



# Edge Hill Academy

Believe and Achieve, Shine Everyday  
~ Community Newsletter ~



Friday 23rd February 2024

What's happening at your school... Read on...

Dear families,  
We welcome you all back to the Spring 2 term 2024!  
We have lots of opportunities for parents to come into school this term. This includes Forest schools, reading workshops, Parent lunches and also After-noon tea. Please don't forget to check the date sheet on the next page of this newsletter for more information.  
We still have lots of lunchtime clubs, after school clubs and also competitive events this term so please make sure your child looks out for these!  
We hope you have a fantastic weekend and we will see you next week.  
Best wishes, Mr Russell and the team at Edge Hill.

## Certificate of Achievement - Spring 1:

*For those who always showcase their phenomenal skills in school!*

Ash: Arthur H  
Elm: Maddie S  
Oak: Henry S  
Elder: Harper P  
Holly: Arthur A  
Maple: Alana B  
Aspen: Rennay Z  
Cedar: Isla G  
Rowan: Charlie H  
Chestnut: Daniel S  
Sycamore: George W  
Willow: Zola S



## Ofsted report - Update

As you will be aware, we undertook an Ofsted on 30th and 31st January. We are currently waiting for the report to be sent. Once completed, we will provide you with a copy.

## Uniform

Please remember, it is full uniform unless it is a PE day. PE days happen twice a week. Children must also wear black shoes to school; not trainers with excessive colours please.

Attendance so far  
(up to 23.2.24):

Year 3: 95.2%  
Year 4: 95.6%  
Year 5: 96%  
Year 6: 94.7%

OVERALL: 95.5%

Best attending class so far: Cedar 96.6%

WELL DONE Cedar!

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# Spring Dates Reminder



Fierte Multi Academy Trust  
**Edge Hill Academy**  
Spring term events and information



Forest School (Parents invited into the Forest on the Friday)

Year 4 Holly (Ms Barrett) - Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2023

Year 4 Maple (Ms Butler) - Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2023

Year 4 Elder (Ms Sprenglewski / Ms Robinson) - Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2023

Year 5 Cedar (Ms Gibson) - Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2023

Parents' Lunch

Maple (Ms Butler) – Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2024

Elder (Ms Sprenglewski and Ms Robinson) – Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Reading workshops - 9:00am

Rowan (Ms Holling and Ms Collyer) – Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Afternoon Tea and chat with the team (This a parent only event)

Year 5 Parents' Afternoon Tea – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Stepping Out – Year 3

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March 2024

World Book Day

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2023

Cookie Sale for Mothers' Day

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2024

World Science Week

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March – Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Non-Uniform day for Chocolate

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024

Easter Bingo

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2024

End of Spring term

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024

All events are also listed on the school website: <https://www.edgehill.fierte.org/>

Please be aware that dates are added over the course of the term / year so please look at our website / Newsletter and also individual letters for further information.



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# AFTERNOON TEA - YEAR 5

As you are aware, we are looking to bring parents into school as much as possible over the course of this academic year for a variety of events.

Our newest event is an afternoon tea. This half term, we are inviting our year 5 parents in to school.

There will be 90 spaces available (1 per pupil) and we will invite parents into the dining room from 2:30pm to serve up the afternoon tea of sandwiches, cakes and hot drinks.

The event will take place on the Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March at a cost of £4.00 per person, payable on parent pay.

There will also be a chance to chat with Mr Russell and Ms Foster about our school and how we can take on board your thoughts.

**(This is a parent only event)**

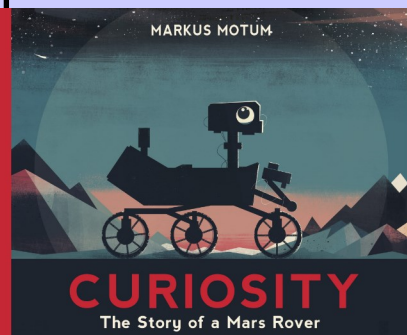




# What's going on...

## Elder - Reading workshop

Year 4 Elder completed a super reading lesson this week linked to the book *Curiosity* - they love it!



## Year 5/6 Football tournament

Our year 5 /6 girls' football team did extremely well at a recent football tournament held at Burton Albion. They got right through to the final but lost on penalties. Well done girls!

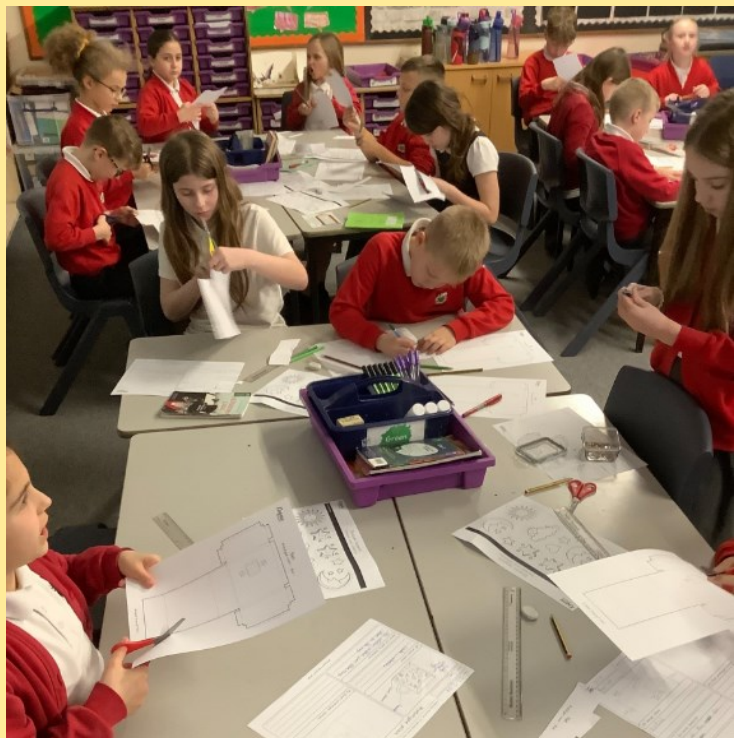


# What's going on...

This term, year 3 are completing a science unit based on animals including humans. Today, they have been looking at the skeletal system, focusing on our internal framework.



Year 4 have been working on a Digital World topic in design and technology. They are creating Mindfulness timers and today they were creating a prototype. How exciting year 4!





# What's going on...

This term, year 5 are making bridges! This involves using saws, dowel, sand paper and all other elements linked to woodwork. WOW!



This term, in PE, year 6 are focusing on a unit in gymnastics. They are all working very hard to produce a Sequence using apparatus.

