

# **School Newsletter**





# Welcome from the **Headteacher**

As the weather gets colder and wetter please make sure your child is wearing a warm, waterproof coat and appropriate shoes to school. They may also want to bring a hat, scarf and gloves to wear outside. For any families who are struggling to afford warm coats for their children, please let us know and we can signpost to support. It is also important that children are not wearing any jewelry (apart from small, plain studs in ears) for school. This is to keep everyone safe. We're looking forward to seeing everyone for our Enrichment afternoon on Friday and sharing your child's learning and work books with you.

#### Dates for your Diary for Autumn Term...

<b>Week 7</b> (16 <sup>th</sup> – 20 <sup>th</sup> October)				
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> Oct	School Photo Day			
Thu 19 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Reception & Year 6 Height and Weight Checks			
Thu 19 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Year 6 Parent Meetings 1pm-6pm (video call)			
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Community event: Celebrating World Religions & Cultures			
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Enrichment Day			
Fri 20 <sup>th</sup> Oct	Last day of half term! School finishes at 3:15pm			

#### School finishes for the half term on **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October at 3:15pm! – <u>THIS WEEK!</u> School returns on <b>Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October at 8:40am!**



Autumn Term 2 Week 1 (30 <sup>th</sup> Oct – 3 <sup>rd</sup> Nov)				
Tue 31 <sup>st</sup> Oct	a second a s			
Tue 31 <sup>st</sup> Oct	Secondary School Application Deadline – Year 6			
Fri 3 <sup>rd</sup> Nov	Flu Vaccinations			
<u>Week 3</u> (13 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> November)				
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup> Nov	Anti-Bullying Week & Odd Socks Day 2023			
Fri 17 <sup>th</sup> Nov	INSET day & Children In Need (school closed to all pupils)			
<u>Week 6</u> (4 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> December)				
Mon 4 <sup>th</sup> Dec	INSET day (school closed to all pupils)			
Thu 7 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day			
<u>Week 7</u> (11 <sup>th</sup> – 15 <sup>th</sup> December)				
Tue 12 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Year 2 Christmas Assembly 2:15pm parents welcome!			
Wed 13 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Nursery Christmas Assembly, 10:45am & 2:15pm parents welcome!			
Thu 14 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Community event – Christmas Crafts parents welcome!			
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Last day of term – Christmas Holidays!			

Keep up to date with Term Dates and our School Calendar on our website here: <u>https://www.chapelstreetprimary.co.uk/</u>

#### School Photo Day...

Parents/carers will be given their child's photo card at the end of the day today. Your child's image will be ready to view on FRIDAY, this week.

DON'T FORGET – if you want to purchase your child's photo or a sibling photo, it is FREE DELIVERY to school for one week only!!

#### Flu Vaccinations...

NHS nurses will be coming to school on **Friday 3**<sup>rd</sup> **November** to offer your children a FREE flu vaccination (nasal vaccinations or injectable vaccinations are available. Don't forget to complete your green vaccination form and return it to your child's Teacher or to the school office. If you have any questions or concerns, please ask.





#### Fact of the week:

Mrs Hughes' Fact of the Week this week is:

When was the Great Fire of London? Challenge: Why did the fire spread so quickly?

#### Assembly Reading...

Well done to Romaisa in 5C who read our story to the whole school in assembly on Monday. They chose, 'My Alien and Me' by Smriti Prasadam-Halls and Tom McLauglin.



#### Word of the week:

Mrs Pilling's 'word of the week' this week is:

Ooze

What do you think it means? How would you use it in a sentence?

#### Attendance...

<u>Reception</u>	<u>KS1</u>	LKS2	UKS2		
RA 82.1%	1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	<b>1</b> <sup>st</sup>		
	2a 95.5%	4b 96.9%	6a 97.2%		
RB 95.7%	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>		
	2c 90%	3b 95.7%	5c 95.9%		
RC 92.1%	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>		
	1c 88.9%	3a 95.3%	5a 93.2%		

We will work hard to be in school every day!





Year 2





Year 2 have been on a polar bear hunt!!!

They watched a video and completed the hunt for their new writing genre – recounts!

# FREE ESOL

When: Every Monday starting November 6th

### Where: Levenshulme Old Library M19 3QE

## Time: 2:00-3:00pm

How: sign up by emailing – community@chapelstreet.manchester.sch.uk

# Do you want to learn or improve your English?

FREE classes are available!

Classes are held at Levenshulme Old Library on Mondays, 2pm – 3pm.

Classes begin on 6<sup>th</sup> Nov.

To sign up, please email:

# community@chapelstreet.manchester.sch.uk

#### School Admissions Nursery & Reception...





#### We had a fantastic Nursery & Reception Open Day yesterday!

Don't forget – applications to apply for your child's Reception place are now OPEN.

You can apply online here, or collect a paper form from our school office.

If you have any further questions, or would like a full tour of the school, please get in touch.