

EYFS Newsletter

Autumn 2
10th November 2023



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.



Trips & Celebrations

Next week is Maths Week at Chisenhale school. Early Years Children will be finding out that '3 is a Magic Number!'

Teddy Bears



Picnic



BBC
Children in Need

We will be holding a **Teddy Bears' Picnic** for **Children in Need** next **Friday 17th November** when we are going to be dressing up in something **spotty** and bringing our teddies to tea!

Full Time Sun Nursery Class children will be attending the '**Sounds Good**' Workshop at the Young V & A Museum, Bethnal Green on **Tuesday 21st November** (our part time children went this week).

Our Reception classes are planning to make a **bus trip** to **Canary Wharf** on **Thursday 30th November**. This will be the Grand Finale to their literacy learning about transport and '**The Naughty Bus!**'

More information to follow.

Parent Partnership

We will be holding our first **Parent Evening** of this year next week on **Monday 13th and Tuesday 14th November**. **Sun Nursery Class** parents were also able to book an appointment during the day on **Thursday 16th of November**.

Parents should have booked their appointment, and been allocated a day and time, through the school app. Appointments last 10 minutes and will be held in the EYFS.

Please contact your child's class teacher if you have any issues with this and we will endeavour to resolve them.

EYFS Lunches

Lunches for Nursery children cost **£12.50** a week and must be paid for in advance at the school office or by parentpay.

If your child brings a packed lunch please ensure that there are **no nuts or nut products** (e.g peanut butter or Nutella) as we are a nut-free school due to children with severe allergies.

End of Autumn Term

Thursday 21st December
School closes at 2pm and reopens
on Monday 8th January.

This Week in the EYFS

This week Sun Nursery have been following up their firework night experiences by thinking about fire safety and the work of the Fire Brigade.

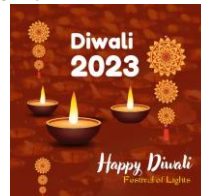
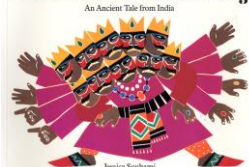


On Thursday morning **Sun Nursery Class** visited **Bethnal Green Fire Station**. The children got to try out using the hoses, they sat in the driving seat and the crew area of a Fire Engine. The firefighters demonstrated the equipment including breathing apparatus and specialist tools, we also got to see the inside of the control room and the firefighters poles! We even got to watch as the crew were called out on a 'shout' to a fire while we were there! Our Word of the week was **month** as we thought about when and how we celebrate different occasions, including our birthdays. In the Think Equal PHSE programme children have been thinking about what we can do to help our 'Kindness Garden' grow.

In **Reception** the word of the week has been **Diwali** as they have listened to the story of **Rama & Sita**. They have learned how Hindus celebrate Diwali, and have used their knowledge of shape and pattern to make **Rangoli patterns**.

They also made salt dough Diwa lamps. They are continuing their phonics programme and this week they have been focusing on the letter/sounds **f** and **l**. In mathematics they have been learning about shape and prepositional language (in, under, over, between etc).

Rama and the Demon King



On Friday, Reception classes also learned about Remembrance Day which will fall this Sunday.

Book Bags & Changing Bags

Our newly designed Book Bags & Changing Bags have arrived and are now available to purchase from the school office.

Sun Nursery children will be given their first Book Bag and Changing Bag for free. These will be sent home with children next week.

If children have a Changing Bag in school we will transfer the contents over to the new bag. Otherwise we would ask that you provide a change of clothes in the new bag as soon as you receive it.

Book Bags should be brought to school every day.

Clothing, Water Bottles & Lost Property

Please ensure that your child has their changing bag at school every day in case they get wet or dirty. If your child needs to change we will send the dirty clothes home in a plastic bag in their changing bag for you to return the next day.

We would welcome donations of carrier bags, and any outgrown wellington boots, shoes, leggings or jogging bottoms.

Children also need to continue to bring a **water bottle** into school every day. Please make sure it is named.

All personal property should be labelled clearly with your child's name and class!

It will help us to help your child to learn to look after their property.

Friday is non-uniform day at Chisenhale Primary School!