



Egloskerry Primary School Newsletter

Autumn Term 2019 - Thursday 14th November

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Important Dates:

- Fri 15 Nov: Children in Need—details below
- Thur 21 Nov: Paralympic Athlete sponsorship event—please see letter sent home today
- RSC Taming of the Shrew screening in school, Y1-Y6 (details overleaf)
- Mon 2 Dec: Christmas Tree Festival at Tre Pol & Pen Farm Shop (details overleaf)
- Tue 10 Dec: Bag2School collection
- Weds 11 Dec 1.30-3pm: Christmas Play (Matinee)
- Weds 11 & Thurs 12 Dec 6-7.30pm: Christmas Play (evening performances)
- Weds 18 December: School Christmas Lunch (one parent/carer of pupils in Y6 also invited) - details to follow
- Thurs 19 December: Christmas Party day and Santa visit! (last day of term)
- Fri 20 December: INSET day (3 of 5)
- Mon 6 January: Spring term starts

If any children in Class 2 or Class 3 are unable to ride a bike and would like to learn, there is availability and funding for a free 1:1 session for each child, which will take place at school. If your child is interested and has a bike and helmet, please let Mrs Jewell or Mrs Hester know.

Notes & Reminders:

- The last KS2 swimming session is on Monday 28th November.
- Don't forget Children in Need tomorrow, 15th November—PE kit plus something spotty! Children will take part in a Joe Wicks workout. Please send in £1 donation. Thank you very much.
- We will be holding a Bag2School collection of good condition used clothes etc on **Tuesday 10th December** in aid of school funds. We will shortly send home a bag for your collection items.
- If any parent/carer would be willing to volunteer to hear readers in Class 1 (YR—Y2), could they please let the office staff know. We arrange for DBS checks for all volunteers. Thank you very much.

FOEPS Grand Christmas Prize Draw!

Members of FOEPS would be very grateful if you could please bring in donations for the Christmas draw—Christmassy goods: biscuits, crackers, wine, food, beauty items, etc. The draw, for some wonderful Christmas hampers, will take place at the last Christmas play performance, and tickets will be on sale soon.

Save the Date:

- FOEPS Bingo Night - Friday 31st January 2020 (time TBC)
- FOEPS Summer Fete & Sports Day - Wednesday 20th May 2020 (afternoon into tea time)

Christmas Performances 2019—Shrek

Our **Christmas play performances** are taking place in school on:

- Wednesday 11th December—matinee and evening
- Thursday 12th December—evening

Ticket sales are going well—if you have ordered tickets, please also send in your payment so that they can be allocated. Please **email** your request to: **enquiries@egloskerry.net**—four tickets per family in the first instance (including extended family).

Matinee tickets are **free** for all children (but please still request a ticket when you email).


If there are more tickets available, we will invite you to request a maximum of a further two per family. These tickets will be allocated on a first come, first served basis, and you will be asked for payment if your request is successful. Watch this space!


Babies will not require their own seat if they sit on your lap, but tickets are needed for toddlers please. We request that all young children are brought to the matinee performance only. Thank you.

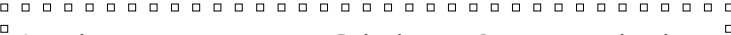
Treble Recorder Bake Sale:

thank you very much to everyone who supported this event—there were lots of delicious cakes for the children (and staff) to buy! So far we have raised a total of £128 to buy our treble recorders. Thank you, Tilly, Mariam and Kyle


Royal Shakespeare Company Screening: The Taming of the Shrew
 The RSC have offered a free screening for schools of their performance of The Taming of the Shrew. The performance is taking place in the RSC Theatre in Stratford Upon Avon, with the screening taking place in school on Wednesday 27th November during school time.
 This performance is suitable for all children from Year 1 to Year 6.
 Following the opportunities offered by the RSC, this is a very exciting event for our children to view on our new hall widescreen television!


Tre Pol Pen Christmas Tree Festival
 We have the opportunity to go to the Tre Pol & Pen Farm Shop near Launceston on 2nd December to decorate a Christmas Tree! There will be a number of trees (donated by the farm shop) decorated by local schools, and farm shop customers will be invited to make a donation. All funds received will be shared amongst the schools.
 Some Egloskerry children will be making the decorations, and then going to the farm shop on Monday 2nd December, with members of our staff, to decorate our tree.
 Nearer the time, parents/carers of the children who are participating will receive a letter with full details.


Prince's Teaching Institute (PTI) Leadership Mark - Following on from Mrs Kerr's PTI course, we are pleased to inform you that our school has been awarded the PTI Leadership Programme Mark for 2019.
 The PTI academic co-ordinator commented in particular on the strength of our collaboration and the impact on teacher confidence that we have demonstrated. This has been based on the setting up of a PTI South West Hub for schools (17 are now involved) focusing on delivering high quality, knowledge based, subject specific training for teachers in our region; facilitating collaboration and sharing of best practice.


Lunchtime Supervisor - Egloskerry Primary School
 Egloskerry Primary School are looking for a lunchtime supervisor to work for 6.25 hours per week, Monday to Friday from 11:55am to 1:10pm. Living wage, £9 per hour.
Main Purpose of Job: to assist and supervise individuals and groups of students during the lunch break, encouraging responsible and appropriate behaviour, activities and play ensuring the safety of pupils.
 If you share our vision and would like to join us on our journey, we would like to hear from you.
For further information about the school please visit <https://www.egloskerry.cornwall.sch.uk/website>
To apply please submit the following completed documents to the recruitment email address on www.launceston-college.sch.uk/vacancies/
 If you require an alternative format, you can contact Launceston College on 01566 772 468.
Closing date: Friday 22nd November, 2019 9am
Shortlisting date: Friday 22nd November, 2019
Proposed interview date: Thursday 28th November, 2019
 Egloskerry School is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff to share this commitment. This post is subject to an enhanced DBS check.
 Launceston College MAT is an equal opportunities employer.


 To support arranging family time and potential holidays, here are our INSET dates up to 2022 (also on our Website under Term Dates):
2020/21:
 Thursday 3rd September 2020
 Friday 4th September 2020
 Monday 2nd November 2020
 Monday 4th January 2021
 Fri 23rd July 2021
2021/2022:
 Monday 6th September 2021
 Monday 1st November 2020
 Tuesday 4th January 2022
 Monday 25th July 2022
 Tuesday 26th July 2022