



Edisford Newsflash – Week 19

Hello everyone! Welcome to another weekly Newsflash which aims to keep you well-informed about weekly events at school. We will still be sending out a more detailed newsletter which celebrates children's achievements, but this newsflash will ensure that you are kept up to speed with things from week to week.

Marvellous Manners

Our Marvellous Manners celebrate British values and our Edisford Characteristics for Success – Confidence, Resilience, Getting Along, Organisation and Persistence. Each week, our Ambassadors give us a new Marvellous Manner to work on, and on Fridays, the teachers give out house points to those who have particularly stood out. It is a lovely end to the week and we enjoy seeing our children being rewarded for all the great things they do and their strong personal characteristics.

This Week's Marvellous Manners: Showing empathy

Mrs Darnell, Mrs Smithson and Mrs Blackmore nominated: Sonny G, for showing empathy, care and kindness towards his friends.

Jacob W, for being a wonderful friend to another child, very kind and caring.

Miss Blockeel, Miss Knight and Mrs Halstead nominated: The whole class for thinking during PSHE, you have all been amazing when talking about friendships and empathy.

Ruben P, for blowing the teachers away with your Maths work. You are super at answering deeper learning questions.

Thomas B, for having a great go with his Maths and putting his hand up to answer lots of questions.

Mrs Callus and Miss Slinger nominated: Jenson W, for always being kind and caring to adults and children in class.

Pippa B, for always being a really good friend to everyone.

Harry L, for spotting a boy struggling with setting up his table and equipment as he'd been off, and helping out.

Mrs Calton and Mrs Allen nominated: Harper R, Florence F and Sienna K for celebrating differences, especially with behaviour. Reacted really maturely to a really tricky situation.

Mrs Colvin nominated: Cora H & Scarlett W, for being the only two who have been learning every tables sum at home ready for the next day!

Ava W, for being incredibly kind to her brother, buying her brother a snack at the tuck shop even though it meant she couldn't buy one for herself, very selfless! Great empathy skills.

Mrs Agius nominated: Charlie S, Millie H & Jack K, FOR recognising and understanding the way people feel with body language. So empathetic.

Freddie, for trying really hard to get into a home learning routine with reading.

Mrs Chadwick & Mrs Dryden nominated: Bella E and Grace B (these children have been nominated by class mates), for being very caring and kind to all their classmates.

Next Week's Marvellous Manners: Achieving your potential with reading

**Astounding
Attendance!**

1st place – Year 4
2nd place – Year Rec & Year 3
3rd place – Year 1



Reading Awards

Rec – Harper & Hashim

Year 1 – Ava & Isabelle

Year 2 – Eva & Lorenzo



News, Notices and Events

Reading Helpers

If any parents or grandparents have any spare time during the week and would like to volunteer to listen to our children read, please email the school office on bursar@edisford.lanes.sch.uk

Valentine's Day Non Uniform Day

Friday 14th February – wear red or pink to raise money for school funds! £1 cash donation on the day please.

School Tuck Shop

After a successful first week, the school tuck shop will be back next week, selling snacks such as croissants, brioche, popcorn at first break. Your child can bring money to school on the following days:

Wednesday 29th Jan: Y2 – Y6

Friday 31st Jan: Reception and Year 1



Spring Term: Dates for Your Diary

When	Event/Notice	Action
Monday 6 th January	School reopens	We hope you've all had a wonderful Christmas break!
Thursday 9 th January	Reception Heights & Weights Check	Letter emailed to parents on 11/11/24
Thursday 14 th January	Y6 STEM Catalyst Challenge	Johnson Matthey workshop
Tuesday 21 st January	Reception Visual Screening	*NEW DATE* Letter emailed to parents 12/12/24
Tuesday 11 th February	Safer Internet Day	Safer Internet Day
Wednesday 12 th February	Parent's Afternoon	1pm-5pm, booking via online system, available soon
Friday 14 th February	Rock the Danceathon	Danceathon to raise money for school funds! Info to follow
Friday 14 th February	Valentine's Themed Non Uniform Day	Wear red to raise money for school funds.
Friday 14 th February	Break up for half term	School closes at 3:20pm and re-opens on Monday 24 th Feb
Monday 3 rd March	Y3 World War II Workshop	In school
Tuesday 4 th March	Y2 Great Fire of London Workshop	In school
Monday 24 th March	Ribble Valley Swimming Gala	At Ribblesdale Pool
Wednesday 26 th March	Scholastic Book Fair	More details soon
Friday 4 th April	Break up for the Easter Hols	School closes at 2pm today and re-opens Tues 22 nd Apr