



# Chaddesley Corbett Endowed Primary School Newsletter



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## Weekly Reading Record

Pupils who have read 3 times or more this week

Year R:	73%
Year 1:	75%
Year 2:	75%
Year 3:	88%
Year 4:	80%
Year 5:	96%
Year 6:	70%

**Well done to Year 5 you are the best readers this week!!!**

**Please encourage your child to read at least 3 times each week. It has many benefits and really will make a difference!!**

**Core value: Ambition**



Pupils who have accessed Times Table Rock Stars 3 times or more this week

Year 2:	70%
Year 3:	60%
Year 4:	50% ← Too low
Year 5:	76%
Year 6:	30% ← Far Too low

**Well done to Year 5 you are the best Times Table Rock Stars this week!**

**Please encourage your child to access Times Table Rock Stars at least 3 times each week. The importance of knowing their times tables underpins all maths concepts and can be used and applied across the maths curriculum.**

**Core value: Ambition**



## Gold Star of the Week!

**Nursery ~ George Canty**  
**Pre-School ~ Teddy Stead**  
**Rec ~ Arthur Chaloner**  
**Year 1 ~ Otis Carr**  
**Year 2 ~ Harrison Quinn**  
**Year 3 ~ Oliver Bridges**  
**Year 4 ~ Harry Thompson**  
**Year 5 ~ Hettie Jones**  
**Year 6 ~ Kimberley Garrett**

Parents/Carers of children in Years Rec - Year 6 are invited to join us at our assembly on Monday 17th April at 2.45pm to see your child receive their certificate and to hear why they are 'Star of the Week'

## Weekly Attendance from 24th - 30th March 2023

**Our target is 97%**

Year Rec:	97.31%
Year 1:	95.33%
Year 2:	95.67% <b>Attend today:</b>
Year 3:	96.00% <b>Achieve</b>
Year 4:	91.38% <b>Tomorrow!</b>
Year 5:	91.67%
Year 6:	89.63%

**Overall school attendance for this week:-**

**93.82% - requires improvement**

**Well done to Class Reception with the best attendance this week!**



After winning her Yr 6 girls District and County Cross Country finals earlier in the year, Amber represented Worcester-

shire in the National Cross Country Championship on Saturday 25th March. She finished in 24th place out of 191 girls, running 2700m in 11.07 minutes. This is an amazing achievement Amber. You should be extremely proud of yourself, we certainly are!



## Spring Term update from the Governors

I would like to once again thank you as parents for your continued support for the school. It was good to meet so many parents and carers at the Parents' Evenings last week. I also had an update from Nicky about the work that the PTFA have been involved in and are planning for the rest of the year. Many thanks once again to Nicky and all the PTFA volunteers.

A reminder for you that I always try to attend the achievement assemblies on Monday afternoons, and am happy to chat with any parents afterwards.

At the end of another busy term I would like to update you on some of the work governors have been involved in over this period. Governors have carried out a review into SEND provision in school and in the ARC, including financial and safeguarding aspects. They have also been involved with school leaders' curriculum reviews and this term's Challenge Partners visit. On the finance side, we are now working with school leaders on setting the school's budget for the next year, and making sure that in these challenging times the money is well spent on continuing to provide the best we can for the children.

But the most important task governors have had this term has been to recruit a new Headteacher to replace Mrs James. I have informed parents in a separate letter about the appointment of Mrs McGregor, and we are looking forward to her joining us at Chaddesley in September.

This week governors and trustees have been saying good-bye and good luck to Mrs James in a special celebration to thank her for the hard work, commitment and dedication she has put into her time as Headteacher, and to recognise the huge contribution she has made to the improvement of our school. We wish her the very best of luck in her new role.

Gill Griffiths, Chair of Governors.



Thank you to everyone who attended our Easter Service led by the children in Year 5 supported by the children in Years 3, 4 & 6 with the singing. What a lovely service!

Thank you to all the staff for your help with rehearsals and accompanying the children safely back to school through the back lanes.

We would like to take this opportunity of wishing everyone a very happy and safe Easter and we look forward to seeing everyone back in school on Monday 17th April.

# ATTENDANCE MATTERS

every school day counts.

Whole School Attendance for the Spring Term:

95.11% - requires improvement

This means we have not exceeded our target of 97%. This has not been helped with the number of sickness bugs that the children seemed to have had this term. Lets hope we see a decline in cases throughout the summer term and we can get back on track in exceeding our target again!



We welcome a new Member of Staff who has joined the Team

We are very pleased to welcome Sharon Dyer who recently took over as the new Finance / Administration Co-ordinator in the office. As well as Financial tasks, Mrs Dyer will be looking after Nursery & Pre-School bookings and administration for School visits.

I'm sure you will join us in making Mrs Dyer feel welcome.



## KS2 Girls Football Fixture vs Winterfold House School

On Wednesday, girls from Years 5 and 6 joined together to play a friendly match against a mixed year 5 and 6 girls team from Winterfold House School. The girls played two 15 minute halves and ran out 6-5 winners thanks to goals from Amber Teale, Grace Jordan and Isla Dawson. The girls played brilliantly as a team and encouraged each other throughout. This was the very first match for some of the girls who are now really looking forward to the next one. A mixed team of Year 3 and 4 girls also played a friendly match against Winterfold House School the same afternoon. This too was the first experience of playing a match for all but two of the girls. All of the girls thoroughly enjoyed the game despite not quite managing to get a victory. The girls lost 3-2 in a close match that saw Sienna Jordan score two superb goals for Chaddesley Corbett Primary. The girls are raring to go for their next match which I am trying to arrange for the Summer term. Well done to everyone who took part!



