

Friday, 7 September 2018

Chenies School Friday Letter

This Week:

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome back to you all, I trust that you have had a good Summer and that you are enjoying getting back to the normality of the school routine. The children have settled in very quickly and started the year off with an excellent attitude. In our assembly on Thursday morning we welcomed new members of staff: Mrs Hulme (Office), Mrs Maxted (EYFS TA) and Mrs Keane (TA). We also welcomed all the new children to Chenies. We went through our Star Rules and talked about why they are so important to us at school.

1. Always show respect.
2. Think before you speak or act.
3. Work hard and be responsible for your own learning.
4. Allow others to concentrate on their own work.
5. Support each other.
6. Be proud of yourself, your work and Chenies school.

We also discussed standards and what this statement might mean.

'The standards you walk by are the standards you accept'

A very simple, yet thought provoking statement.

With lots of new parents it is timely to remind everyone about cars at drop-off and pick-up time. Please park your car in a way that is considerate and respectful to our neighbours and to the lovely village that is Chenies—DO NOT park on the verges or the green. When parking on the straight road opposite the main gate of the school, please park ONLY on the right hand side (opposite the houses) as you go away from the school. The owner of the Bedford Arms has kindly given permission for us to use his car park at these times, it is a three minute walk from there to the school. Have a wonderful weekend

Jonathan Hook

Chenies School Fund Donations & Gift Aid Forms:

Many thanks to all our parents/carers who regularly make payments to our Chenies School Fund to support our children with their development and learning. If you wish to make a regular payment or a one-off payment to our Chenies School Fund then please complete the forms attached and return to the office. If you are a UK tax payer, please complete the Gift Aid form and submit at the same time as the donation form to enable the school to reclaim the Gift Aid on any donation made. [Donations & Gift Aid Website Link](#)

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Parents @ Chenies School (PTA):

Thank you Thank you Thank you! We have raised a whopping £11.5K last academic year, smashing our £10K target ! Thank you for your support – from manning stalls, painting, erecting shelters, flipping burgers, baking cakes, watching films, doing crafts, buying vouchers and raffle tickets, dancing at the discos or simply joining us for the events – we couldn't have achieved this without you! The money raised will buy and maintain equipment, materials and experiences for our children.

Email: pta@chenies.bucks.sch.uk [PTA Events](#)



Clubs:

Clubs for Autumn 2018 are on the school website. Please book directly with the provider or return the form and payment to the office by Monday. For your information, the Drama club (Active Creative) will need a minimum of 8 children in order to run. **We do need all forms returned to the office indicating your club choices. See separate attachment with confirmed dates.**

Diary Dates

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
Sept 10 Sprites—lunch. Leave at 1pm (Mon-Wed)	Sept 11	Sept 12 Whole School Photos	Sept 13 Secondary Transfer Test Sprites stay all day	Sept 14 Sprites stay all day	Sept 15 Chenies Produce Show—2.30pm	Sept 16
Sept 17 Sprites Class—Full time from now on	Sept 18	Sept 19	Sept 20	Sept 21	Sept 22	Sept 23
Sept 24	Sept 25	Sept 26	Sept 27	Sept 28	Sept 29	Sept 30
Oct 1	Oct 2 9.30-Midday DCHS Basketball Year 3/4	Oct 3	Oct 4	Oct 5	Oct 6	Oct 7

Head Teacher: Mr Jonathan Hook

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