



Edge Hill Academy

Believe and Achieve, Shine Everyday
~ Community Newsletter ~



Friday 29th September 2023

What's happening at your school... Read on...

Dear families,

It's been a great few weeks in school. Mr Carvell's class recently had a parent lunch which was very successful - I hope you enjoyed it Chestnut parents! Following this, our first Parent Workshop took place this week. It was great to see so many parents in school joining in with the learning. We have shared lots of images of learning on Facebook over the past few weeks so please join us if you haven't already:

<https://www.facebook.com/EdgeHillAcademy>

Over the next few weeks, we have lots of competitive sporting events so good luck to all of our teams! Have a great weekend, Mr Russell

WOW Learners:

22nd September

Ash: Tilly W

Elm: Tia S

Oak: Charlie W

Elder: Scarlett P

Holly: Evie H

Maple: Ava K

Aspen: Alfie F

Cedar: Logan W

Rowan: Haydn-Lee H

Sycamore: Jess W

Chestnut: Emelia B

Willow: Poppy P



29th September

Ash: Freddie H

Elm: Kianah K

Oak: Eddie W

Elder: Neve H

Holly: Ellie D

Maple: Alana B

Aspen: Lydia D

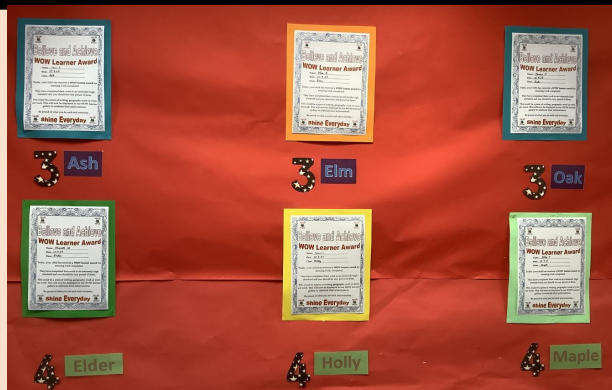
Cedar: Alex R

Rowan: Karina B

Sycamore: Daniel S

Chestnut: Isabelle F

Willow: George O



Our WOW Learner Gallery for celebration of outstanding learning

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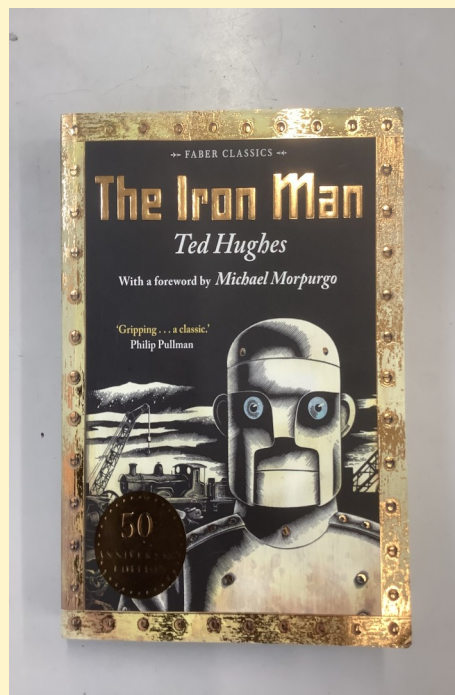
Welcome back Parent Workshops!

This week, we had our first parent workshop in school since before Covid. Parents were invited into Year 3 Ash to share a reading session based on *The Iron Man* by Ted Hughes.

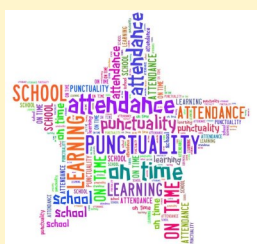
Lots of parents turned up, which was great, and they shared the learning based on phonics, reading fluency and also engaging in book talk.

Thank you to the large amount of parents who attended and provided us with some feedback. Next time, we might need a bigger space to cater for all the adults and children. It was a busy one!

Well done Ash and Ms Sangster.



Attendance so far (up to 29.9.23):

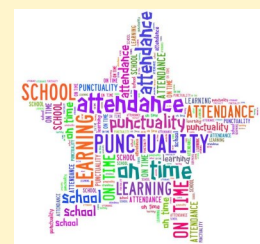


Year 3: 97.1%

Year 4: 96.2%

Year 5: 96.4%

Year 6: 96%



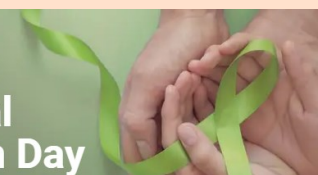
OVERALL: 96.4%
(TARGET: 96%)

Best attending class so far: Chestnut: 98.5%

World Mental Health Day

World Mental Health Day is on Tuesday 10th October this year. As a school, we will be looking to mark this event by asking children to share in a, 'Come as you please day' wearing any items of clothing they would like. Children will need to bring £1, which will be donated to 'The Mental Health Foundation.' We will also be selling cakes, key rings and bracelets on the day to support this event (prices to follow).

**World
Mental
Health Day**



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WALK TO SCHOOL

October is Walk to school month. Let's see if you can walk to school on some occasions to support fitness and also help our environment - GO FOR IT!

October is **Walk** **INTO** school **MONTH**

Get involved and get active by pledging to walk to school at least once a week throughout October.

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Walking to school is great for your mental and physical health and also helps the environment!



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Pose for a picture



This half term, Year 3 have been working on textile cushions and applique sewing.

They have followed a design and used various materials to create their cushions.



Year 4 have been working hard on their maths again this week. They have been looking at rounding.

The year 4 children have found this unit really straight forward. Well done all!



Pose for a picture



Our year 5 children have been working on a unit in music called Samba and carnival sounds. They were using instruments to create sounds using drums and other percussion instruments.

Year 5's Indoor P.E unit this term is Dodgeball. This is a big favourite with lots of our children at Edge Hill.



Another year 4 class completing their work on Animation in computing.

Year 4 working on their art unit linked to Storytelling through Drawing. Looks great!



Clubs, Clubs, Clubs...



This looks great! It's our after school Zorbing club which takes place in the hall.

We are lucky to be working with Entrust Music Services to support extra music. Here are some of our saxophonists.



Our after school club is an extension of our school day to support our working parents. Children do love this.

Lego Club! Some of our keen lego builders, building something awesome! 'Everything is awesome, everything is cool when you're part of a team...'

