



# CHURCHFIELDS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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**"Be the best you can be"**

Part of the Collective Vision Multi-Academy Trust

6<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Dear parents and carers,

I hope you are enjoying the long weekend. Last week, we were visited by the CEO of Collective Vision Trust who took a tour of the school. As always the children were fantastic and were engaged in their learning with excellent recall of the crucial knowledge. Well done to all.

You may have noticed that we have removed the books from the book library. This is a precautionary measure as we had a few older children who have been coming on the premises and stealing the books. Luckily the PCSO are supporting us with putting precautions in place.

Last week, we had our external health and safety audit and they were very impressed with the standard and upkeep of the building. We have been asked to remind parents about the procedures for medication.

## **What to do if my child needs medication in school:**

We believe it is important for all children to attend school as regularly as possible and we are aware that this may, on occasions involve giving your child medicine. However, we must ensure we do it safely and appropriately, so the following must be followed:

1. All medication must come to the main school office. This ensures it is recorded properly in school and stored appropriately.
2. You will be asked to fill in a medication form. You will need to complete the whole form so we know it is safe for us to administer the medicine. This includes, dosage, when it was last given and time of next dose.
3. Only suitably qualified members of staff will administer medicines.
4. Staff will check the expiry date, the name the medicine has been prescribed to and maximum dosage of the medication being administered to your child each time it is administered. If it is out of date, it will not be given. We will NOT give above the prescribed amount or if it is prescribed in a different name.
5. When administering the medicine the member of staff will check the consent form and the dosage and instructions.

If the member of staff has any concerns about giving medication to your child, the medication will not be given and we will call you to explain the reasons why. If your child refuses to take their medication, staff will not force them to do so and we will call you and let you know.

At the end of the day please come back to the office to collect the medication and return the following day if needed with information about last dosage.

Remember if your child needs medication on a regular basis please make an appointment with Mrs Pattison to set up a care plan.

### **Goodbye and Good luck**

This week, we said goodbye to Mrs Smith as she started her maternity leave. We are all looking forward to the pictures and a cuddle when the baby is born.

### **Dates for the term**

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| Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> May                                | Stoke assembly (children only)                               |
| Week beginning 13 <sup>th</sup> May                          | Year 6 SATs  |
| Week beginning 20 <sup>th</sup> May                          | Sports week and walk to school week                          |
| Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May                                  | Break up half term   |
| Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June                                  | School restarts  |
| Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> June                                 | 5:30 New intake evening                                      |
| Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> June                                | Marvellous Men EYFS 2:15                                     |
| Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> June                                 | Own clothes day  |
| Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> June                                 | Stoke Penalty Shoot Out (Children only)                      |
| Saturday 15 <sup>th</sup> June                               | Summer Fair 12-3   |
| Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> June                                 | Llandudno Trip   |
| Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> June – Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> June | London Trip selected year 6                                  |
| Tuesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> July 6pm                             | School choir@CCSC  |
| Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> July                               | Transition day   |
| Thursday 4 <sup>th</sup> July                                | Alton Towers year 6  |
| Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> July                                  | Own clothes day  |
| Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> July                              | Stoke City Presentation                                      |
| Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> July                               | Year 4 trip to Chester                                       |
| Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> July                               | Reading Ambassadors selling ice pops                         |
| Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> July                                 | Reports to parents   |
| Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> July                                 | 2:00 RSL Graduation  |
| Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July                                | 2:00 RSN Graduation  |
| Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup> July                                | 6:00 Awards evening  |
| Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup> July                              | 2:00 Nursery graduation                                      |
| Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> July 9:30am                        | Year 6 Leavers Assembly                                      |
| Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> July 2:00pm                        | School finishes for the summer break. Year 6 leave at 2:15pm |
| Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September – Training day              |  |
| Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> September – Training day             |  |
| Children return Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> September 8:30     |  |

## **Academic year 2024 – 2025**

### *Autumn term 2024*

**Inset days:** Monday 2 September / Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September

**Children return:** Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September

**Holiday:** Monday 28 October – Friday 1 November

**Term ends:** Friday 20 December

**Holiday:** Monday 23 December – Friday 3 January

### *Spring Term 2025*

**Term starts:** Monday 6 January

**Holiday:** Monday 17 February – Friday 21 February

**Term ends:** Friday 11 April

**Holiday:** Monday 14 April – Friday 25 April

### *Summer Term 2025*

**Term starts:** Monday 28 April

**May Day:** Monday 5 May

**Holiday:** Monday 26 May – Friday 30 May

**Training day:** Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June

**Children return:** Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June

**Term ends:** Friday 18 July

Two training days to be arranged

### **Stars of the Week**

|           |            |   |
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| Nursery   | Mrs Clowes | Saphyre Mason for knowing lots of sounds and actions using Jolly Phonics                      |
| Reception | Mrs Locker | Lynn Carter for making amazing progress   |
| Reception | Mrs Nixon  | Leah Shaughnessy-Corrin for fantastic number recognition using Numicon                        |
| 1B        |            | George Henry Copeland for fantastic sentence writing using our conjunctions 'and, but and so' |
| 1M        |            | Glena Mahammad for a super first week at Churchfields   |
| 2B        |            | Ruby Sargeant for always being the best she can be  |
| 2M        |            | Mikey Mcging for always being the best he can be  |
| 3R        |            | Tillie-Mae Ashmore-Finney for always trying her best  |
| 3S        |            | The whole class for being fantastic during my last week                                       |
| 4B        |            | Zoe Halasz for always being the best that she can be  |
| 4S        |            | Annie Sargeant for her enthusiasm in science  |
| 5A        |            | Olly Birks for amazing contribution and effort in all lessons                                 |

