

Chuckery Primary School

Weekly Newsletter



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Attendance

Each week we offer a good attendance prize of £5!

To be eligible to win an attendance prize, children must have 100% attendance for the **last 4 weeks** and their overall attendance for the year cannot be less than 95%

The winner for the good attendance prize last week was Virat in Class 4 Well done!

Overall, our attendance this week was **93.2%**
Our target this year is 96%.

The Class with the best attendance this week was: **12**

Class 2	–	90.0%
Class 3	–	91.1%
Class 4	–	91.4%
Class 5	–	96.6%
Class 6	–	95.6%
Class 7	–	89.3%
Class 8	–	93.6%
Class 9	–	96.1%
Class 10	–	92.1%
Class 11	–	97.6%
Class 12	–	97.9%
Class 13	–	94.0%
Class 14	–	87.3%
Class 15	–	93.3%

Reward Certificates - What Have You Done Today to Make You Feel Proud?

Praise assembly was held this afternoon. The following children received Head teacher's awards for their efforts:

Class 4: Balsm, Maria, Gurnoor, Zayden, Livija, Amaan

Class 5: Safa, Javeriya, Elijah, Zakahreyyah, Javeriya, Khadija, Salahuddin

Class 8: Ondrej, Zayaan, Asma, Azeem, Igor, Sanda, Safa

Class 9: Ibrahim, Ibrahim, Aroush

Class 10: Mqhele, Finley, Ali Akbar, Safiyyah, Ti

Class 11: Malachy, Mario, Leah, Victor,

Class 12: Ismail, Nabeel, Filip, Saqib, Inaayah, Ibrahim

Year 6

This week we received the test results for our Year 6 children, and I am delighted to report the children did extremely well. They have all

worked so hard this year and, despite all the setbacks, Covid absences etc. their results are amazing.

	% Achieving national expectations and above - school	% Achieving national expectations and above - national
Reading	81% (37% achieving higher score)	74%
Writing	60% (6% achieving higher score)	69%
Maths	65% (17% achieving higher score)	71%
Spelling and Grammar	72% (28% achieving higher score)	72%
Reading, writing and maths combined	56% (6% achieving higher score)	59%

Reports, New classes and teachers for September

The children in Years 3-5 have found out who their new teachers will be in September this week. The children in all the other classes will find out next week when we send out the packs including their annual report.

There are some staff who are leaving us and there will be some new faces.

We will be saying goodbye to Miss King, Miss Cardinal and Mrs Strazzanti. We wish them all the very best for the future and thank them for their dedication and hard work whilst at Chuckery

In addition, Mrs Saleem will be starting her maternity leave in September.

We have 3 new teachers joining us:
Mr Bamber – who will be joining us as a Curriculum Enhancement and Outdoor Learning teacher while Miss Hewitt and Miss Botfield who will be teaching in Year 1.

We also have some teaching assistants joining us:

Ms Dahliwal will be in Early Years

Ms McCormick will be in Year 1
Mrs Moore will be in Year 4.

Eid

Many of our families will be celebrating Eid Ul Adha. We wish you all a happy and peaceful celebration.

Holiday/Leave Requests

We are receiving lots of holiday and leave of absence requests. **None of them have been authorised** because children are **not** permitted to take holidays (including visits to see family members) in term time. We appreciate it is much cheaper to book flights before the holiday starts but it is a legal requirement that children attend school. Schools cannot agree to any applications for holidays or leave of absence unless there are very specific circumstances, and they must be agreed in advance (before tickets are booked).

Fines will be issued by the local authority of £60 per parent per child if you take your child out of school without permission. This increases to £120 per parent if the fine is not paid within 28 days.

After school clubs

All after school clubs will finish week commencing 11th July this will be the last week for any child to attend clubs.

