



Chaddlewood Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We hope you all have a brilliant half-term and thank you for all your support over the last few weeks. The end of lockdown is in sight!

Thank you also to all the staff who have dug deep this term- covering extra duties, planning for and delivering fun and interesting POSE and remote lessons, encouraging, cajoling and motivating both children (and parents!), protecting themselves and the school community by lateral flow testing and keeping Covid safe, finding laughter and humour - even when they were exhausted and for being quite frankly brilliant. THANK YOU ☺

'One hundred years from now it will not matter what my bank account was, the sort of house I lived in, or the kind of car I drove, but the world may be different because I was important in the life of a child'. -Forest E Witcraft

Access to POSE

The week after half-term we are at a pivotal point with POSE in some classes and year groups and may well have to contact parents to reduce the sessions booked in for their child due to above risk assessed numbers in classrooms. Can I remind parents who have to use POSE that morning or afternoon sessions can be booked and that if the children can be at home with you for a day or part of a day, that could help another family who may be asked to reduce sessions but need to be 'in' their place of work, such as medical staff, police, critical infrastructure workers and the armed forces, in order to directly support the efforts to tackle Covid-19. A tailored use of POSE to fit your exact needs will really help- thank you.

TTRS

Biggest increase in correct answers:

1st - Evelyn Heard

2nd - Leo Harley

3rd - Ethan Tichias

Improvement in accuracy

1st - Yasmin McGlinchey

2nd - Isabelle Benson

3rd - Olivia Secker

Bronze badges- 2KH-Freddy Smith, Isaac

Davis, Leah Turpin, Millie Revell 2PA-

Poppy Jones

Silver Badges- 2PA Jacob Webb

Foundation Stars of the week

FCA -Bradley Taylor

FJN - Matilda Harwood & Oscar Slade

Year 1 Stars of the week

1AJ - Hamilton Petherick

1SA - Drake Bedford

Year 2 Stars of the week

2PA - Maisy Hannaford

2KH - Freddy Smith

KS2 Class Cup Winners

3LP - Jessica Sharp

3AR - Ellis Mutton

4LF - Zack Aggett

4SC - Zachary Howarth

5JC - Neva Shepherd

5DP - Joshua Porter

6MS - Thomas Ashington and Eva-Lilie Smith

6JH - Jamie Holloway

Watch on the classrooms for the video

link to the staff presenting these

awards ☺

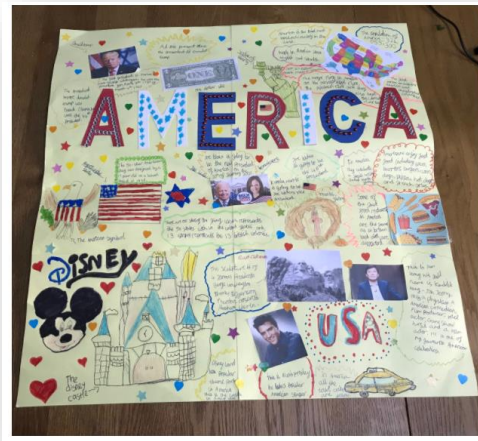
Educare (POSE) links

Here is the POSE link for the week beginning the 1st March and the booking will close on the 25th February at 9am as usual.

<https://forms.gle/dtkKDqTFj8z2Fzpb9>

Well Done Neva

Congratulations to Neva Shepherd who has produced a brilliant poster about America for her Year 5 project. Mr. Conway and all the teachers were so impressed Neva!! Great work ☺



Sum Dog Winners

Top classes (out of all classes in our MAT)

- 1st - 1SA
- 2nd - 3AR
- 3rd - 3LP

Top children (out of all entries across the MAT)

- 1st - Seth Dyer
- 2nd - Kayla Hawke
- 3rd - Isabelle Edgeler

Our school answered nearly 60,000 questions correctly! Congratulations to 1SA and Seth, Kayla and Isabelle ☺

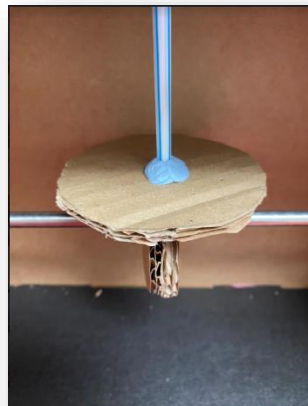
Screen Free Friday activities and wonderful work

Thank you to Year 1 and Year 3 for sharing their wonderful work with us ☺





4LF have been making moving toys with cams in Y4, using items found at home.





Olivia Dean's wonderful crispy cake instructions- great work Olivia ☺ I bet they were delicious!



Energy and Utility Support

Plymouth City Council has been awarded a grant of £250k to [Plymouth Energy Community](#) (PEC), to help families struggling to stay warm this winter. PEC can provide grants for fuel bills and other winter warmth/gas safety/energy efficient essentials. It is requested that schools and settings signpost families to PEC. Information and links will also be provided in or corporate communications and on our websites.

Dogs on site

While we are huge dog lovers at school please can we ask that dogs are not walked onto site as dog mess has been found on the fields recently- thank you.

Flooding issue by Foundation Gate

Hopefully this has been partially solved by the gravel we have put down but we still wait on the outcome of our bid for a new foundation playground surface.

Friends Valentine Gifts

A huge thank you to the Friends who continue to find new and interesting ways to support the school. They have recently been donated some lovely Valentine Gifts, which they are planning to give to lucky winners who they will draw from a hat, as a valentine surprise treat! A big thank you to the companies below for donating the beautiful gifts☺

Blush Bakes www.blushbakesplymouth.co.uk

The Donut Sisters @the_donut_sisters_ They can be found on Instagram

Nook House Plants www.nookhouseplants.com

Mother and Daughter Glass www.manddglass.com

Devon Finest Hot Chocolate Bombs which can be found via Facebook

Rest Candles www.restcandles.co.uk

Covid testing update

Please can I ask that should your child be tested for Covid-19, they self-isolate while you are waiting for the results and that if the result is **positive**, that you inform the school office asap and should this be over a weekend or during the holiday, that you email me directly at sking@chaddlewoodschool.org.uk
Thank you

Attached to this newsletter: Wellbeing posters, Fire safety Leaflet, Livewell poster

As ever please contact us with any questions, compliments or concerns.

Kind Regards: Sarah King [Headteacher]

2020-21 Dates: These are the dates that the children are in school.

Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
3rd September – 18th December 2020	5 th January – 1 st April 2021	19th April – 20th July 2021
Half – term: 26th - 30 th October.	Half – term: 15 th – 19th February	Half – term: 31 st May – 4th June
Inset day: 23 rd October	Inset day: 4 th January	Bank Holiday: 3 rd May 2021