- 5L Ellie Hambly-Middleton for excellent work in a tricky maths lesson
- 6C Imogen Hollinshead for being the best that she can be and trying her hardest in all lessons
- 6S Lucas Hackney for always being ready to learn

### **PE Stars**

#### **EYFS**

Ophelia – Alice Teichmann (RN) for showing super confidence

#### **KS1**

Spencer Haden (2M) always been ready to learn

#### **LKS2**

Teddy Boyle (3R) for showing enthusiasm to develop his skills

#### **UKS2**

Linkin Sargeant (5L) for great effort of focus and determination

### **Head Teacher's Stars**

- NURSERY Arabella McDonald for super number recognition and brilliant phonic knowledge
- RECEPTION Poppy Sargeant for being so sensible and grown up as a new big sister
- KS1 Amelia Hammonds for a positive attitude to her learning
- LKS2 Charlie Pattison for always making me smile
- UKS2 Harriet Podmore for being an excellent role model

20 Blues: Elsie Podmore

#### 10 Blues:

Elsie Hulson, Alarya Carnall, Donnie Viggars, Scarlett Rutter, Isaac Barrs, Linkon Wales, Olivia Pitchers, Logan Jackson, Elsie Podmore, Grace Copeland, Evie-Lou Sargeant, Edie Clewlow, Alessia Fiore, Ayla Gajewski, Harry Clark, Harvey Washington, Layton Bosson-Taylor, Minnie Clewes, Hannah Pitchers, Evie Hastings, Albert Burgess, Amaiyah Lindsay-Cope and Darci Nelson, Arabella McDonald, Ophelia–Alice Teichmann, Olivia Hammonds, Marcie Elliot, Albert Sargeant, Gabriel Birchall, Ella-Rose Petrillo, Aurelia Lukaszewicz, Rudy Barrow, Macie Mae Evans, Rebeca Sinitari, Finley Taylor, Isabella Lockett-Dutton, Isabelle Shaw, Riley Phillips, Emily Naylor, Evelyn Cooper Emily Currie, Arlia Dutton, Josie Cosens, Scarlett Alder, Remi Spilsbury, Sienna Loforte, Oliver Dale, Ivy Weaver, Penelope Farr, Alice Thompson, Kieran Cowley, Maya Ward, Mia Hastings, Brandon Carnall, Sofia Mason, Saphyre Mason, Olly Hollings, Mabel Anibueze, Katy-Rose Yeomans, George Plunkett-Williams,

Arthur Hurst, Alivia Brown, Lynn Carter, Lacie Critchlow, Jenson Dale, Dylan Harper, Maddison Hawkes, Amelia Hammonds, Daisy-Mae Dale, Rehaan Jones, Isabelle Hollingworth, Lacie-Paige Barlow, Amelia Elkins-Shaw, Megan Bates, Olivia Maddox and Charlie Sidebottom, Freddie Pattison, Lola-Rose Seaton, Akira Bradley, Finley Shakespeare, Nova-Rae Roberts, Jaxon Taaffe, Daisy Booth, Joel Arrowsmith, Lily Gallimore, Jaxon Summers, Olivia Maynard, Dawid Lukaszewicz, Renie-Mae Loforte, Teddy Boyle, Tommy-James Matthew, Miley Morris, Arya Jones, Mason Woollams, Evie-Rose Hemmings, Aiyden Kureya, Oscar Sidebottom, Lola-May Brookes, Jackson Hackney, Calvin Hackney, Sophia Walker, Hattie Grewcock and Ruby Sargeant

And joining this week: 20 Blues: Arabella McDonald and Minnie Clewes

10 blues: Ethan Tony, Michelle Obioha, Mya-Rose Dale, Ruchelle Samararatne, George Gray, Hannah Nash, George Henry Copeland, Lucas Beeston, Ollie Sinclair, Charlotte Hammonds, Alfie Jackson, Lilly Forshaw and Brody Webb

**Attendance**

Y3 have the best year group attendance of the week on 97%

Attendance best class this week: 3R = 99%

We must also praise: 3S and 4B on 96% 2M on 98%

Whole school attendance for the week is 93%

**Team of the Week**

R 2,537

Y 2,411

**G 3,242**

B 3,112

**Team of the term, so far**

R 6,062

Y 6,015

**G 6,796**

B 6,694

Any general queries or if you are unsure who to contact – [office@cfp.school](mailto:office@cfp.school) or [headteacher@cfp.school](mailto:headteacher@cfp.school)

Thank you for your continued support,

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Headteacher