



Egloskerry School

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* **Egloskerry School Website:** *
* www.egloskerry.cornwall.sch.uk: You can also *
* view the newsletter on our website; please check *
* every week for more information and updates. *
* This week: vacancies on our Local Governing *
* Body, The Giving Machine, the Aspens app and a *
* job vacancy, half term cricket sessions, Forest *
* School info, the Health Box & the Disclaimer. *

Roman Activity Week & Community Event:
This year's Activity Week will start on *Monday 2nd July* and will be linked to our 'Romans' topic. On the final day, *Friday 6th July*, we are having a special 'Roman' Community Celebration Day and all parents/carers and family are invited.
So you can make arrangements, you are welcome into school from 12pm to 'feast' with us and then join us for Roman battles, explore the Roman market place and immerse yourself in the creative arts and performance of the time more details to follow after half term, including the arrangements for the picnic.

Please can all parents/carers help care for our school grounds and safety of pupils and little siblings on-site by reminding their children to:

- Respect our beautiful oak tree - low branches shouldn't be pulled
- Respect our stone wall along the path - no climbing along it; it breaks it up
- Remember that we shouldn't climb on the metal railings - this is dangerous
- Remember that the play tower is for Egloskerry pupils only and not in use before/after school
- Use the pedestrian gate to get in/out of the school grounds on foot (not the vehicle access entrance) and then walk through the playground to get into the school building/reception

Many thanks for your support and cooperation - Mrs Kerr

Internet Safety Talk for parents/carers

Please remember to send in this slip for our Internet Safety Talk for parents/carers this term. Thank you. Due to the importance of this for all ages, our aim and expectation is that one representative from each of our families attends. So we can achieve this, please can you circle the days and times that would suit you best and we will set a date and time:

Monday	9am	3.30pm	6pm	7pm
Tuesday	9am	3.30pm	6pm	7pm
Wednesday	9am	3.30pm	6pm	7pm
Thursday	9am	3.30pm	6pm	7pm
Friday	9am	3.30pm	6pm	7pm

Many thanks

Name of child(ren): _____ Class(es): _____

Would you please ensure your child has Forest School clothes each Monday:
Wellies/boots, long sleeved/warm tops and jumpers, long and warm trousers/jogging bottoms, gloves. These should be old/outdoor clothes as they will get muddy! For YR to Y2 there are some wellies in school that children can wear if this helps. However most children do like to bring their own. Please name everything where possible, and long hair must be tied back.
Could children in Class R please come to school in their Forest School clothes, with their wellies in a bag—no need to bring uniform. Thank you.

We have some vacancies coming up in September on our Local Governing Body, and would like to hear from parents/carers who are interested in finding out more.
The LGB works under the Multi Academy Trust Board, so its remit is focussed on our children and their learning and progress.
If you would like to express an interest, please send in written details (your name, contact details and any areas you are interested in such as Early Years, maths, science, literacy, PE, finance, etc) and we will give you information about what is involved. We look forward to hearing from you as soon as possible. Thank you for your support of Egloskerry School.

A reminder from our cricket coach, Mr Brenden Worth:
There are junior cricket sessions available at Werrington Cricket Club:
Fridays from 6.45pm, Ages 4+
** Qualified coaches ** Fun, games and skills ** Competitive matches **
** Food available **

Aspens Catering Assistant Vacancy: Aspens Catering Services are looking for a Catering Assistant for Egloskerry Primary School. This is a great opportunity to work within a small team, providing a high quality catering service. We are looking for a flexible, confident person with a friendly personality and exceptional customer service skills, basic food preparation experience and a 'can do' attitude. Reporting to the Catering manager of Egloskerry, general duties include basic food preparation in line with our menu and recipes, health & safety compliance, cleaning duties, setting up the hall and serving from the counter. Catering experience is preferred and full training will be given. All offers will be subject to two references provided, a successful DBS clearance and a Right to work in the UK check. Start date - 12th March 2018
Term time only - Monday to Friday, 7.5 contract hours (1.5 hours per day), Hourly rate - £7.50
For further information - please call Tracy Sargent on 07711485217

Cornwall Cricket - Half Term Holiday Camps at the Cornwall Cricket Centre, Truro

Cornwall Cricket Board will be running holiday camps over the half term holidays.

There will be a softball camp aimed at 5 - 8 yr olds running on Wednesday, 30 May & Friday 1 June, and hardball camps aimed at 9 - 13 yr olds that have played hardball cricket running on Tuesday, 29 May & Thursday 31st May, both camps running from 10am-4pm.

All the coaches employed on the Cornwall Cricket Camps hold the Level 2 coaching qualification, DBS vetting check, First Aid and Safeguarding Child Protection certificate.

Softball camp £15 per day or 2 days for £20, Hardball camp £25 per day or 2 days for £40

Places need to be booked in advance. For further details and to book, visit:

cornwallcricket.co.uk/youth/holiday-camps/

The Giving Machine: please help us to fundraise by joining The Giving Machine (free to join). It takes just two minutes to register, and parents and staff who shop online at the huge selection of shopping sites earn commission for the school. The company only supports charities and schools, and are members of the Institute of Fundraising and the Fundraising Standards Board. Please log onto: thegivingmachine.co.uk, click on "Join our Giving Community" and follow the instructions. Please remember our school each time you shop online—thank you.

Please see the information on our website about Aspens Services' new app, which will enable you to see the lunch menu with just a couple of presses on your smartphone. Egloskerry's unique **PIN number is: 18305882**, and the link is: aspens-services.co.uk/schools/egloskerry-cp-school/ You can search for the app at the App Store or Google Play, install, add the unique PIN number, and you will be able to view the menu, get in touch with Aspens, provide feedback and find out more about their services. The app shows **the current menu**.

Health Box: We have children attending the school who are prone to picking up infections more easily, so we thought it may be a good idea to include a health box in our weekly newsletter. We would ask if parents could please inform the school of any infections, viruses or diarrhoea and vomiting that your child may have, as you usually do. Could you please also inform us of any of the above which your children may have been in contact with recently without showing any symptoms, so that we are all aware. Please remember that all children should be at home for 48 hours following sickness or diarrhoea. Thank you.

A note regarding Hearing and Vision Tests: It is very important to ensure your child does not have any problems with their hearing or vision. Screening is carried out in school, by the NHS, for Reception age children, but do please get in touch with your doctor or the School Nurse if you would like tests done at any other time. To contact the Nurse, phone 01288 320152. For vision tests, please contact your local optician, as tests are carried out free of charge for children. If you would like a referral to the School Nurse, please ask at the school office.

Headlice: if necessary, please see the information on our website about the treatment of headlice.

Medicines/Cough Sweets etc: please could *all* medicines, cough sweets, antiseptic creams etc be brought to the office, labelled with the child's name. We can administer medicines during the school day; we just need your instructions (a form is available to complete). Any medication kept in a bookbag or rucsac during the day could be picked up by another child, who might be allergic to it. Your child is also welcome to come to the office at break times to take a cough sweet etc. Thank you.

"Signposting" information to parents—Disclaimer: All providers have confirmed that they hold all necessary accreditation, qualifications and insurance to organise and run the events and activities described. No duly appointed officer of Cornwall Council has inspected these services and parents must make their own enquiries and satisfy themselves as to the suitability of the providers before engaging their services. In all the circumstances, neither the school nor One Cornwall will accept any liability arising out of those events.