



Chaddesley Corbett Endowed Primary School Newsletter



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Thank you to everyone for taking part and sharing all the wonderful ways in which pupils have been getting involved with 'playful nature'. If you take a look out our Facebook Page - **Chaddesley Corbett Endowed Primary School** - you will be able to see all of the lovely pictures that we've been sent to share with you.



Supporting Children's Wellbeing

Here are some further suggestions of how you can support your child's wellbeing during this challenging time.

Create a scrapbook of the things they do every day, so they are focusing upon the positives of each day.

Make family time part of the weekly routine doing activities together such as board games, jigsaws, an art project, baking etc.

Re-opening School

On our website www.ccschool.co.uk there is a new tab called 'Re-opening' - there's lots of useful information on here that may answer some questions you may have - please take a look!

Speech, Language & Communication Skills Newsletter Tips
Speech, language and communication skills are important for all children, not just those with identified needs. This fun activity will heighten your awareness of speaking & listening and in turn develop language skills that are so important to literacy & learning.

Do some acting. Take in turns to act out some simple scenarios like getting a pretend present, falling over and hurting your knee, running late for work / school or finding that your bike is missing. Really emphasise body language, facial expressions as well as what to say. Lots of phones have video recording, so it is fun to play them back as well.

Reading and talking. Reading books to your child is a great way to develop your child's language. Books expose children to more complex language. For children who are learning to read hearing stories can make them more enjoyable. For able readers talk about what you have read together to further develop their understanding.

Listening walk. When walking down the street stop talking for a moment. Spend a short time listening. When you have stopped listening talk about what you heard. What was making all those noises? If one person heard a noise that others didn't then spend a few more seconds listening. Can you hear it now?



We would like to say a huge thank you to Mr Yardley who very kindly volunteered to cut the grass on our playing field, you have done a wonderful job! And also to all of the other wonderful volunteers who have already been in touch to offer their services, we really do appreciate your help!

If you are able to help us with weeding, pruning, window cleaning, painting/treating fences, painting the boiler house & sheds, cutting down dead trees, strimming please contact the school office on 01562 777312 or email je167@chaddesleycorbett.worcs.sch.uk with your availability. All of the jobs that need doing are single person jobs, so social distancing rules can be followed.

Reminders



Log into Picture News for this week's free virtual assembly

www.vimeo.com/channels/picturenews



If due to corona-virus your circumstances have changed and you've applied for Universal Credit, you may be entitled to free school meals.

During school closure this means that you would be entitled to be sent an e-voucher for £15 per week, per eligible child to spend on food. If you think that you may be eligible, please click on the link below, to make your online application.

http://www.worcestershire.gov.uk/info/20062/schools/684/applying_for_free_school_meals

Once your child has returned to school they will continue to receive free school meals in school instead.