[Dates for Diary.pdf \(edgewoodprimaryschool.co.uk\)](https://www.edgewoodprimaryschool.co.uk)

It is now time for your child's yearly flu nasal spray!

The free seasonal flu spray is offered to all children and young people in:

Primary School Years: Foundation 2 Year 1 Year 2 Year 3 Year 4 Year 5 Year 6

Even if your child received this last year it is recommended, they have it again this year or they won't be protected. It is more important than ever, to reduce the number of those becoming ill with flu this winter to help protect them and the NHS.

What do you need to do?

You **must** complete **one** online consent form for **each** of your children.

It is important every child has a completed form which states if you would like them to receive the flu vaccination spray **or not**.

The online consent form can be found through this link or the QR code:

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

Visit date: 1st December 2022

School code: NG122587

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Online consent will close at 3.00pm the working day before the session.

If you decide you want to withdraw consent you must email sais@nottshc.nhs.uk at least 24 hours before your schools session.

The nasal spray may not be suitable for some children, for more information visit www.nhs.uk/child-flu

Please note: If any of the following happen **after** completing this form you must contact the School Aged Immunisation Service: if your child becomes wheezy, has a bad attack of asthma, has started steroid tablets for asthma or has had this vaccination anywhere else.

How will the vaccination be given to your child?

We are a team of skilled and experienced nurses and support staff. The flu vaccination is a quick and simple spray up the nose.

Step one: The nurse places the tip of a thin plastic tube just inside the nostril.

The child can breathe normally whilst the vaccine is given.

Step two: Half of the vaccine is sprayed in one nostril.

Step three: The other half of the vaccine is sprayed into the other nostril.



If you have any questions or need support to complete the consent form, please contact our friendly team:



sais@nottshc.nhs.uk



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