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## Co-Headteachers' Message

The sunnier weather we have enjoyed this week means it finally feels like Spring has arrived. Even as the weather warms up, it is important that the children continue to bring a coat to schools; as today has proved, rain is always possible!

Despite the damper weather today, all of the children (even Year 4 who were dressed as Romans) participated in the Sponsored Bunny Hop, a PTFA fundraising event. Any sponsor forms and money for this can be returned to your child's class teacher.

Last weekend, our Year 5 children had an action-packed stay at Bowles Rocks. The children fully immersed themselves in the variety of outdoor activities including: skiing, climbing and kayaking. The staff all commented on the determination and resilience showed by the children as they embraced the different challenges they faced- well done Year 5 and thank you to all of the staff who accompanied the children to make the trip possible.

As you will be aware, this year we have developed our new school values - The Echelford Green Values. These values are thought about and referred to each day in school both in the classroom and outside. To support the children in their understanding of what each value encompasses, our Senior Prefect Team have worked hard to create some short paragraphs explain each of the values. You can see these below. We hope this helps you to discuss the different values with your child at home.

We look forward to seeing many of you at our parent/carer teacher consultations event next week.

Mrs . Bugembe & Miss Oakley

## Dismissal time end of Term

Our final day of this term is Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March. We will be finishing earlier than our normal school day. Dismissal will be at the following times:

Reception, Years 1 & 2	1.35pm
Years 3 & 4	1.40pm
Years 5 & 6	1.45pm

## Incident Information

There was a collision on Monday at approximately 8.30am between a white Seat Ibiza, 2019 registration and a secondary school child on a bike. The child has a minor injury and is recovering well, however, his mother has asked if anyone in our community has witnessed the incident to contact her directly on 07897 749511.



# Our Echelford Green Values



## Growing Together As A Community

Everyday we grow together as a year, a class, a school, a community and an individual. Experiences are learning opportunities both in the classroom or when we play.

We share our ideas not as 600 individual voices but as one.

We get better at things by working and growing together as a community.



## Respecting Everyone and Everything

When we are in our classrooms we respect each other by being kind and helpful to different people within the community of Echelford.

We encourage our peers to make green choices and take pride in our learning environment.

We ensure that our learning space and everyone and everything in it is taken care of and we understand the importance of speaking out when we see someone not making green choices.



## Embracing New Experiences

We want people to feel confident to try new things and different experiences. To do this we provide different opportunities:

Trips and visits

Roles and responsibilities

An exciting curriculum

Working with a variety of people

Sometimes new experiences can be difficult. It is important that we build resilience so we can be successful at our individual goals.



## Everyone is valued and Thrives

At Echelford we believe everyone has the right to feel happy in school. Everyone should feel included and be supported- no matter what they look like or who they are.

No person or idea is more important than the other. We celebrate and learn about our differences and similarities.



## Nurturing and Kind To all

We can ensure everyone is happy by being kind with our actions and our words.

Taking the time to care for one another is important, even a simple smile helps.

Recognising how our own feelings can impact others.

Caring for each other means helping one another



## Rainbow raffle/mufti day

On Friday 26th April, children are invited to wear mufti to school. Children are encouraged to wear colours of the rainbow e.g. a pink top/yellow jumper/blue trousers in return for a donation of a non-perishable prize for the PTFA raffle. All donated items must be new, sealed and in date.

## Vacancies within the Trust

### Lumen Learning Trust is recruiting:

We are looking to appoint a member of staff to support in the delivery of P.E. lessons across the five Lumen Learning Trust (LLT) schools, this is an exciting role for anyone who is interested in coaching and developing youth sport. This role is supported by Sports Premium funding and therefore is a fixed term contract, expiring on 31st August 2025. There is the possibility that the contract will be extended subject to the funding from the DfE continuing. <https://www.eteach.com/job/sports-coach-1407402>

### Walton Oak Primary School is recruiting:

Are you ambitious and keen to make a difference? We are for a fixed term Teaching Assistant until the end of August 2024. This is an opportunity for an individual who is patient and emotionally resilient to join our friendly, inclusive and inspirational team of teaching and support staff. For more information please see: <https://www.eteach.com/job/teaching-assistant-1411306>

### Darley Dene Primary School is recruiting:

Are you ambitious and keen to make a difference? We are seeking to appoint a highly enthusiastic, proactive, flexible and reliable individual for the role of Teaching Assistant. For more information please see: <https://www.eteach.com/job/teaching-assistant-1410747>

### Darley Dene Primary School is recruiting:

We are seeking to appoint a highly enthusiastic, proactive, flexible and reliable individual who is qualified with a minimum of Level 3 Teaching Assistant to join our team. For more information please see: <https://www.eteach.com/job/early-years-teaching-assistant-1410732>

