

Eccleston C.E. Aided Primary School "Let your light shine" - Matthew 5:16

Friday 6th June 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

I wanted to share some exciting updates from school and celebrate the wonderful things our pupils have been up to recently.

We've just had a fantastic new orienteering course installed in our outdoor area, which the children are absolutely loving! It's brilliant for helping them develop their map-reading skills and work together as a team while getting some fresh air.

A special mention goes to Sue our cook, who celebrates her 60th birthday this weekend. She was very touched to have been surprised with flowers and treats - though her planned skydiving adventure has had to be postponed due to the weather! We're all impressed by her adventurous spirit.

Our Year 3 and 4 footballers have done us proud by reaching the semi-finals of the inter-school competition. They've shown great teamwork and determination, and we're all rooting for them in the next round.

Year 6 watched the Snap Trap online safety drama this afternoon, which was really engaging and helped them understand how to stay safe online. It's so important that our pupils know how to navigate the digital world responsibly. Rabbits had a brilliant day at Delamere Forest building dens and eating marshmallows and thankfully the rain didn't spoil their day!

The children have been busy creating Moomin houses as part of our preparations for Refugee Week, which has sparked some really thoughtful discussions about community and belonging.

This Thursday, our Year 4 and 5 pupils will be performing at the Cathedral under the peace doves - what an honour to represent our school at such a special event!

Don't forget Sports Day is this Wednesday at 1:30pm. After today's practice session, I know it's going to be a fantastic afternoon. Please do bring chairs along to make yourselves comfortable while we cheer on our amazing pupils.

Thanks for your continued support - it really makes such a difference. Best regards,

Kathryn Rees-Wright

Eaton Road, Eccleston, Chester CH4 9HD Telephone: 01244 506560 Email: <u>admin@ecclestonprimary.cheshire.sch.uk</u> Head Teacher: Mrs K Rees-Wright Dates

Wednesday 11th June – Sports Day

Sunday 15th June - Messy Church 10.45am at Pulford Monday 16th – Friday 20th June Refugee Week – Community Moomin house competition. Monday 16th – Friday 20th June – School Sports week – children need to come in wearing PE kit every day. Tuesday 17th June - Collective Worship at St Mary's lead by Rev'd Torr Week beginning 23rd June – SEN Parents Evening Tuesday 24th June - Jeanette Howe in leading Worship Wednesday 25th June – Sports Day Reserve Monday 30th June – Wednesday 2nd July – Badgers Residential to Condover Hall

Friday 4th July in the afternoon and Tuesday 8th July in the morning – Move up to New Class Transition Day Thursday 10th July at 10.30am – Y6 Primary Leavers Service at Chester Cathedral Wednesday 16th July to Thursday 17th July – Squirrels residential to Burwardsley Sunday 20th July - Messy Church 10.45am at Eccleston Tuesday 22nd July – Last Day and Y6 Leavers' Service lead by Rev'd Torr

Sunday 17th August – Messy Church Picnic in Eccleston Church Garden 10.45am

Sunday 21st September - Messy Church 10.45am at Pulford

Sunday 19th October - Messy Church 10.45am at Eccleston

Sunday 16th November - Messy Church 10.45am at Pulford

Sunday 21st December - Messy Church 10.45am at Eccleston