



Edge Hill Academy

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~ Community Newsletter ~



Monday 21st September 2026

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

Welcome to Week Four!

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we begin our fourth week in school, it has been wonderful to see how well our Year 3 children have settled into life at Edge Hill. We are incredibly proud of them and how positively they have embraced their new school.

Once our Arbor consent information is fully up to date, we look forward to sharing lots more photographs with you, celebrating all things Edge Hill and giving you a glimpse of the fantastic things happening across school.

Have a wonderful week from us all at Edge Hill Academy!

Medical Appointments

Where possible, please arrange routine medical and dental appointments outside of school hours.

If an appointment during the school day is unavoidable, children should attend school before and/or after the appointment wherever possible.

The school may ask for reasonable evidence of the appointment, such as an appointment letter, card or confirmation message, to help us record attendance accurately.

Thank you for your continued support with attendance.

Attendance so far (up to 18.9.26):

Year 3: 98.6%

Year 4: 97.5%

Year 5: 95.9%

Year 6: 98.1%

OVERALL: 99.5%

**Best attending class so far
OAK 99.5%!**

Important: Arbor Consents

Thank you for your continued support in keeping your child's information up to date on Arbor.

If you haven't already done so, please log into Arbor and complete your child's consent information for 2026/27.

As the consent information has been updated for this academic year, any consent choices from previous school years are now void. This applies to all pupils in all year groups.

- ⇒ Log into Arbor
- ⇒ Review and complete all consent information
- ⇒ Please respond to each consent, even if your answer is no

Once completed, your consent choices will remain in place for the duration of your child's time at Edge Hill Academy, unless you choose to update them.

If you need any support completing the consents, please ask.

Thank you for helping us keep our records accurate and up to date.

Coloured PE Tops Now Available!

Our coloured PE tops are available to purchase from the school office for £6.50.

Water Bottles

We have noticed that a large number of children are coming to school without a water bottle.

Please help us to keep children hydrated throughout the school day by ensuring that your child brings a named water bottle to school every day.

Lost Property: Our lost property is growing! Please ensure all jumpers, cardigans and other uniform items are clearly named so we can quickly return them to their owner.

SCHOOL FOOTBALL KIT:

Please bring any kit back if at home.

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Forest School (Parents invited into the Forest on a Friday)

Oak (Ms. Holling and Ms. Caulton): w/c 28th September
Ash (Mr. Bradshaw): w/c 5th October
Elm (Ms. Walker): w/c 12th October
Holly (Ms. Ms. Crampton): w/c 19th October
Elder (Ms. Wilkinson): w/c 2nd November
Maple (Ms. Robinson / Ms O'Neill): w/c 9th November
Rowan (Ms. Hudson): w/c 23rd November
Cedar (Ms. Gibson/Ms Collyer): w/c 30th November
Aspen (Ms. Grimley): w/c 7th December

Swimming

Rowan (Ms. O'Connor): Friday 18th September – Friday 11th December (every Friday)

Flu Vaccination

Friday 25th September (NHS Consent required via link)

Parents' Lunch

Oak (Ms. Holling and Ms. Caulton): Wednesday 14th October
Ash (Mr Bradshaw): Wednesday 11th November
Elder (Ms. Hudson): Wednesday 2nd December

Parent Workshops

Friday 11th December– Year 3 Sewing
Wednesday 16th December– Year 4 – DT workshop
Tuesday 2nd March pm – Cedar
Friday 5th March pm - Aspen and Rowan
Monday 9th November - 1.30pm - Chestnut
Tuesday 10th November - 1.30pm - Sycamore
Wednesday 11th November - 1.30pm - Willow

Tempest Photography

Thursday 15th October

Parents' Evening

Tuesday 20th and Thursday 22nd October (3:40pm – 6:30pm)

Dress up lunch

Thursday 22nd October

Wear what you want for Mrs Yates

Friday 23rd October

End of half-term

Friday 23rd October



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Term starts

Monday 2nd November

Year 5 Trip – Fire Station

Monday 2nd November

Remembrance Day

Tuesday 10th November – Children can come dressed in uniform i.e. Cubs, scouts etc

Children in Need

Friday 13th November

Anti-bullying week

w/c Monday 16th November

Cake and Coffee

Year 3/4 – Friday 20th November at 9:00am

PTA Discos – 5:30pm – 6:45pm

Year 3/4 – Thursday 26th November

Year 5/6 – Thursday 3rd December

Wear Anything Day

Friday 11th December

PTA Christmas Chocolate Bingo

Tuesday 15th December

Christmas Dinner

Wednesday 16th December

Christmas Jumper Days

Thursday 17th December and Friday 18th December

Class Christmas Parties

w/c 14th December

Party Food Dinner

Friday 18th December

End of Autumn term

Friday 18th December

All events are also listed on the school website: <https://www.edgehill.fierte.org/>

Please be aware that dates are added over the course of the term / year so please look at our website / Newsletter and also individual letters for further information.



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Lunch Clubs - Autumn term



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Staff X-curricular Clubs 2026-27



Staff clubs - Autumn term

Club name	Year group	Term / day / time	Staff lead
Drum Club	Yr 5/6	Mondays at 12pm	Ms Collyer and Ms O'Neill (Hall)
Chess	All	Monday at 12pm	Ms Grimley (in her room)
Debate Club	All	Mondays at 12pm	Ms Barnard (in her room)
Choir	All	Tuesdays at 12pm	Ms O'Connor and Ms Collyer (in Ms O'Connor's room)
School Council	Selected	Tuesdays at 12pm	Ms Grimley (in her room)
Crochet Club	All	Thursdays at 12pm	Ms Barnard (in her room)
Theatre Club	All	Fridays at 12pm	Ms Butler (in her room)
Yr 6 Production	Yr 6	Mondays After school TBC	Ms Foster / Ms Lloyd (Hall)

After School Clubs - Autumn term (external providers)

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Autumn 1 After School Clubs 2026-27

Monday BACT - Cricket	Tuesday Everybody Dance - Joanna's Dance Awesome Artists- Inclusive Kids Clubs	Wednesday Mark Tolley - Rugby Yr3 - tag/touch rugby Yr4-6 - contact rugby BACT - Basketball	Thursday SH Active - Glow Football Stop Motion Masters- Inclusive Kids Clubs	Friday SH Active - Glow Football
14 th September	15 th	16 th	17 th	18 th
21 st	22 nd	23 rd	24 th	25 th
28 th	29 th	30 th	1 st October	2 nd
5 th	6 th	7 th	8 th	9 th
12 th	13 th	14 th	15 th	16 th
19 th	No club - Parents' Evening	21 st	No club - Parents' Evening	23 rd

*Sign up details to follow on Arbor

Opportunity



Environmental
Education
Project

at Rosliston Forestry Centre



Family Fun

Science Discovery Day

Saturday 17th October 11am-3pm

Muldy & Marvellous



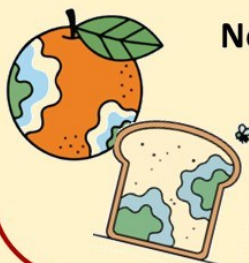
Join the Environmental Education Project Team for a mixture of simple, fun experiments & exhibits. Experiments and activities on the theme of food, and preventing food waste.

See the Observatory and learn about Birds of prey too!

No booking, drop in during the event.

FREE event. Suitable for all ages

Donations welcomed for experiments and the repair café.



Discover astronomy & visit the Observatory with Rosliston Astronomy Group.



REPAIR CAFE 11-2pm

Bring your broken stuff to be repaired by Circularity's Repair Café.



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Display of birds

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