



Chapel Chat

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Happy New Year!

It was great to see the children back and refreshed following the holidays.

The children have started learning in their new topics this week you can see what they have been getting up to on the next page. Curriculum Letters and Homework Grids will give you more information about what your child is doing at school.

All of the staff have asked me to pass on their thanks for the Christmas gifts that the children sent into school for them. They really are not expected but staff do appreciate your kindness. Thank you.

Have a good weekend!

Graham Almond - Headteacher

School Meals

Take a look at the 'School Meals' page on our website to see the delicious food served at school. We will be inviting parents and carers to enjoy lunch with their children over the course of the term.

Follow the QR code find the page.



Topics—Spring Term 2019

Reception: Fireworks and Feasts

Year 1 and 2: Bright Lights, Big City

Year 3 and 4: Predator!

Year 5 and 6: Hola Mexico!



Diary Dates

Tuesday 15th January

New Age Curling (letter will be sent out)

Wednesday 23rd January

Year 1 Parents' Lunch (letter with menu)

Wednesday 30th January

Year 2 Parents' Lunch (letter with menu)

Monday 4th February (History Week)

Key Stage 2 Ancient Greek Day

Tuesday 5th February

High 5 Netball (letter will be sent out)

Wednesday 6th February

Year 3 Parents' Lunch (letter with menu)

Friday 8th February

History Week - Open Afternoon

Wednesday 13th February

Reception Parents' Lunch (letter with menu)

Thursday 14th February

Last Day of Term 3

Monday 25th February

First Day of Term 4

Tuesday 26th February

Cross Country (letter will be sent out)

Wednesday 6th March

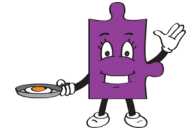
Quick Sticks Hockey
(letter will be sent out)

Monday 11th March and Wednesday 13th March

Parents' Evenings



Chapel Champions - 9th January 2019



Achievement Award

- Reception** Ruby: mastering her numbers to 20 being able to read and order.
- Year 1** Finley: for his positive and consistent approach to all areas of his school work. Especially in phonics.
- Year 2** Kye: using his reasoning skills and problem solving skills in Maths.
- Year 3** Alfie G: fabulous explanations in his multiplication and division problem solving work.
- Year 4** Ellie-Mai: wonderful effort in Maths using equipment to help her solve problems.
- Year 5** Sophie: setting the example for presentation across the class.
- Year 6** Elliot: a lightbulb moment when converting fractions to decimals.

Values Award: Initiative

- Henly: using his initiative to help others whenever they need it.
- Riley: showing initiative in his art work creating a royal self portrait.
- Daisy: using her initiative and helping others in class work.
- Lacie H: showing initiative and helping to tidy up when those around her didn't.
- Rosie: showing initiative on the playground when a classmate needed a friend.
- Macy-Jai: showing initiative in PE to perform a gymnastic sequence in a group.
- Bradley: showing initiative when competing in a team game.

Times Table Rockstar Champions

- Year 2:** Keenan W (33 games)
- Year 3:** Ryley A (36 games)
- Year 4:** Molly L (72 games)
- Year 5:** Thomas G-T (251 games!)
- Year 6:** Kaiden Harris (45 games)



A good effort. All of the children above and those who completed the challenge will meet with Mr Almond to choose their reward.

Attendance

All of the children who were at school for every day in the Autumn Term received a special 100% badge before we broke up for Christmas.

We award badges for each 'long' term (next badges awarded at Easter) and then at the end of the year there will be special rewards for those children who have 3 badges (100% attendance all year), 2 badges (two terms of 100% attendance) and 1 badge (one term of 100% attendance). It is really important the children look after their badges as they will only be able to claim their prize if they have their badges!



Our first week back!

Year 3 and 4 had a visit from two dogs to help them think up some open ended questions to start their learning this term.



Year 5 and Year 6 enjoyed tasting some Mexican dishes prepared by Mrs Richardson.



Year 1 and 2 have started their Bright Lights, Big City topic too.

