



Chisenhale Chatter

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Primary School

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

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



24.1.2025

It was lovely to meet some of our new parents and see some familiar faces over coffee on Monday morning, and to hear the updates from the PTA on Wednesday. I look forward to catching up with more families as the term progresses.

After a long journey to improve our school meals, our chef, David, started worked at Chisenhale just a week before I started my maternity leave so it has been lovely to see just how far things have developed over the last two terms. The kitchen team have done a great job in improving the quality of the food on offer. Yesterday David and Jo visited another local school to see their lunchtimes, as we consider the next steps in developing things here at Chisenhale. We also plan to have another parent tasting opportunity this term - we will share a date soon.

Monday's assembly for Y1-6 was about 'marvellous mistakes'. We talked about the value of making mistakes, and them not being something to be ashamed of as they are an opportunity to learn. Please ask your children what 'marvellous mistakes' they have made this week!

Gemma Anidi. Headteacher

These children will receive a praise postcard this week:

Kingfisher: Rosie & Leo

Kestrel: Hamzah & Niamh

Blackbird: Robyn & Isa

Buzzard: Osi & Ishaq

Merlin: Arthur & Holly

Magpie: Charlie & Finley

Goldcrest: Erin & Henry

Goshawk: Lorenzo & Lily

Swift: Savannah & Morris

Sparrow: Ifza & Margot

Chiffchaff: Ellie & Katinka

Crossbill: Jax & Romy

The fluoride application for EYFS and Year 1 will take place on February 12th. There is also an online oral health drop-in session for parents on Tuesday 28th January at 10am. **Microsoft Teams**

[Join the meeting now](#)

Meeting ID: 314 350 351 787

Passcode: xP7XL7

If you are planning to order some new school uniform for your child from MyClothing <https://myclothing.com/> you can use this code for a 10% discount. Code = **UNIFORM10%**

Expires = 31/03/2025 Please also remember we have lots of pre-loved uniform in the room near the office for bargain prices, or free if required.

Dates for your diary

Friday 31st January at 9am in the library, phonics workshop, for Reception parents

PTA Valentine's day cake sale, Friday 14th February at 3.30 in the main playground

Half-term break: school is closed Monday 17th - Friday 21st February

Parents' meetings: Monday 10th March and Tuesday 11th March, booking details to follow

School closed for Eid, Monday 31st March

Eid celebration and food sale, Thursday 3rd April, 3.30 in the main playground

Easter holiday: School closes at 2pm on Friday 4th April and reopens on Wednesday 23rd April

Class assemblies all on Fridays at 9am in the top hall – parents welcome;

7th February, Goldcrest; 28th February, Sparrow; 7th March, Swift; 14th March, Goshawk; 21st March, Magpie; 28th March, Merlin – **CHANGE OF DATE**; 16th May, Kingfisher; 13th June, Buzzard; 4th July, Kestrel; 11th July, Blackbird.