



Chisenhale Chatter

**Chisenhale
Primary School**

Confidence • Curiosity • Kindness

**WE ARE A UNICEF GOLD
RIGHTS RESPECTING SCHOOL**

Children's rights are learned, understood
and lived in this school.



11.7.2025

What a wonderful week it has been at Chisenhale, filled with exciting learning opportunities and remarkable achievements that I'm delighted to share with you all.

We had our annual Summer Fair on Saturday and it was lovely to see so many of our families, both past and present, for the occasion. The PTA worked for weeks to prepare for the day and it was a great success, raising over £4,000 for the school. It was also the perfect opportunity for families to catch up with each other in a relaxed environment so I would like to thank everyone involved,

Our younger pupils have been particularly busy this week. Year 1 and Year 2 took part in valuable road safety workshops, equipping them with essential skills to keep themselves safe. It was lovely to meet our new nursery and reception pupils at our stay and play sessions this week - seeing their enthusiasm and excitement about joining our school community has been truly heart-warming.

Meanwhile, our Year 5 pupils had an excellent opportunity to experience secondary school life first hand with a taster morning at Morpeth today. This valuable experience helps gives them confidence about the transition ahead.

Year 4 have been making a splash at York Hall with their swimming sessions, developing both their physical skills and water confidence. Our Year 6 pupils enjoyed their disco, and there's even more excitement to come with their production of 'SpongeBob Square pants' next week - I'm sure it will be a fantastic performance.

I'm particularly proud to celebrate some outstanding achievements this week. The fantastic progress of our musicians was clearly evident in the two Rocksteady concerts on Wednesday - their dedication and improvement have been remarkable to witness. I'm also pleased to share some truly exciting news: Sparrow class are now world record holders after joining the world's largest cookery lesson last week!

Looking ahead, I want to remind you about our annual sports days, which are fast approaching. These events are always highlights of our school calendar, celebrating our pupils' sporting achievements and team spirit. The Early Years Foundation Stage sports day will take place on the 17th, Key Stage 1 on the 18th, and Key Stage 2 on the 21st. I encourage all families to come along and support our pupils as they demonstrate their athletic abilities and sportsmanship.

Blackbird class treated us to a great class assembly today. They were celebrating their learning on minibeast classification and data handling. The audience followed Ash and Gary as they travelled to another Pokemon inspired world, met incredible minibeasts and

even had a battle. In the end we learned that the thing about mini beasts is, just like Pokemon, you gotta catch 'em all!

Gemma Anidi, Headteacher

These children will receive a praise
postcard this week:

Kingfisher: Safwan & Sami

Kestrel: Frida & Louis

Buzzard: Sara & Armaan

Blackbird: Esme & Nadifa

Merlin: Ayah & Jettson

Magpie: Arla & Wyatt

Goldcrest: Henry & Adriana

Goshawk: Nate & Ismaeel

Sparrow: Margot & Thomas

Swift: Riona & Savannah

**This week Year 6 have been
rehearsing for their end of
year production.**

AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS

Next week will be the last week for after-school clubs, except for Nightowls, which continues until Tuesday 22nd July. All other clubs will have their final session next week. We will send out the list of clubs for next term when we get back in September and they will start in the week beginning 8th September.

Dates for your diary

Tuesday 15th July, class swap day. Children will get a chance to meet their new teacher and see their new classroom.

Thursday 17th July, 6pm, Year 6 production

Friday 18th July, from 9.30, KS1 sports day in Victoria Park

Monday 21st July, from 9.30, KS2 sports day in Victoria Park

**Wednesday 23rd July, 9am Year 6 leavers' assembly –
parents welcome**

**SCHOOL CLOSSES AT 2PM ON WEDNESDAY 23RD JULY
SCHOOL REOPENS FOR CHILDREN ON
WEDNESDAY 3RD SEPTEMBER.**