



Issue 111

Chapel Chat

The weekly news from Chapel St Leonards Primary School



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Dear Parents/Carers,

I have been fortunate enough this week to spend some time in Year 1 and Year 5 teaching Computing to the children and it was a pleasure. Year 5 learnt about the benefits of a computer based database and in Year 1 we were exploring the keyboard and word processing. I was very proud of the children who demonstrated such wonderful manners and behaviours and showed a real appetite for their learning. This is not just exclusive to these two classes but what I see each time I visit

classrooms and talk to children.



You may remember three years ago when the football World Cup was on, my good luck message to the England football team clearly worked as they reached the semi

finals! I will resume this for the Euros and in particular tonight in the match v Scotland. If England win we will keep the cross of St George flying. However if they are defeated our Scottish flag will be raised! For those watching, enjoy the game and...

Come on England!

Graham Almond

Sports Day 2021

This year Sports Day will be taking place in year groups at school during the school day during the first weeks in July.

Children will race against other children from their class. Unfortunately, we have had to make the difficult decision to not allow parents/carers to attend sports days this year. We do not feel that we can do this safely and in line with current government guidance. We will ensure that we take lots of photos and share these with you through our usual platforms.

Drowning Prevention Week

Next week is Drowning Prevention Week. This links perfectly to our whole school value of Safety. We know with our school and the community being so close to the sea that it is even more important for the children to stay safe near water. The children will discuss the importance of water safety in their classes and our assembly on Monday will focus on ways to stay safe in and around water.

We will also be running two competitions. One for EYFS/KS1 and one for KS2.



Attendance

Attendance will always be important and has been a huge focus over the last three years. Making sure the children **Here, Every day, Ready and On time** is vital. The more they are here, the more they learn the more successful they will be!

Our attendance in each class this week is:

Reception: 96.5%

Year 1: 89.41%

Year 2: 96.77%

Year 3: 98.75%

Year 4: 98.64%

Year 5: 97.71%

Year 6: 91.67%



Well done Year 3 who had the highest attendance this week!



Chapel Champions: 18th June 2021

Achievement Award

Values Award: Safety



Reception Lenny: superb effort in phonics this week with reading, writing and presentation.

Year 1 Jayden: amazing effort and improvement in phonics.

Year 2 Gracie: thoughtful explanations in Maths.

Year 3 Charley: improving his presentation and fantastic effort in maths.

Year 4 Keenan: fantastic use of punctuation in English lessons.

Year 5 Ruby: amazing persuasive letter writing .

Year 6 Lexie: super all round effort this week

Lincoln: spotting danger and making sure that his classmates are safe.

Megan: using equipment safely during PE lessons.

Ruby: always making sure that the classroom floor and cloakroom are tidy and safe.

Sydney: contributing excellent ideas on how to keep safe near water.

Jackson: great knowledge of first aid safety .

Kristoffer: thinking carefully about food hygiene in our DT lessons.

Felicite: having super knowledge of online safety during our computing lessons

Eat Them To Defeat Them

This week the children have thoroughly enjoyed defeating sweetcorn and with the roast dinner on Wednesday even made a start on defeating broccoli!

Next week is week three it is the turn of the Pepper to be defeated. **"Get stuffed Peppers!"**

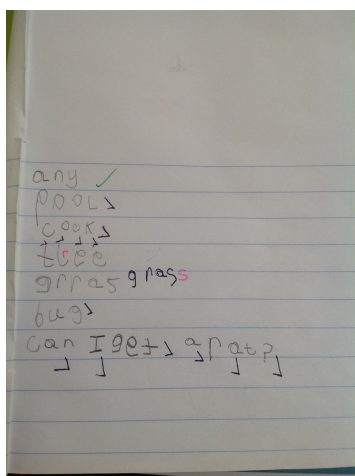


COVID-19 Notification

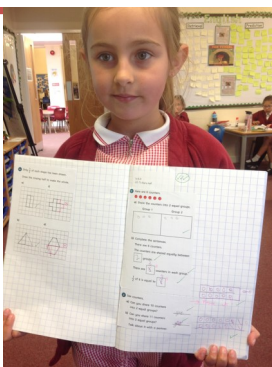
If you need to inform the school of any COVID-19 related issues (positive tests, isolation etc) out of school hours please use the school COVID email address: Covid19@chapel-cit.co.uk to keep us updated.

Staff, children, parents and carers should follow contact tracing instructions provided by 'NHS Test and Trace'. Thank you.

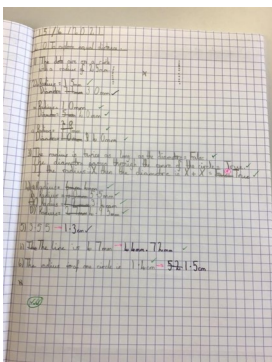
Great work this week in school...



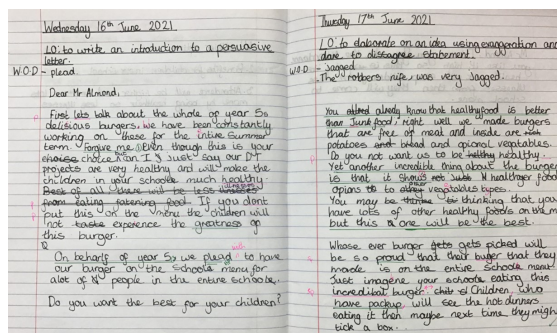
Reception



Year 2



Year 6



Year 5

