

Chapel End Primary School News

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Week Ending: Friday January 25th 2019

Dear Parents,

Welcome to this week's newsletter. The weeks seem to be flying by and it will be half term before we know it.

Spring Term Targets

All children will be bringing home their new targets for Maths and English today. KS2 children's targets can be found in their homework books. All KS1 children's targets will be attached to their reading record. These targets are important and you need to discuss them with your child so that you can help with homework. Thank you for your continued support.

Change of School Dates

Please note on last week's newsletter a list of school dates was provided until the end of the school year.

Unfortunately it has been necessary to change some of the dates so to avoid any confusion the updated dates will be on next week's newsletter.

Y6 PGL Holiday 2019 - 26th-28th June 2019

A reminder that all outstanding balances for this year's PGL trip must be paid by 3^{rd} April 2019. This is less than 10 weeks away. The total cost is £280.00. If you are unsure of how much is left owing for your child, please ask at the office. Please also remember to send in your PGL payment card in order for it to be updated by Mrs Marsh. Thank you.

Medical appointments during school hours

Since September 2018, **93** school sessions have been missed by children attending medical appointments in school hours. All medical appointments, including dentist and doctor's appointments, should be arranged, whenever possible, <u>outside of school hours</u>. Please note that in order to satisfy DFE requirements, when appointments are taken in school time, parents must provide medical evidence to support the absence for example by providing an appointment card or hospital appointment letter, clearly marked for the attention of the office staff. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

Change of Meal Arrangements

A reminder that if your child would like to change meal arrangements after the holidays, please fill in a pink slip, available from the leaflet dispenser by the office. Slips must be returned by <u>Wednesday 13th</u> <u>February</u>. School meals cost £11.75 per week and are paid each Monday in advance.

Fish Friday (packed lunches Monday-Thursday and a school meal on a Friday) are also paid in advance for the term (£14.10 next term, 6 weeks).

NB Please remember that meal arrangements apply for a half term and pupils may only change after a holiday period.

Pupils of the Week

Well done everyone and keep up the good work!

<u>Year</u>	<u>Pupil</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Pupil</u>
Nursery Part-time	Toby Skinner	УЗЈК	Jake Roberts
Nursery Full-time	Sofia Vernazza	Y4BM	Amy Boland
R/1KP	George Norton	Y5GK	Evie Ashworth
R/1SB	Hannah Lyon	Y5/6RR	Holly Fisher
Y1/2AA	William McMinn	Y6JS	Olivia Abbott
Y2KT	Poppy Sheil		

PTFA NEWS

PTFA dates for your diary

We will have a non-uniform day on Friday 22nd March in exchange for chocolate donations towards the Easter Bingo. Our Easter Bingo will take place on Wednesday 27th March. More information on this event will follow after February half-term.

Next Week in School

Monday 28th January

• Y3 Swimming (4 of 6)

Tuesday 29th January

- Violin lessons
- Guitar lessons
- KS 1 Dance (3 of 5) 3.20-4.20pm
- Eco Club 3.30-4.45pm

Wednesday 30th January

- Brass lessons
- Fencing (3 of 5) 12 noon
- Choir 3.30-4.30pm

Thursday 31st January

- Keyboard lessons
- KS2 Dodgeball (3 of 10) 3.30-4.30pm
- Drama 3.30-4.30pm

Friday 1st February

• Y4/5 Netball 3.30-4.15pm

Mr Smith <u>Headteacher</u>