



Edgewood Primary School

Building skills and values for life

Friday, 28 April 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,



Every School Day Counts

Attend today, achieve for a lifetime!

[Congratulations to Red class for gaining 100% attendance for the 2nd week!](#)

Swimming Helpers



We desperately need Swimming helpers on a Friday. Swimming is part of the national curriculum and our school provides swimming lessons free of charge. If you are able to spare some time on a Friday, we are in need of parent helpers. If you are interested, please call into the school office where we can discuss this with you further. Parent helpers form a vital part of us being able to run the swimming lessons and without your help the lessons would not be able to take place, so if you are able to, your help would be very much appreciated.

Please ensure that on swimming days your child does not come to school wearing earrings. We are not able to remove them and they will therefore miss out on swimming that day. In addition to this should your child have a verruca they are **still able to swim**. Verruca socks can be worn but are optional.

Polling Station

A reminder that Nursery will be closed all day on Thursday next week 4th May for the local election.



Year 5/6 Picnic Lunch



Year 5 and 6 pupils will have been sent home with a letter today about a picnic lunch on the 11th May. Can you please ensure you complete and return the slip attached to the letter by Tuesday? I appreciate this is a very short time frame but, we need to make provisions with the kitchen for the numbers of lunches required. Many thanks for your cooperation with this.

YMCA Ofsted Visit

I would like to congratulate Mel Rooney and his team in the YMCA before and after school club on their Good grading for their provision at Edgewood in a recent Ofsted visit. Well done to all involved and Mel has stated that he and his team wish to build on this grade. Well done.



Key Stage 1 Football Thursday



KS1 children are changing their football day from Football Friday to Football Thursday. Children can bring in their own football but these must be airfilled plastic balls in a plastic bag. Please note leather balls **will not** be allowed

Fidget Spinner & Fidget Cube Toys

We have reminded children in assembly this week that toys such as the new fidget spinners should not be brought into school. They are an unhelpful distraction in classrooms, and we cannot ensure that they do not become lost or damaged on the playground. Please ensure that such toys are kept at home. Thank you.

Mr Seeley
Head Teacher