



# Chisenhale Chatter

Chisenhale Primary School Bow



Learning Together for a Better Future

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Dear parents and carers,

It has been lovely to start work at Chisenhale this week and start getting to know the pupils, staff and parents. I have already had lots of excellent suggestions on how to develop the school from pupils, although I'm not sure where we can put a swimming pool! It was wonderful to meet some parents over coffee this morning and I look forward to hopefully meeting more of you next Friday.

I know the PTA also have exciting plans for this term and I look forward to meeting even more families at the Eid celebration after school on Friday 6th May.

As a reminder, for this term I am on site at Chisenhale on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays, but should you need to contact me please do so through the office team.

**Gemma Anidi**  
Headteacher

These children will receive a praise postcard this week:

**Sprouts** - Truman and Ayman

**Broccoli** - Phillip and Jake

**Curly Kale** - Jeslord and Modasir

**Beetroot** - Reuben and Seth

**Basil** - Yaqub and James

**Thyme** - Ayub and Ariana

**Mint** - Lina and Zayden

**Lavender** - Maya and Luke

**Cherry** - Dylan and Arthur

**Rowan** - Victoria and Seham

**Oak** - Amayah and Honey

**Willow** - Alex and Albie

## Call out for artists and designers

The whole school will be immersing itself in art for the last week of June but as in other years we need your help! This year the general theme will be fashion and textiles so we are really keen to hear from any parents or carers who could volunteer to run a session with a class, come in to talk about their job or help out in any other way. If you have a skill or experience to share with the children - anything from re-purposing clothes to tie-dye, embroidery, creating accessories, textile design, photography etc. - please contact April on [teachers@chisenhale.towerhamlets.sch](mailto:teachers@chisenhale.towerhamlets.sch)

After school clubs - except for family gardening club, running every Friday from now - will start again the week beginning 9<sup>th</sup> May because of the closures at the beginning of that month. A sign-up form will be sent home next week.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> April - please join our eco warriors in a litter pick in Victoria Park. Meet by the Hub Café (near the big playground) in Victoria Park at 10am.

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> April, at 9am in the library, come and meet Roxy, the new Therapeutic Lead for the Schools Counselling Partnership. This is a chance to find out more about the service in school for children and parents, discuss future parent workshops on wellbeing and mental health, and, if you would like, talk in a safe space about what can best support you.

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> April at 9am in the library, come and meet Gemma, our new Headteacher.

**School is closed on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May and re-opens on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> May.** This closure is for bank holidays, Eid and a polling day. Year 6 children will be expected in school on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> May from 8.30-12.30.

We will be holding an Eid celebration on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> May after school. Food, crafts and fun and games. Please contact the PTA if you will be able to help on the day or bring some food to share.

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June from 8pm. Quiz and Curry Night is back! Come and test your brains and enjoy a veggie curry and a drink with other parents. Keep the date free - more details to follow.

Summer half term: school is closed from Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May until Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June. School re-opens Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June.