



Chilton Primary School – Newsletter 12 – Friday 26th March
One Childhood, One Chance

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Dear Parents and Carers,

The children continue to settle extremely well in to their learning and the last three weeks have flown past. We know that the transition back to school hasn't always been easy, especially with a winter lockdown keeping us all inside. The children really have been courageous and resilient. We know that we need to continue to give children opportunities to re-build their friendships, social skills and have time to explore and play and so across Term 5 and 6 that will be our focus alongside keeping those fundamental skills in English and Maths progressing.

Unfortunately, like an increasing number of other local schools, we have had two bubbles close due to positive cases. But I wanted to reassure you that cases are being picked up on routine lateral flow tests first. That means we avoid asymptomatic individuals coming in to school. With early detection on lateral flow tests, the risk of transmission within the school is reduced. It seems that bubble closure is a fact of school life now but that does not lessen our continued focus on hygiene and Covid safe procedures at school. These cases also do serve as a reminder that Covid is still very much with us and whilst vaccinations are on the rise, we must all still observe social distancing, government restrictions and the safety protocols across the school site.

I have also been asked by the Traffic Enforcement Officer to remind parents that it is not permitted and highly dangerous to park on the yellow zig zag markings in Chilton Lane. Doing so puts children at risk and makes Mr Finch's job in helping children across the road very difficult.

Next Thursday, the children have some Easter celebrations and they are invited to make an Easter bonnet to bring in to school with them that day. Thursday 1st April is the last day of this term and we are finishing at our usual staggered times (between 3:00 and 3:20). We return on Monday 19th April.

Also just another reminder that we do not have any further development days in this academic year (term dates included below).

Finally, we really enjoyed the fun that Crazy Hair Day brought to the school last Friday for Comic Relief. Thank you very much for your donations and the amazing hair. We raised over £350 for the charity.



Best wishes

Mrs Kate Law

Head of School

Fred's Demelza's Miles in May Challenge!

Freddie in Year 1 has recently learned to ride his bike without stabilisers and has decided to undertake Demelza's Miles in May challenge. The charity is close to his heart and important to his family. During May, he will cycle 37 miles to raise as much money as he can towards their £37,000 target (the annual salary of Demelza specialist children's nurse).

He cycled 8 miles last weekend from Reculver to Herne Bay and back to practice, and he is very determined to not only complete 37 miles in May, but do even more!

This is the link to his story and fundraising page:

https://givepenny.com/hayleyborowiec_miles_in_may_cycle

Freddie's mum says "He's very proud that he is able to contribute to helping the charity that literally holds our family together at times, so anything you guys are able to suggest that could help spread his story a little bit would be fantastic!"

The Good News Section

House Points – half way through the competition:

Romans	2172
Saxons	2004
Normans	2007
Vikings	2404

Chilton Hero Awards:

Friday 19th March

Super Star of the Week = Chloe Hougham
Super Star Team of the Week = Team Peacock

Friday 26th March

Super Star of the Week = Tamyia Skelsey
Super Star Team of the Week = Team Ultramarine

TERM DATES:

- Term 4 ends on Thursday 1st April at the usual staggered times.
Easter Holidays - 2nd – 18th April
 - Term 5 begins on Monday 19th April
 - Bank Holiday – Monday 3rd May
 - Term 5 ends on Friday 28th May



Half Term – 29th May – 6th June

- Term 6 begins Monday 7th June
- *Please note, we do not have a development day in Term 6 as we took this in December instead.*
- Term 6 ends Wednesday 21st July at 2pm

2021 – 2022 TERM DATES

Development Day: Wednesday 1st September

Term 1 begins for children – Thursday 2nd September

Term 1 ends – Friday 22nd October

Half Term 23rd – 31st October

Development Day – Monday 1st November

Term 2 begins for children - Tuesday 2nd November

Term 2 ends – Friday 17th December

Christmas Holidays – 18th December to 3rd January

Development Day – Tuesday 4th January 2022

Term 3 begins for children – Wednesday 5th January 2022

Term 3 ends – Friday 11th February 2022

Half Term – 12th – 20th February 2022

Development Day - Monday 21st February 2022

Term 4 begins for children – Tuesday 22nd February 2022

Term 4 ends - Friday 1st April 2022

Easter Holidays 2nd – 18th April 2022

Term 5 begins – Tuesday 19th April 2022

Bank Holiday Monday - 2nd May 2022

Term 5 ends – Friday 27th May 2022

Half Term – 28th May – 5th June 2022

Development Day - Monday 6th June 2022

Term 6 begins for Children – Tuesday 7th June 2022

Term 6 ends – Friday 22nd July 2022

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