

Ukraine Appeal

As you will all be aware, the war in Ukraine is currently escalating, destruction is worsening and casualties are rising. Efforts are under way around the world to help the country's population. At Summerseat and with our Epworth family of schools our mantra is, 'Do all you can' and in line with our values of 'love and 'care' we of course wanted to help.

On Wednesday 9th March, we will be asking children to come into school in the colours of the Ukrainian flag: yellow and blue. If you would like to make a monetary donation, we will have collection tubs at drop off and collection. Any monies raised will be sent through the British Red Cross to the DEC Ukraine Appeal. The DEC is the Disasters emergency committee which unites 15 member charities who are experts in humanitarian and aid and specialists in different areas of disaster response. The money will be used to reach people in urgent need in Ukraine including:

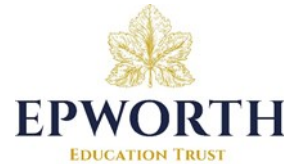
- providing food, first aid, clean water, shelter support, warm clothing, hygiene parcels and medicines.
- Supporting hospitals and healthcare facilities.
- Supporting fire fighters and civil protection units.
- Training people up in life-saving first aid.
- Helping families stay in contact with each other.
- Educating people on the risks of explosives.
- Repairing vital infrastructure.
- Helping to repair homes, healthcare centres, schools and community centres.

Ukrainian government and humanitarian organisations on the ground have suggested that monetary donations are the best way to support at present. On that day, we will speak with the children about it in an age appropriate way. Thank you for your support with this.



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Award Winners

Who has been shining this week at Summerseat?	
Class 1	Shine Award: Charlie
Class 2	Value Award: Eleanor R
Class 3	Shine Award: Mia Values Award: Charlie
Class 4	Shine Award: All of Year 6 Values Award: Thomas

Dates for your Diary—for dates further ahead, please visit the calendar on the school website..

School Calendar

Weds 9th March	Ukraine Appeal Non-Uniform Day
Thurs 17th March	Friends: Wear green for St Patrick's day.
Fri 18th March	Red Nose Day: Wear red & bring a £1 donation.
Tues 22nd March	Class Photos.
Tues 29th March	Class 3 Stone Age Experience—Anderton Centre
Weds 30th March	Class 2 visit to Skipton Castle
Fri 1st April	Last Day of Term. Class 3 final swimming session
Tues 19th April	First Day of Summer Term.

Parent Meetings 29th / 30th March

The booking system will be open for you to make parent evening appointments from Monday morning. Following parental feedback and the removal of Covid restrictions we are offering a blended approach to parents meetings with either face-to-face or telephone appointments available depending on your preference. On Tuesday 29th there is the option of either in school or telephone (please indicate in the notes if you would prefer a phone call rather than a meeting). Wednesday 30th all appointments are telephone only. It will be a good opportunity to share the progress your child has made over the spring term. If you attending in person please report to the main School Office. Wherever possible parents / carers should attend without children, as there will be no staff available to supervise pupils.

Attendance

Attendance	Grade Indicator
Above 96.1%	High
96% - 95.1%	Above Average
95% - 94%	Average
Below 94%	Low

Every Day Counts!

Please see below your child's year group attendance and how this compares with the expectations above.

Class 1	100%
Class 2	97%
Class 3	98%
Class 4	96.3%

This week's results:
Our attendance trophy this week goes to ...
Class 1