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Newsletter 01

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2025

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome Back! It has been wonderful to see you all this week. The positivity and enthusiasm for learning across school has been incredible. This is going to be an amazing year for our school community.



*Despite the rain, the balloons and banner were on display. We were so excited to welcome the children back to school.*

A HUGE thank you to my staff team for their commitment, engagement and hard work creating our vision and aspirations for Edinburgh Primary School this year, and in preparation for the children coming back to school on Wednesday.

Best wishes

*Ellie Green*

Miss E Green - Head Teacher

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

- EPS Values Celebration
- EPS Staff Team
- After School Homework Lounge

- Punctuality
- Moments Matter – Attendance Counts

### EPS Values Celebration

**Respect – Resilience - Kindness -  
Positivity – Honesty - 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:**

*Alessia - Positivity*

**Ginkgo:**

*Neli - Aspiration*

**Hornbeam:**

*Caedon- Resilience*

**Oak:**

*Mahia - Kindness*

*Helen - Resilience*

**Pine:**

*Juwairiya - Resilience*

*Minahil - Kindness*

**Tamarind:**

*Tamera - Positivity*

*Muhammad - Aspiration*

**Maple:**

*Nabiha - Aspiration*

*I am very proud of you all!*

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

### EPS Staff Team



*It was great to work together on Monday and Tuesday. Thank you to the governors and members of Salaam Peace who joined us.*

## After School Homework Lounge

Does your child struggle to focus on homework?  
Would a little extra time to read or practice times tables help?



The Homework Lounge opens on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> September and will provide a calm, quiet space to learn.

**When:** Monday to Thursday, 15:15-15:50

**Who:** Years 2 to 6

**With:** Mrs Loonat and Mrs Orlik

Children will have chance to complete the homework set by their class teachers, practice handwriting and mental maths, and read.

If you would like your child to attend, please complete the attached form and return to the school office.

Children should be collected from Reception at 15:50.

## Punctuality

Please make sure your child is in the playground and ready to go to class before 08:45. When children are late for school, they start the day at a disadvantage: they are behind with learning and often feel unsettled and upset.

**Moments Matter – Attendance Counts**  
**EPS Celebrate Good Attendance**



Week beginning: 03/09/25

Class:	Team Attendance:	
Banyan	100%	1st
Ginkgo	94.0%	3rd
Hornbeam	90.5%	
Oak	91.1%	
Pine	87.7%	
Tamarind	92.9%	
Maple	95.2%	2nd
<b>Whole School</b>	<b>92.9%</b>	

**Whole school attendance since September is 93.46%**

Let's work together to improve this!

**Please remember that term time holidays cannot be authorised. Holidays during the school term have a tremendous detrimental impact on a child's wellbeing and academic progress.**

