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Friday 10th July 2026

Happy Friday!

I can't believe that we only have one week left of this school year. Where did the time go? It has been our absolute privilege to help your children learn and grow this year. We couldn't wish for more amazing children or more supportive families. It has been a truly terrific school year!

For children who are leaving us for primary school, we wish you every happiness and success for the future. We will miss you and all of the parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles who have been part of the journey. Stay in touch and remember that you are always part of our EPR family.

To our returning children and families, have a wonderful summer break and we look forward to doing it all again in September!

Next week is a busy one, so please keep up to date with changes to times and normal routines:

Learning Journals

If your child is leaving us for primary school, you can now download their learning journal as a PDF file by logging into your account and requesting a download. Learning Journals will be available until 31st August for parents to view, add comments and download. After this point, you will no longer be able to log in.

If your child is returning to us, you do not need to download their learning journal as your login will remain active for another school year.

Sun Safety

- Children need a sun hat that can be kept in school for outdoor play. Please label this clearly with their name.
- Please apply sun cream before school, ensuring that exposed areas are well covered – ears, neck, arms, legs.
- We use hypoallergenic children's sun cream. If your child requires their own sun cream because of sensitivity or allergies, please ensure that this is sent into school and inform your child's class teacher.

Graduation 2026 - Thursday 16th July

We are looking forward to celebrating the children's graduation next week. Graduation is an outdoor event and we are hoping for beautiful weather.

On Graduation Day, children attend school only for their class Graduation as follows:

Rowan: 8:30am – 9:45am
Birch: 10:15am -11:30am
Hazel: 12:15pm -1:30pm

Spaces are limited places to an absolute maximum of 4 per family.

School Library Books

Please return any overdue books to our school library.



Construction Work

Please be extra vigilant for large machinery, lorries and tractors when crossing in front of our car park gates.

Spare Clothes

If your child is leaving us at the end of the year, we would be happy to receive donations of uniform for next year. Thank you.

Arrangements for September 2026

- Children return to school on **Tuesday 1st September**.
- Returning children will come back to the same class as this year.
- There will be a minor change to the timings of the school day.
- School will start at 8:30am
- School will finish at 3:15pm (doors open at 3:00pm)
- There will still be an early pick up time at 2:30pm by request.

For the first week, children attend for **mornings only** to get back into the swing of things. Children should arrive at 8:30am and be collected by 11:30am (doors open at 11:20am).

The following week (from Monday 7th September), children resume full hours and breakfast, lunch and afterschool club will be re-open.

Meet the Teacher

We would like to invite parents along on **Wednesday 2nd September at 9:00am** for a 'Meet the Teacher' Stay and Play session. This is a lovely opportunity to meet the staff who will be working with your child. There will be some staffing changes in September and I will write to all returning parents next week to inform you of these changes.

Dates for your Diary

Thursday 16 th July	Graduation Day for Rowan, Birch and Hazel (times below) Rowan: 8:30am – 9:45am Birch: 10:15am -11:30am Hazel: 12:15pm -1:30pm ▪ No Breakfast Club ▪ No Lunch Club ▪ No Afterschool Club
Friday 17 th July	All children attend school 8:15am – 11:00am ▪ No Breakfast Club ▪ No Lunch Club ▪ No Afterschool Club
Tuesday 1 st September	Start of new school year for returning children

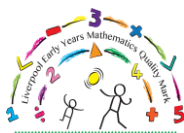
Once again, it has been our great privilege to be part of your child's life, helping them to thrive and succeed.

Wishing you all a glorious summer break.

With warmest wishes,

Craig

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