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Newsletter 10 **Friday 13th November 2026**

Dear Families

Another busy and positive week of learning has zoomed by here at Edinburgh Primary School!
Attendance is looking very positive. Thank you for making sure your child is in school every day. It makes a HUGE difference to learning and to the whole team atmosphere.
Please talk to us if your child is feeling a little under the weather. It is lovely and warm inside school and we can always keep an extra eye on your child in addition to making sure they stay indoors at break and lunchtime.

I hope you all have a wonderful weekend.

Best wishes

Ellie Green

Miss E Green - Head Teacher

In this week's newsletter you will find information about the following:

- EPS Values Celebration
- Coffee and Conversation regarding Consultation to Close EPS
- EPS Parent Governors
- EPS House Competition
- EPS Star Awards
- EPS Gold Awards
- EPS Healthy Eating Awards
- Moments Matter – Attendance Counts

EPS Values Celebration

Respect – Resilience - Kindness - Positivity – Confidence – Aspiration

Congratulations to EPS Values Award winners. It is my favourite moment of the week to hear the teachers talk so enthusiastically about the amazing achievements and values of our children.

Banyan:

Saif - Kindness

Ginkgo:

Malaika - Kindness
Dragos - Resilience

Oak:

Erin - Resilience
Muhammad - Positivity

Maple:

William - Positivity
Albert - Resilience

I am very proud of you all!

Thank you to everyone who came along to support today. It means a lot to us all.

Coffee and Conversation regarding Consultation to Close EPS

Please come along to the coffee morning on **Monday 16th November at 08:50** to share your views, concerns and ideas regarding the consultation to close our wonderful school. This has been organised by parents. I will also attend and I have invited Sharie Omoragbon from Waltham Forest Council to attend the follow-up meeting on **Tuesday 24th November** to respond to questions.

I urge you all to share your views in the consultation process.
Consultation on a proposal to close Edinburgh Primary School | Let's Talk Waltham Forest

EPS Parent Governors

I am delighted to share that Jo Gooding (Y1 parent) and Nick Portman (Y5 parent) are now members of our Governing Body. Their perspective, challenge and support will be incredibly valuable to the leadership and strategic plans for Edinburgh Primary School.

EPS House Competition

This week's winning House Team is:

Kane House



Every goal starts with a dream

EPS Star Awards



Reading Stars: - *Maple*
Seema - Oak
Azaan - Gingko
Yuxin - Gingko
Minahil - Maple
Islam - Banyan



Spelling & Handwriting:
Samuel - Gingko



Mathematician of the Week:
Adam - Oak
Milo - Banyan
Helen - Maple

EPS Gold Awards

Saaliha & Anas – Maple Class
Elise – Oak Class
Well Done - I am very proud of you both.

EPS Healthy Eating Awards

Banyan: Grace, Naila **Gingko:** Yuxin, Nasar **Oak:** Kanzeddine, Thanasis, Nicole **Maple:** Isla-Mae



Please remember we are a healthy school. Crisps, sweets or chocolate bars are **not** allowed.

Moments Matter – Attendance Counts
EPS Celebrate Good Attendance

Week beginning: 09/11/2026

Class	Team Attendance	
Banyan	100%	1st
Gingko	98.3%	3rd
Oak	97.8%	
Maple	98.9%	2nd
Whole School	98.5%	

Well Done Banyan Class – 100% is amazing!



Whole school attendance since September is 96.47%

Whole school attendance is looking great. Let's keep up the team effort!



Diary Dates

November 2026	
Monday 16th November	Coffee Morning for Parents at 8:50am
Monday 16th – Friday 27th November	Year 6 Swimming
Monday 23rd November	Oak class trip to Cinema
Tuesday 24th November	Coffee Morning for Parents at 8:50am
Monday 30th November	Year R & Year 6 Height & Weight
December 2026	
Thursday 3rd December	Whole school outing
Friday 18th December	Last day of term – Early finish 13.45
Monday 21st - Friday 1st January 2027	Christmas Holiday
January 2027	
Monday 4th January	Inset Day (School Closed)
Tuesday 5th January	Children return to school