



EYFS Newsletter Autumn 2

27th November 2020

Events & Celebrations

We are planning to ensure that Christmas will still be a memorable and enjoyable experience in school.

In December, Nursery and Reception classes will be working towards recording a video version of their Christmas performance.

This will be made available for parents to view during the final week of this term.

Please ensure you have returned the consent form to enable your child to feature in the recording.

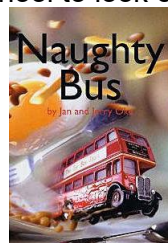
On the morning of **Monday 7th December** we will enjoy a pantomime style performance of "Little Red Riding Hood" and a drama workshop by the Hobgoblin Theatre Company.

Christmas lunch and party day in the EYFS will be on **Wednesday 16th December**. On that day your child may wear a Christmas jumper and/or party clothes as we celebrate Christmas.

School closes for the Christmas holiday on at **2pm on Friday 18th**

This Week in EYFS

This week a Naughty Bus has been causing havoc in the Reception Classes. The children have created a bus (Number 8!) in each classroom and have been taking trips together. They have drawn maps and pictures of the journeys they would like to make and they have even been up onto the roof of Chisenhale School to look out over London.



The Nursery children have continued their learning about letters and sounds. They have been printing, cutting out and sequencing the letters in their names. In mathematics they have been learning to count accurately.

They have also been thinking about how they are the same and different from their friends.

Nursery & Reception Places at Chisenhale Primary School 2020-2021

If you have a child in the Nursery (Sun Class) you need to apply for a Reception place for your child by **15th January 2021**. If you have a younger child you would like to be considered for a place in Nursery next year the deadline for applications is **16th February 2021**.

The application for both cohorts needs to be made via <https://www.eadmissions.org.uk/>

If you need help please contact Ruth Crossan, our Parent Engagement & Extended Schools Manager.

Tel: 020 8980 2584 option 3 or rcrossan.211@qfmail.org

Parent Partnership

We have two designated email addresses for queries:

Nurseryteachers@chisenhale.towerhamlets.sch.uk

Receptionteachers@chisenhale.towerhamlets.sch.uk

You can also send us feedback or images.

Christmas Holiday

The Christmas holiday will begin on **Monday 21st December**.

School will reopen on **Monday 4th January 2020**.

Clothing, Water Bottles & Lost Property

Play with water, mud, paint and sand are essential experiences for children in the Early Years which have important developmental learning outcomes.

Due to Covid 19 protocols it is advised that children should wear clean clothes to school every day.

This is the reason that expectations for children to wear school uniform have been relaxed this year. Please help us observe this requirement by sending your child to school in

clean clothes each day.

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.