Family fun day



***FREE FAMILY FUN DAY EVENT
FOR ADULTS & CHILDREN
AT WALSALL COLLEGE**

Walsall College, Whitehall Campus, Weston Street, WS1 4EQ
Join us on Saturday 16th July between 10am and 2pm
Light refreshments available to all
Come down and get involved!

Bring your family down and take part in a number of fun activities including:

- Arts & Crafts
- Exercise classes
- Henna
- Sewing
- IT sessions & how to use your mobile phone
- Find out what learning opportunities we have available for you at our Whitehall Campus!

To register your interest call 07825 380427
or email thatelcy@walsallcollege.ac.uk
*free for households with income below £30,000 per year

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Keeping Our Children Safe

Shoes, Hats, Water and Sun Cream

With summer here please make sure:

- Your child continues to wear their school shoes to school. Trainers or open sandals should not be worn.
- Your child has a hat to wear during playtimes and dinner times on sunny days
- You put sun cream on your child before they come to school on sunny days
- They have a bottle of water to drink during the day. (The bottle should only contain water and can be refilled during the day as needed).

Walsall Holiday Activities Programme 2022

How to register for the 2022 Programme.

To register your child on the programme you will need your unique code. For the 2022 programme you will only need to register once and you can then access your account throughout the year.

To register online use the following

link: www.walsall.gov.uk/children_and_young_people/haf_signup

Or If you are unable to register online you can call the HAF helpline on 01922 653899 (Monday – Friday, between 10:00am to 4:00pm)

How to book activities?

Once you have registered for the programme you are then able to book your free activities.

The website to book activities

is; <https://haf.walsall.gov.uk/Account/Login>. To login you will need your email address and password that you have created when registering.

When do the activities start?

The activities will take place over the summer holidays (4 weeks) see dates below;

- Monday 1st August – Thursday 4th August 2022
- Monday 8th August – Thursday 11th August 2022
- Monday 15th August – Thursday 18th August 2022
- Monday 22nd August – Thursday 25th August 2022
- **What will be on offer?**
- Each week over the summer holiday your child will be able choose from the following;
- 1 holiday club per week – *A holiday club is for 4 hours per day over 4 days a*

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week providing a range of activities throughout each day with a healthy meal included. We have over 80 different locations across Walsall.

- Or 3 pick and mix sessions per week targeted at young people to provide a choice of activities they can engage with, this will also provide opportunities to learn specific skills, including courses in dance, music, swimming, sports coaching, youth work training, fishing, mentoring, trips etc.

Once an activity has been booked for your child, you will receive an email with confirmation of their booking.

If you need help booking on the Holiday Activities Programme, please get in touch with Angela Jones.

Attendance

Please remember we expect your child to attend school, regularly, this means for at least 95% of the time. We have a process in place to monitor attendance which is as follows.

- You will receive a first warning letter if your child's attendance falls below 93%
- Second warning letter if attendance continues to fall to 91% and below
- First parent meeting will take place when your child's attendance falls to 92%
- Second parent meeting and home visit will take place for any child whose attendance falls to 90% or below
- If concerns continue and attendance does not improve you will be referred to the Welfare Officer who will take
- Parents/Carers to attendance panel and start legal action.
- All persistent late children will also be monitored and parent meetings will be arranged.
- If your child is going to be absent from school please call the school office to report their absence by 8.30am on

01922 449104 if we have not heard from you by 8.55am we will start to call all contact numbers that you have provided in order to gain an explanation of the

absence. If we still have not been able to ascertain where your child is then we may make a home visit.

Questions, comments and complaints

Parents can email general questions to the school by using

postbox@chuckery.walsall.sch.uk or questions for the head teacher to

jpearce@chuckery.walsall.sch.uk

Our complaints Policy is on the school website.

It can be found at

<https://www.chuckeryprimary.com/charging-and-complaint-policies/>

Important Dates

Friday 22nd July – Break up for the summer holidays

Monday 5th September - Training day

Tuesday 6th September School re-opens

Yr1-Yr6

Monday 12th September Reception re-opens

