



Eastlands Primary School

March 2024

EPS Attendance
Target **96.5%**

February attendance

R— 92%

Y1— 95.6%

Y2— 95.1%

Y3— 98.2%

Y4— 92.4%

Y5— 96.3%

Y6— 92.4%

Overall attendance for the whole school for 5th September to 29th February was averaging at **94.6%.**

This is below-our target.

Please help us to raise this % by ensuring your child attendance is good or better.

Is your child's class

"On time at 10 to 9" ?

School opens at **8.40am** when children can go to their classrooms and get ready for the start of the school day. Please make sure that your child is in their class, ready to work by **8.50am** at

Communication in school -

If you wish to discuss your child's need or raise a concern it is best to speak, in the first instance, to the class teacher or teaching assistant.

Please use this email address to contact a teacher. EPSPar-ents2415@welearn365.com

If you wish to talk to a member of the senior leadership team please arrange an appointment with:-

- ⇒ Mrs Edwards if you have a child in **Nursery Reception or Year 1**
- ⇒ Mr Northedge about children in **Year 2, 3 & 4**
- ⇒ Mrs Hope about children in **Year 5 & 6**
- ⇒ Miss Guy is the Special Needs Co-ordinator—SENCo

Term dates. -

Tuesday 5th March—Class Photographs.

Thursday 7th March—World Book Day—story telling workshop for parents

Friday 22nd March—school closes for Easter.

Tuesday 9th April— Summer Term starts

Monday 6th May—Bank Holiday
May 27th Half Term

Thursday 18th July—end of term

Happy Birthday to all our children who celebrate their birthdays in March:

R: Edwin, Carter

1: Ace

2: Allenah

4: Yugaan , Ava

5: Douglas, Henry, Lohith, Siddhartha

6: James, Alice Maia,



Class Photographs will be taken on **Tuesday 5th March.**

The format for the photos will be a group photo. Therefore it is essential that all pupils be in full smart uniform and ensure their black shoes/pumps are in school.

Thank you.

Safeguarding is Everybody's Responsibility

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Lansdowne Place, Rugby CV21 3RY Tel: 01788 575328

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Games for Gaza

Thank you everyone who participated in the event.

We have raised—£166.06

unicef for every child
Fundraising event
Donations to Unicef Gaza Emergency appeal
Please donate £1.50 per family

Classroom games —
Noughts and crosses, boxes, battleships
Word searches
Cup & ball
Circle games

Curriculum links
Traditional games,
Design Technology — design a game



EPS School Council event

Games for Gaza

Friday 23rd February

Children to bring in board games from home to share with friends.



Wider curriculum
Turn taking
Sharing
Accepting winning and losing



Playground —
Hopscotch,
Skipping games including long rope
Ball games such as two ball
Clapping games
Story telling circle games e.g. There was a princess long ago.
Farmer's in the den

And the bird in a big high tower,
A big high tower, a big high tower,
And the bird in a big high tower,
Long, long ago.



Staffing changes — This term we say farewell to Miss Brown who is moving to a new post. We wish her well.

School Travel news

Thank you to so many parents for your careful and thoughtful parking behaviours in the neighbourhood before and at the end of the school day.

These behaviours ensure all our children are safe when travelling in the local area. Please use alternative car parking at Whinfield or GEC car Park. We are actively encouraging Park and Stride approach to the start of school.

In school we work closely with children, parents and our neighbours on ensuring the space around the main school gates is safe for all.

There is some further action we can take.

1. Please remember: *The Highway Code's Rule 243 states that you should 'not stop or park where the kerb has been lowered to help wheelchair users and powered mobility vehicles, or where it would obstruct cyclists except when forced to do so by stationary traffic.'* Parking a vehicle fully or partially across a dropped kerb is classed as an obstruction and either the police or local council can enforce the contravention.
2. We are planning a Car Free day on Friday 22nd March. Hopefully the weather will be a little brighter and warmer on that day. Please think about walking to school if possible, parking 10 minutes away from school or using the alternate car parks the we have advertised over this school year.

We all have the right to feel safe all the time.

Eastlands Primary School Protective Behaviours Curriculum

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Education providers and young people with SEND in Warwickshire invited to learn about Supported Internships at special twilight event

Young people aged 16-24 with an Education, Health and Care Plan (EHCP), their parents and carers, and education professionals are invited to attend a special event on Thursday 14 March 2024, 3-7pm, to learn more about Supported Internships in Warwickshire.

Supported Internships are work-based study programmes for young people, aged 16 to 24, who have an EHCP and want to move into employment, but need some extra support.

This free event will offer a unique opportunity to:

- Learn about the new guidance developed to improve information available for young people, their parents and carers and businesses and colleges about supported internships, the benefits and what is involved
- Hear real stories of successful supported internships from previous interns and business hosts
- Find out where to access information about supported internships on Warwickshire's Local Offer pages
- Gain valuable information and network with partner agencies including local colleges, Warwickshire Supported Employment Service, Prospects and more.

Who should attend

- Headteachers/principals, SENCos and career leads from education settings in Warwickshire
- Young people aged 16-24 years with an Education Health and Care Plan (EHCP)
- Parents and carers of young people aged 16-24 years with an EHCP
- Local businesses that are interested in hosting supported internships

When and where

The drop-in event will take place on Thursday 14 March 2024, from 3pm to 7pm at the Eliot Park Innovation Centre, Nuneaton, Warwickshire, CV10 7RH. Light refreshments will be provided.

The event will be held on the ground floor and is fully accessible. There will also be a designated quiet space, for anyone who may need time away from the main area. To help people plan and know what to expect from the event we have put together [this Accessibility Guide](#).

There is no need to book as this is a drop-in event, however if you have any queries or would like any further information, please email sendchange@warwickshire.gov.uk.

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On Friday 15th March the PSA are hosting an Easter cake sale at 3.20pm

(Any donations of homemade cakes would be gratefully received in order to help raise money for the PSA. These can be dropped at the office on the Morning of the 15th.)

Thank you

