



# Edge Hill Academy

Believe and Achieve, Shine Everyday  
~ Community Newsletter ~



Friday 12th September 2025

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

Dear families,

### WELCOME BACK!

We're delighted to welcome all our families back for the new school year. It's been a fantastic start, with children settling in beautifully and engaging enthusiastically in their learning. The classrooms are already buzzing with creativity, curiosity and collaboration! Thank you for your continued support — we're looking forward to a wonderful term ahead.

Best wishes, Mr Russell

### Reminder: Don't Forget Coats!

As the weather begins to turn colder, please ensure your child brings a warm coat to school each day. We'll still be spending time outdoors during playtimes and learning activities so it's important that all children are dressed appropriately for the changing season.

Thank you for your support!

### Parking Reminder

We kindly ask all parents and carers to be mindful when parking near the school during drop-off and pick-up times. Please avoid blocking driveways, parking on pavements or stopping in unsafe areas. Your cooperation helps keep our children safe and ensures a respectful environment for our local community.

### OFFICE OPENING TIMES:

Please be aware that our office opens at 8:00am and closes at 4:00pm. If you call at any other point, you can leave a message.

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Edge Hill is an Operation Encompass School.

**Attendance so far (up to 12.09.25):**

**Year 3: 97.9%**  
**Year 4: 96.9%**  
**Year 5: 98.1%**  
**Year 6: 97.1%**

**OVERALL: 97.5%**

**Best attending class so far: OAK 100%**

**WELL DONE OAK!**

### Our WOW Learners: 12.09.25

Ash: Ametiszt K / Emily Y  
Elm: Millie C  
Oak: Malgorzata C  
Elder: Grace M  
Holly: Reggie L-J  
Maple: Oscar T  
Aspen: Edward A-D  
Cedar: Grace A  
Rowan: Ellis O  
Chestnut: Simarvir S  
Sycamore: Paige W / Maja W  
Willow: George E / Adriana L

Our celebration of weekly outstanding learners  
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# Year 4—Roald Dahl Day



# Our Vision and Values

**Commitment**



At Edge Hill Academy, we want all of our pupils to **'Believe and Achieve, Shine Every Day'**.

Pupils **believe** in themselves, **achieve** ambitious goals and **shine** across all aspects of life **every day!**

*'Inspired to Excellence'*

**Respect**



**We care**

We foster mutual respect, appreciating everyone's voice and opinion. We celebrate success and support each other to ensure the well-being of all. We value our environment, treating it with care and consideration.



**We leave no one behind**

We work as a team, identifying and building on individual strengths. We move forward together, encouraging and inspiring one another to become the best that we can be.

## Vision



**Believe and Achieve, Shine Every Day**



**We celebrate individuality**

We celebrate each person's unique qualities and we are confident in the value we bring to our community. Celebrating everyone's success is an intrinsic part of all we do.



**We are brave**

We create a welcoming, safe and supportive environment to foster confidence. We challenge thoughts and opinions in a respectful manner. We encourage each other to take risks, acknowledging that mistakes are part of learning.



**Perseverance**



**Trust**



# OUR NEW WOW CERTIFICATES

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## WOW Learner Award



Name:  
Date:  
Class:



This certificate is awarded for showing outstanding **commitment** to their learning and to the life of our school.

You have demonstrated devotion, enthusiasm, and a positive attitude in your learning journey. Your dedication to school life—through your actions, participation, and care for others—reflects the true spirit of our community.

You are a role model of what it means to be a committed learner and a valued member of our school.

Keep shining and keep striving!

 **COMMITMENT** 

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## WOW Learner Award



Name:  
Date:  
Class:



This certificate is proudly awarded for showing remarkable **perseverance** in their learning and throughout school life.

You have faced challenges with determination, kept going when things were tough, and shown a strong commitment to doing your best.

Your resilience and positive attitude inspire others and reflect the true spirit of our school community.

Well done for never giving up and always striving to improve!

 **PERSEVERANCE** 

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## WOW Learner Award



Name:  
Date:  
Class:



This certificate is proudly awarded for consistently demonstrating the virtue of **respect** in their approach to learning and their contribution to school life.

You show respect by listening carefully, valuing others' ideas, and treating everyone with kindness and fairness.

Your thoughtful attitude in the classroom and around school helps create a positive and inclusive environment for all.

You are a shining example of respectful learning and community spirit. Well done!

 **RESPECT** 

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## WOW Learner Award



Name:  
Date:  
Class:

This certificate is proudly awarded for demonstrating the virtue of **trust** through a responsible and reliable approach to learning and school life.

You have shown that you can be trusted to make good choices, work independently, and support others.

Your honesty, reliability, and commitment to doing your best make you a valued and respected member of our school community.

Thank you for being someone we can trust. Keep up the fantastic work!

 **TRUST** 



Fierté Multi Academy Trust  
**Edge Hill Academy**



**Autumn term 2025 Events and Information**

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

Willow (Ms. Barnard): w/c 8<sup>th</sup> September  
Chestnut (Ms Butler): w/c 15<sup>th</sup> September  
Sycamore (Ms. Lloyd): w/c 22<sup>nd</sup> September  
Elm (Ms. Walker): w/c 29<sup>th</sup> September  
Oak (Ms. Holling and Ms. Caulton): w/c 6<sup>th</sup> October  
Ash (Ms. Sangster): w/c 13<sup>th</sup> October  
Holly (Ms. Barrett): w/c 20<sup>th</sup> October

**Swimming**

Cedar (Ms. Gibson): Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> September – Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> December

**Parents' Lunch**

Ash (Ms. Sangster): Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> September  
Elm (Ms. Walker): Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> October

**Parent Workshops**

Chestnut (Ms. Butler): Invite to school for workshop: Monday 13<sup>th</sup> October  
Sycamore (Ms. Lloyd): Invite to school for workshop: Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> October  
Willow (Ms. Barnard): Invite to school for workshop: Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> October

**Reading Workshop**

Led by Ms. Sangster to support parents – Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October

**Cake and Coffee**

Year 3 – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October at 9:00am

**PTA Discos – 5:30pm – 6:45pm**

Year 3/4 – TBC  
Year 5/6 - TBC

**Tempest Photography**

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> October

**Parents' Evening**

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> and Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October (3:40pm – 6:30pm)

**Dress up lunch**

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October

**End of half-term**

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October

**Term starts**

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November



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# Clubs in school

## After School Clubs - Autumn term

Club name	Year Group	Term / day / time	Staff lead
LASER TAG	ALL	Monday	SH ACTIVE
DANCE	ALL	Tuesday	EVERYBODY DANCE
TEAM GAMES	ALL	Wednesday	BACT
RUGBY	ALL	Wednesday	M Tolley
TEAM GAMES	ALL	Thursday	BACT
GAMES CLUB	ALL	Friday	EVERYONE ACTIVE

## Staff clubs - Autumn term

Club name	Year group	Term / day / time	Staff lead
Oliver	Yr 6	Monday - 3:30pm - 4:30pm	Ms Foster Ms Lloyd
Debate Club	ALL	Monday 12:00pm-12:30pm	Ms Barnard
Drum Club	Yr 5/6	Monday - 12:00pm - 12:30pm	Ms Collyer
Chess Club	ALL	Tuesday - 12:00pm - 12:30pm	Ms Grimley
Choir	ALL	Tuesday - 12:00pm - 12:30pm	Ms Collyer Ms Sangster
Theatre Club	ALL	Friday - 12:00pm - 12:30pm	Ms Butler