

Chisenhale Chatter

Chisenhale Primary School Bow



Learning Together for a Better Future

14/9/18

It was great to see our new Reception children settling in beautifully this week. We have 11 children new to the school in Reception and 34 from Nursery moving up.

Key Stage 1 left the building in 'bearskin' hats armed with instruments they had made to be a marching band in the park on Monday and we had our first Golden Book' assembly.

All of Years 3 & 4 went off to the Tower of London on Wednesday and it was great to hear comments like 'the children were so interested', 'never seen children so engrossed and excited about history', and from the public 'just have to say how well behaved these children have been'.

Miranda had her last day and I will let you know when her baby arrives, and I'm ashamed to say I forgot to mention last week that Ms Houston had a beautiful baby boy -congratulations!

One of our priorities this year is to improve the physical development of the children here at Chisenhale. We have new sports coaches three afternoons a week, and Mr Leser has planned the structure of PE lessons across the year so that skills are practised with the view to some in-school as well as inter-school competitions. Please can we ask that children have appropriate PE kits in school, (if they don't we will ask them to wear a school one), this includes trainers/plimsolls, shorts/joggers and a white t-shirt, (not football shirt). Also, children should have long hair tied back and wear only stud earrings for school and from Year 3 be able to remove them and put them back in. In Key Stage 1 we will tape the stud earrings for safety.

Sharon Taylor-Sezgin, Headteacher

Upper Key Stage 2 had their first bench ball practice this morning at 9am and they were brilliant! Good sportsmanship and teamwork and many thanks to parents for sending the children to school in their PE kits. It was a brilliant way to start the day!

Please make sure you have downloaded our school app and that you are receiving an emailed copy of the newsletter. To download the free app you need to search for the Schudio app on your device. Once it is installed it will ask for your location and then give you a choice of schools. Click on Chisenhale. Our upcoming events and term dates are now listed on the calendar. On the app it is on the left-hand side and you need to click on the circled dates to see events on that day. New messages and reminders will be under the messages/notifications tab.

Try Time Kids Rugby invites you and your children to a fun and engaging rugby session on Wednesday 27th September @3:30pm at school. see emailed leaflet.

We are desperate for Lego in school - if you work for a company or have a good social media network, could we ask that you send a message asking if people would kindly donate any Lego they have that they don't use. We use it for clubs and we also want to start some Lego Therapy groups.

Dates for your diary

Friday 21st September 9am in the library, parent workshop: **Reading for KS1 (Years 1 and 2) parents**
Saturday 22nd September, 12noon-5pm Women's Hall garden party – see attached leaflet.
Thursday 27th September, 4.30pm, Big Playground Assembly, see attached leaflet.
PTA meeting: Friday 5th October at 9am and then first Friday of every month. All welcome, please come along.

MONDAY 8TH OCTOBER INSET DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED

Friday 12th October 9am in the library, parent workshop: **Supporting young people's mental health**
UKS2 Class assemblies: Oak 8th November, Willow 15th Nov, Cherry 22nd Nov, Rowan 29th Nov – all at 9.05am