



# Edisford Newsflash

Week 3

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.

### This Week's Marvellous Manners: **Wonderful table manners.**

Mrs Darnell, Mrs Smithson & Mrs Blackmore nominated: **The whole of Reception class, for having 100% attendance for the last TWO weeks!**

Miss Blockeel, Miss Knight and Mrs Halstead nominated: **Georgia H & Leo P for having wonderful table manners every day.**

Mrs Calton & Miss Slinger nominated: **The whole of Year 2, for making Mrs Calton very proud during their trip to Manchester.**

**Seth F, George H & Jackson B, for their wonderful manners and thanking the teachers after their trip.**

Mrs Dryden nominated: **Freddie La, for his patience and politeness in the dinner hall.**

**Pippa B, for always getting on and being lovely in class.**

**Freddie Le, for wonderful improvement in manners and tidying up in the dinner hall.**

Mrs Colvin nominated: **Poppy J, for you lovely and polite table manners in the dinner hall, recognised by the lunch time staff.**

**All of Year 4, for adapting beautifully to the new lunchtime routine. You all now know exactly what to do without any prompting!**

**Scarlett W, for remember her manners in the dinner hall.**

Mrs Agius nominated: **Danny T & Rex B, for their fantastic team work in maths and remembering key information in Geography.**

**Jacob B & Gracie B, for wonderful table manners at all times.**

Mrs Jackson & Mrs Chadwick nominated: **Blake A & Holly T, for always being so organised, neat and prepared.**

**Tom H, for wonderful first aid skills in Adventure Endeavours.**

### Next Week's Marvellous Manners: **Being a positive role model.**

#### Astounding Attendance!

1st Place - Reception

2nd Place - Year 3

3rd Place - Year 2

100%

#### Music Genre of the Week

**Baroque**

Baroque music is a style of Western classical music composed from roughly 1600 to 1750, characterized by its dramatic, energetic, and ornate spirit.

## News, Notices & Events

### Non-uniform Day

Non-uniform day will take place on the last day of half term, Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October. £1 donations can now be made on ParentPay. Children can wear their own clothes/Halloween outfit. Thank you for your continued support.



### Open Day

Our next Open Day for prospective parents is on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September, at 9:15am. Please spread the word! More Open Days will be announced soon.

### After School Clubs

We have some fantastic after school clubs running this half term for Year 1 - Year 6! Contact Mrs McManus for more information on how to sign your child up for Judo, Jam Coding and/or TAG Sports.



### Pupil Premium

In our school, if your child is entitled to Pupil Premium funding (also known as free school meals), we receive additional financial support from the Government which we use to purchase specialist services and additional resources for your child and our school.

All pupils in Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 are entitled to 'universal' free school meals. This is **not** the same as 'Free School Meals' (FSM). Pupils who are eligible for FSM receive additional funding called 'Pupil Premium'. Pupils who receive PP get one school uniform voucher per year, to help with the cost of school uniforms. During the holidays, PP children also receive supermarket vouchers, to help with the cost of food shopping. Free places at our holiday club are also offered to children on free school meals.

Check if your child is eligible/apply here: [Pupil Premium](#)

### Awesome Postcard

Sienna will receive a postcard in the mail from Mrs Hamilton-Thorpe this week for always being ready for learn, always paying attention in every lesson, with every teacher! Keep up the fantastic work, Sienna!



# Autumn Term Dates For Your Diary

<u>When</u>	<u>Event/Notice</u>	<u>Action</u>
Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> September 2025	Inset day	School is closed to pupils.
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> September	Y6 crime & punishment workshop	In school.
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> September	Y2 Manchester Runway trip	More info to follow.
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> September	Open Day	For the Reception 2026 class. 9:15am.
Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> October	Y3 Outdoor Elements trip	More info to follow.
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> October	Y1 & Y2 Witches & Wizards week	More info to follow.
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> October	Y4 Beacon Fell trip	Please pay on ParentPay.
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> October	Y5 Jodrell Bank trip	Set off from school at 8:15am.
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> October	Fire Safety Talks	Y2 & Y6. In school.
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October	Non uniform day	Halloween themed! £1 donation (ParentPay).
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October	KS2 Bonfire Night safety talk	In school with Lancashire Police.
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October	Break up for half term.	School closes at 3:20pm.
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	Inset day	School closed.
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> November	Inset day	School is closed to pupils.
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> November	School re-opens	School open for Autumn 2.
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> November	Whole school flu immunisations	Electronic form to be completed. Info to follow.
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	Y6 residential trip	Robinwood, Todmorden.
Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> November	Y1 trip to Gawthorpe Hall	A Victorian Christmas experience.
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> November	Reception trip - Christmas panto	The Grand, Clitheroe. More info to follow.
Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	KS1 trip - Christmas panto	The Grand, Clitheroe. More info to follow.
Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> December	KS2 trip - Christmas panto	The Grand, Clitheroe. More info to follow.
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Break up for the Christmas holidays	School closes at 2pm.
More dates and events to be added!		