Please see information attached to this newsletter regarding some exciting news from the PTFA about a Card Making Competition, a Colouring Competition and the Flip, Dippy & Co Magic Clown Show.

*If you need any card from school for the Card Making Competition, please ensure you see your child's class teacher this afternoon.*



Cup hands, dominant hand on top, two small claps/movements towards the body.

Index finger of right hand draws a cross on top of left hand starting from finger up hand then left to right.

## Summer Uniform

When we return after Easter children may wear their Summer Uniform

Here is a reminder:-

### All Pupils

Grey short trousers / navy skirt or green chequered dress  
Short-sleeve white shirt (**not a polo shirt**)  
Grey / white socks  
Black / navy shoes (**not trainers, boots or sandals**)  
Logoed cardigan or sweatshirt if required

**Please ensure that all items of clothing (including coats, shirts and trousers) are clearly labelled with your child's name.**



As the weather starts to warm up please ensure your child has their sun cream, sun hat and water bottle with them in school each day.

**Again, please ensure that all of your child's items are clearly**

## SEND Drop-in

Miss Edwards is running the SEND drop-in on the following day week commencing 17th April 2023:-

Wednesday 2.30pm - 4.00pm

Please feel free to drop-in during the above times to discuss any concerns you have about your child's educational needs.

## Closing the Word Gap!

As a fun activity we will provide a word every week for you to talk about with your child.

Give it a go and see if they understand it! Use it in some sentences and see if they can too.

There are also words on your children's topic sheets.



This week we are celebrating National Autism Acceptance week.

The theme for this week is colour. Find out how you can get involved and more information at:

[www.autism.org.uk](http://www.autism.org.uk)

The ARC children would like to wish everyone a very Happy Easter!





**'Free!'**

# EASTER CRAFTS

**DROITWICH SPA HERITAGE & INFORMATION CENTRE**



**COME ALONG FOR SOME FREE FAMILY FUN**

**EASTER OPENING HOURS:**  
 MONDAY 3RD-THURSDAY 6TH APRIL 10:00-4:00  
 SATURDAY 8TH APRIL 10:00-1:30  
 WEDNESDAY 12TH - FRIDAY 14TH APRIL 10:00-4:00  
 SATURDAY 15TH APRIL 10:00-1:30

**Droitwich Spa Heritage & Information Centre**  
 St Richards House  
 Droitwich Spa  
 WR9 8DS

## Upcoming Dates for your Diary

### April

Monday 17th - Increase to School Meals to £2.40 per day  
 Monday 17th - Return to School  
 Thursday 20th - Year 4 Road Safety Training  
 Friday 21st - Yr Rec - Yr 6 Bluebell walk to Chaddesley Woods at 9.15am  
 Friday 28th - PTFA Flip & Dippy Show  
 Monday 24th - Friday 28th - Year 5 Bikeability Training  
 Wednesday 26th - Rugby Tournament

### May

Monday 1st - Early May Bank Holiday  
 Thursday 4th - Year 4 Road Safety Training  
 Friday 5th - Coronation Picnic  
 Monday 8th - Bank holiday for the coronation of King Charles III  
 Tuesday 9th - Friday 12th - Year 6 SATS  
 Friday 26th - Break up for half term

### June

Monday 5th - Return to school  
 Monday 19th - Teacher Training Day (school closed to pupils)

### July

Friday 21st - Break up for the summer holidays  
 Monday 24th - Teacher Training Day (school closed to pupils)  
 Tuesday 25th - Teacher Training Day (school closed to pupils)

Further upcoming dates will be displayed on the front page of the website - <https://www.ccschool.co.uk/>

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# Big Canal Walk & Family Scavenger Hunt

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May 2023**

**Choose from:**

- ✧ 5k Family Scavenger Hunt
- ✧ 10k Walking Route
- ✧ 13.5mile circular trek from Kidderminster to Kinver



**Sign up online today:**  
[kemphospice.org.uk/canal-walk](http://kemphospice.org.uk/canal-walk)



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### **13.5 mile Walk:**

Family of 4	£30
Adults	£10
Children 16 and under	£7
Dogs	£3

### **10k Walk:**

Family of 4	£20
Adults	£8
Children 16 and under	£5
Dogs	£3

### **5k Family Scavenger Hunt:**

Family of 4	£15
Adults	£6
Children 16 and under	£4
Dogs	£3

**Take on a 13.5mile circular trek from Kidderminster to Kinver, a 10k walking route around the Worcestershire waterways or a family friendly 5k walk and scavenger hunt**



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## Safeguarding Team

If you have any concerns that a child is being harmed, or is at risk of harm, you must contact one of the following people immediately.



**Mrs Emma James**  
 Designated Safeguarding Lead



**Miss Jayne Edwards**  
 Deputy Safeguarding Lead



**Mrs Esther Richmond**  
 Deputy Safeguarding Lead



**Mrs Bromage**  
 Pastoral Care Manager



**Mr Keith Buncle**  
 Safeguarding Governor

Safeguarding is everyone's business- Focus on the voice of the child