



Chaddlewood Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back! It's been 3 days for you and 5 days for us and we are right back in the swing of things.

Welcome also to our new foundation parents and their children. We are very happy to welcome you all into the Chaddlewood family 😊

Club letters will begin to filter home in the next few days as we finally resume our after-school club program, as will trip letters. Year 5 start swimming from Monday and we welcome our new Foundation children on Monday as well. We have even started to think about Christmas! Madness!

Let me point you to the diary date to the right as we have the lovely Peter Duke joining us on the 21st September to take individual child photos, details to follow.

Onwards and upwards

Dates for your diary:

13.9.21: Foundation children start school

13.9.21: Year 5 start swimming lessons for 3 weeks

21.9.21: Individual School photos taken

We have no celebration awards this week, but I would like to say well done to **All** the children for coming back to school with such energy, enthusiasm and determination to do well 😊

We are so impressed!

We will continue to deliver our celebration assemblies remotely from next week so continue to look on your child's Google Classroom for our recording of this lovely event.

'When sunflowers can't find the sun, they face each other and share their energy. Be more like a sunflower'.

Welcome to new staff

A huge welcome to Miss Megan McAnuff who has joined us this term, teaching in foundation. We are really looking forward to working with her 😊

Nut Free school

This is my yearly reminder that we are a NUT FREE SCHOOL as we have several children with a severe and life-threatening allergy to nuts and so we ask you do not send children to school with food that contains nuts for their packed lunches. I know their families will hugely thank you for your help with this.

Year 5 swimming volunteers needed

Can you spare 1 ½ hours in the morning at some point in the next 3 weeks to walk up and down to Plympton Pool with our Year 5 children who are starting swimming lessons on Monday? We obviously have staff in place to walk with the children but would welcome more helpers. It might be that you have one morning, a week or the full 3 weeks available- either way could you call Reception on 01752 337450 or email Sarah King at sking@chaddlewoodschool.org.uk if you can help- THANK YOU.

Updated Child protection and Safeguarding Policy on the website

This annually updated policy is now available to view and download on our school websites. Printed copies of all our policies are available, on request, for a nominal printing charge.

Foundation Parent Coffee Morning and Afternoon Monday 13th September

Carol Jones, our PSA, invites all Foundation parents and grandparents to come for a coffee and biscuit after they have dropped their children off on either Monday morning or afternoon. It's a great chance to make new friends and perhaps wipe away a tear as your little ones start school for the first time. (We completely understand) The morning session is from 9-10pm in the KS1 hall and the afternoon session is 1-2pm in the Plumtree Centre, both can be accessed through Reception.

If children are unwell and unable to attend school

Please call Reception or email admin@chaddlewoodschool.org.uk if your child is unwell and not able to attend school that day.

Learning Support email

Just a reminder that we have a designated email address should you need support with any aspect of your child's learning - be that maths homework techniques, SPAG work or internet safety (or any other aspect of your child's learning). We are always very happy to support and answer any questions.

supportlearning@chaddlewoodschool.org.uk

Covid testing

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

Thank you

Attached to this newsletter:

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

Kind Regards:

