

Chapelford Village Primary School

NEWSLETTER Friday 6th November 2020



Very excitingly, year 1 have had a little mischief happening in their classrooms! Lots of paper and books had been nibbled and they had to investigate the cause of this trouble. They have discovered that it is a little book monster called Nibbles. He is very naughty! The children have used adjectives to describe him to their friends. Year 1 cannot wait to find out more about him! This week in maths, the children have been look at addition fact families and starting to investigate number bonds within 10.

Year 2 have been studying the poem 'The Owl and the Pussycat.' The children listened to the poem being recited and thought about what they liked and disliked and also asked questions. They thought it was a bit of a strange poem but they really enjoyed it! They applied their amazing phonics knowledge to create some silly alien words and make their own poem with their own two animals. In Science, they have begun their biology topic of 'Animals including humans' looking at things that are living, dead and have never lived. Year 2 are looking forward to learning new vocabulary and investigating different habitats.

Winter seems to have started early in year 3 as they are reading and learning from a book called Winter's Child in English. The text is full of wonderful descriptive language and beautiful illustrations. To support that text, they are also reading a book called The Ice Palace by Robert Swindells. A young boy called Ivan has to go on an adventure to save his younger brother from the evil character Starjik who is the king of winter. The children have really enjoyed the story so far.

In year 4 this week, they have learnt how to greet each other politely and reply in French. In maths, they have been using a variety of mental strategies to help them solve mental addition and subtraction calculations with bigger numbers. In English, they have written their own list poems, all about items that would be found in a lost property office. They were shocked to discover that someone had lost £35,000 on London transport!

This week, Year 5 have been heading to infinity and beyond as they began their brand new science topic all about Earth and Space! They have started to discuss the importance of scientific evidence and understand how we know that the earth isn't flat and is actually spherical! (Almost spherical anyway!) Elsewhere, the children have loved getting creative in their PE lessons and have used dance and movement to create their own volcano style performances! Well done on a great week Year 5, we're so proud of you all!

The Year 6 teachers are incredibly proud of all of the Year 6 children who were at home, completing their home learning this week. They have shown exceptional resilience and maturity, ensuring they were online promptly each morning saying hello to their teacher and peers and following the timetable of lessons for the day, taking responsibility of their own learning and progress, and the work they have produced has blown their teachers away. We have had videos sent to us of PE, Music and reading aloud of poetry, excellent research of endangered animals and organs within the human body, daily practise of their common exception words and spelling patterns and they have also identified square, cube and prime numbers, including factors and multiples of a number in Maths. Wow! This week on Seesaw has been a huge success and we just want to thank all those at home who have supported their child with their home learning this week. Have a lovely weekend

Kind regards

Mrs Hewson Headteacher



VIRTUAL OPEN EVENING

Our virtual Open Evening is available to view on our school website. You will be able to hear from our fantastic staff and pupils and be able to take a virtual tour of our school.

https://chapelfordvillageprimary.co.uk/about-us/virtual-open-evening



School Website

Please head over to www.chapelfordvillageprimary.co.uk and check out our new look school website.

New term dates are available to view on our website - Parents - Holiday Lists

Star Learners

1	Phoebe	12	Harry
2	Bobby	13	Ibrahim
3	Evelyn	14	Jack
4	Archie	15	Ryan
5	Eva	16	Amber
6	Bailey	17	Holly
7	Thomas	18	Joshua
8	Luke	19	The whole class
9	Sebastian	20	The whole class
10	Samuel	21	The whole class
11	Daisy		



Our Reading Plus subscription has come to and end for our KS2 children. Your child will still be bringing home their guided reading books and they can continue to chose a book from the library area.

Out of School Achievements

Congratulations to ...

Sonny from Class 8 has just signed a contract with Blackpool Football Academy. He is very excited to start training.



Harrison from Class 17 has passed his Grade 1 Piano with a distinction.

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Well done to you both.

Please be remaindered that dogs, including dogs in arms are NOT allowed on the school site. Thank you for your understanding.



Reader's of the Week 1 Ben 12 Herkus 2 Evie 13 Aryan 3 Amy 14 Kai 4 Jordan 15 Adam 5 16 Maya Arun 6 Dylan 17 Mia 7 Oliver 18 Rachel 8 Emily 19 The whole class 9 20 The whole class Gracie-Mae 10 21 Izzi The whole class 11 Indi

Online Tutors – Keeping Children Safe (LGfL) Guidance for Parents & Carers

Every year, private tutors help children catch up with missed work or address areas they are struggling with, or with extra-curricular activities like music. Lockdown has led to major growth in this area, especially online, and this is expected to continue with further bubble and possible school closures.

Anyone can set up as a tutor and there are no registration procedures. They don't even require an Enhanced DBS check.

To help parents, LGfl has prepared a leaflet supporting parents to select the right tutor, establish clear rules and help the child understand what they should know too.

You can find out more and download the guidance leaflet here: <u>https://safeblog.lgfl.net/2020/10/online-tutors-keeping</u> <u>-children-safe/</u>

The school menu for w/c Mon 9th Nov to school is week 2.

Thank you for the Parent suggestion for us to have a box for the kind donations for our shielding staff.

This box will now be available by the school office from **Thursday 5th November** to **Tuesday 10th November**.

Donation accepted 8:30-9:15am and 2:30-3:15pm only Thank you

"If a member of your family has symptoms and has to go for a test, the whole household must isolate from work and school until their test results come back. Should this happen to you or a member of your household please make school aware as soon as possible"

Have a lovely weekend.



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