



# Essendon

## C of E Primary School

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Friday 17th September 2021

*Encouraging everyone's light to shine*

### Dear Essendon Families, **ECO Warriors**



A very big well done to our Eco Warriors for raising £120 at the Cake Sale and a thank you for everyone who donated cakes and bought cakes. The Eco Warriors will be buying Terracycle resources to recycle the non-recyclable. Find out more at: [www.terracycle.com/en-GB](http://www.terracycle.com/en-GB). They will also be buying soil and bulbs for the balcony area pots.

### **National Fitness Day**

It is National Fitness Day on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> September, all children can come to school in their PE Kit ready for some outdoor fitness.

### **Meet the class teacher**

Parents are invited to the parents and class teacher curriculum meetings. Face to face or Zoom; to be confirmed. 3:30pm:  
Tuesday 21st September for Homewood;  
Wednesday 22nd September for Pantherswood;  
Thursday 23rd September for Warrenwood  
Friday 24th September for Harefield.  
Children can attend and quietly sit and listen.

### **Parking**

We have been notified that one of our neighbours has had their car damaged by a member of the school community. Please can everyone who drives to school ensure that they are respectful of our neighbours and careful with parking and reversing. Thank you.

### **Harvest Service**

Save the date – Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> Sept at 2pm

### **Collective Worship**

In this week's Collective Worship we reflected on being kind and we read the Aesop's Fable of Androcles and the Lion. Have a look at home, maybe for a bedtime story together.

### **Art in Homewood and Harefield**



Observing and sketching eyes



Art inspired by Piet Mondrian

### **Woodland Area**

Thank you to all those who have helped clear and maintain the Woodland Area. Pantherswood and Warrenwood have both enjoyed learning in the woods this week..

### **Parent Teacher Consultations**

This term's parent teacher consultations are planned for after school on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> October and Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October.

**Have a lovely weekend.** From Ms Canham



## Essendon C of E (VC) Primary School

### Key Dates: 2021/2022

#### Autumn Term:

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2021 – Inset Day

Start of term for pupils - Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2021

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> October – INSET DAY

Half Term: Monday 25<sup>th</sup> to Friday 29<sup>th</sup> October 2021

End of term for pupils: Friday 17<sup>th</sup> December 2021 – 1.15 pm

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2021 – Occasional Day

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2021 – Occasional Day

#### Spring Term:

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2022 – Inset Day

Start of term for pupils – Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> January 2022

Half Term: Monday 14<sup>th</sup> to Friday 18<sup>th</sup> February 2022

End of Term – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2022 – 1.15 pm

#### Summer Term:

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2022 – Inset Day

Start of term for pupils - Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2022

Spring Bank Holiday – Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2022

Half Term – Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2022

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June – INSET Day

Transition Day – Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2022

End of Term – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2022 – 1:15pm