



**CHADSMOOR
FEDERATION**

*The Federation of
Chadsmoor Community Infant & Nursery
School
and
Chadsmoor C.E. (VC) Junior School*



Executive Headteacher: Mrs J Westley (BA (Hons) QTS,
NPQH)



Newsletter September 2023

DATES TO REMEMBER

INSET DAY: MONDAY 2ND OCTOBER

FITNESS FRIDAY: FRIDAY 27TH OCTOBER - Fitness Friday for both schools Nursery—Y6. Come in sports wear for fun activities all day.

AUTUMN HALF TERM: MONDAY 30TH OCTOBER to FRIDAY 3RD NOVEMBER

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY: Part-time Nursery finishes THURSDAY 21ST DECEMBER normal times.

Full-time Nursery finishes FRIDAY 22ND DECEMBER 1.45pm.

Reception to Y6 finishes FRIDAY 22ND DECEMBER :

Reception — Y2 finishes at 1.45pm & Y3 — Y6 finish at 1.30pm

SPRING TERM BEGINS: CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL ON MONDAY 8TH JANUARY 2024

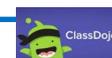
PARENTS EVENING: TUESDAY 17TH OCTOBER — **ONLINE** (Nursery children are in normal times and sessions)

Reception—Y2 finishes at 1.45pm Y3—Y6 finishes at 1.30pm

& THURSDAY 19TH OCTOBER – ONLINE (normal finishes time) This will be online through Microsoft

TEAMS. You will be sent a text message via teachers2parents with the link to book an appointment nearer the time. If you are unable to make an appointment a brief written report can be requested. Please make sure we have your up to date mobile phone number.

CLASSDOJO



Thank you to all those who have connected to ClassDojo. We hope you are enjoying this means of communication to keep you up to date. PLEASE CHECK CLASSDOJO REGULARLY FOR NEW INFORMATION – AND MUCH MORE !!!

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Chadsmoor Community Infant & Nursery

PE Kit required: (Nursery/YR/Y1/ & Y2)

Plain White T-shirt

Black/Grey tracksuit trousers (winter) - Black shorts (summer)

School jumper

Trainers (pull on or Velcro are recommended if your child cannot fasten laces)

PE DAYS— Children are to come to school in PE Kit on the day of PE.

Nursery – Alligators & Polar Bears: Friday (Nursery will start PE after October half term)

Reception Lions & Starfish: Tuesday

Year 1 Hedgehogs & Elephants: Thursday

Year 2 Butterfly & Jellyfish: Wednesday

FLU VACCINES— Thursday 5th October YR to Y6—please make sure that you complete the online permission form even if you do not want your child to receive the flu spray. <https://forms.mpft.nhs.uk/>

(The deadline for the online form is to be completed by Wednesday 4th October by 10.00am)

School Photos:

Monday 9th October 2023



Siblings in the same school will automatically be taken together (and individually) during the school day.



HARVEST FESTIVAL



On Tuesday 3rd October the children will be having their annual Harvest Festival Assembly, which is a whole school event that unfortunately we do not have the space for parents to attend. The Harvest Festival is all about looking after people in need in our own community through the Cannock and District Foodbank and we would be grateful for your donations.

See ClassDojo for more information.



Chadsmoor CE (VC) Junior School

PE Kit required:

T-Shirt—in their house colour: **ROWLING**, **COE**, **ATTENBOROUGH**, **SHAKESPEARE**

Black/Grey tracksuit trousers (winter)

Black shorts (summer)

School jumper / cardigan

Trainers

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Year 3: Wednesday

Year 4: Wednesday

Year 5: Thursday

Year 6: Thursday



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HARVEST FESTIVAL



On Tuesday 10th October the children will be having their annual Harvest Festival Assembly, which is a whole school event that unfortunately we do not have the space for parents to attend. The Harvest Festival is all about looking after people in need in our own community through the Cannock and District Foodbank and we would be grateful for your donations.

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CHADSMOOR FEDERATION VALUES

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A T I O N
I N D E P E N D E N C E
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R E S P E C T

Message from Mrs Westley
Executive Headteacher

Dear Families

We have a very busy school year ahead of us yet again where we hope to work in partnership with our parents in order to ensure your child can make as much progress as possible.

This year we are working towards achieving a Well-being Award so keep an eye out for information about events taking place in school for children. As part of this, we will continue to have our fitness Friday's where we give the children opportunities to try a range of sports and activities. Last year we had Archery, Kurling, Orienteering and lots more exciting activities.

We will be looking at our attendance and punctuality levels as this is the key to your child achieving their full potential, which I know as a parent, that is what you want for your child. Research shows that it is very difficult for children to catch up when they are absent due to how busy the school days are. They also miss out on the social side of life and this can affect children's ability to make and keep friendships - a VITAL part of growing up.

Thank you for your continued support and I look forward to another busy and successful year.

Kind Regards

MEET THE GOVERNORS

Mrs J Westley Executive Head Teacher	Rev C Ambler Chair of Governors	Miss J Derry Head of School (Junior School)	Mrs S Johnson Head of School (Infant School)
Mrs M Whiteman Safeguarding and SEN Governor	Mr B Gwilt LA Governor	Rev N Upson- Smith Foundation Ex- Officio	Mrs W Smith Foundation Governor
Mrs K Thompson Co-opted	Mr J Tittley Co-Opted Governor	Miss A Reynolds Parent Governor	

The Role of the Governing Body

The Governing Body acts collectively to ensure the schools best interests are a priority. The role of a governor is strategic, meaning that the role of the Governing Body is to long term plan, ensure school spends its budget wisely, and to help finalise decisions which make the school a resourceful, resilient and fair environment for learning.

We currently have one vacancy for a Parent Governor, if you are interested at all please contact the office for more details.



"Enjoying Achieving Together"