### Darley Dene Primary School is recruiting:

Do you have a passion for Early Years? Are you motivated by working within a high performing environment? We currently have an opportunity for a dedicated nursery Leader to join our Team. For more information please see: <https://www.eteach.com/job/nursery-room-leader-1411012>

### Riverbridge Primary School is recruiting:

We are looking to appoint an Office Assistant with a 'can do' attitude who are passionate about making a difference, to join our friendly, committed, hardworking team. For more information please see: <https://www.eteach.com/careers/riverbridgeprimary/job/school-office-assistant-1410722>

## Achievements outside of school

If your child would like to celebrate success within the school community, please inform your class teacher or the office staff of your news. Along with the Newsletter, we will display any sports achievement photos and information on our 'Sports Shout Outs' board in the gym.

Congratulations to Scarlett in RL who has earned her next gymnastics badge in her intermediate class. Well done Scarlett on this amazing achievement.





Well done to Hugo in 1C who has moved up a swimming level. He has just completed level 3 and is now starting level 4. Congratulations Hugo on this fantastic achievement.



Congratulations to Arthur in 2A who moved up to Level 3 in swimming this week. Well done Arthur on this wonderful achievement.

### Class Learning Awards

The following classes were this week's winners, working as a team whilst using our curriculum online resources. Well done!



**Class: 3DT**



**Class: 1H**

### Green Values Award

Every week, an award is presented to a child in each class for embodying one of our Green Values. Congratulations to those children who have represented one of our values so brilliantly this week.

RG	Reuben	RL	Holly Ti	RO	Consent to publish name not given
1A	Teddy B	1C	Elsie	1H	Alfie
2A	Jackson	2B	Dexter	2W	Levi-Rose
3DT	Robyn	3H	Ellis	3S	Amaani
4EJ	Nishaan	4M	Alexander	4S	Dylan
5B	Holly	5G	Alesha	5W	Erin
6H	Ethan	6J	Lucas	6W	Jack





### Gold Leaf Achievers

Every week, we celebrate those children awarded a Gold Leaf this week for their effort and achievement in their learning.

Aria S, Jimmy C, Maddie M, Radin M, Jack E, Shiloh M, Aryaa D, Evie S, Nova D, Blake B, Meera U, Anaiya O, Jind K, Bentley V, Safa M, Joshua K, Daya K, Adela F, Logan F, Penny M, Oliwier O, Bodhi M, Ismail K, Arjun P, Jess B, Lucy B, Vinisha B, Lily W, Grayson b, Oliver H, Leo J, Michael G, Aekambeer S, Jeshvik N, Ivy G, Helina M, Zach H, Nathaniel L, Teddy K, Erin M, Aubrey B, Zachary Y, Jason k, Erin L, Muhammed M, Jaylen M, Jaap K, Georgina P, Myles S, Myra S, Ellis L, Jaxon B, Joseph E, Ava S, Rosie M, Brooke F, Aizah M, Grace N, Owen J, Franco B, Saoirse M, Theo B, Kaira G, Ashreet K, Verity V, Arthur C, Aidan B, Connor R, Kaira S, Henry P, Nova H, Rubi W, Holly W, Amaani A, Ioana D, Musa M, Amelia S, Isaac V, Jake Me, Idris K, Callum O, Jasleen B, Bessie G, Monika T, Mya A, Arjun D, Rian D, Erika Z, Lexi Y, Millie G, Elizabeth C, William C, Darcy H, Max O, Ayoub M, Riley B, Marilou A, Samara O, Elisa A, Lily-Mae W, Ranjot D, Rajneet B, Eddie C, Ilyas R, Preston H, Dylan T, Holly N, Amber P, Rajveer B, Eleanor S, Zoe W, Sydney M, Sara F, Emmilija M, Arthur P, Alazne P, Arifah R, Frank W, Juno M, Annie V, Myla-Rose H, Jaya S, William M, Damian T, Jotham D, Ethan P, Fiona G, Grace P, Misha M and Ava A.

**On behalf of the Echelford Primary staff team, we wish you a pleasant weekend.**









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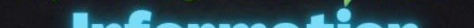
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# Information


## Meadhurst Primary School

Feltham Hill Road, TW15 1LP

Multi-Sports: Tuesday 2nd April - Friday 5th April\*

Football: Monday 8th April

Dodgeball: Tuesday 9th April



### Eid

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We are aware that many families will be observing Ramadan & celebrating Eid during the holidays and we have made some changes to our provision to support children attending:


A Quiet Zone


Less physical sessions available if needed

Support any children's fasting requirements

Please contact us if you have any questions or specific requests.

9am-3pm





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