



Chiddingly Primary School

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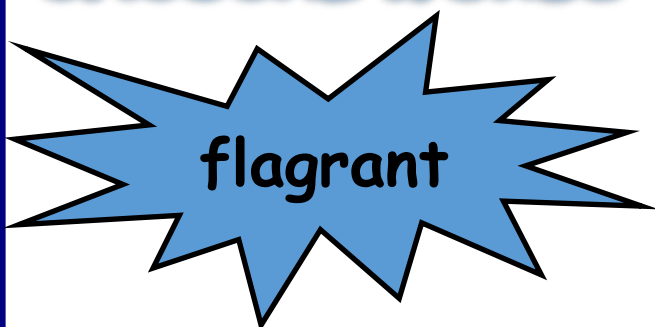
Friday 27th January 2017

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"Achievement for All, Learning Together, Learning for Life"

INTERESTING,
USEFUL AND
UNUSUAL WORDS



Definition of flagrant (adjective) in English:

1. shockingly noticeable or evident; obvious; glaring: a flagrant error
2. notorious; scandalous: a flagrant crime; a flagrant offender

Tesco Project –
Chiddingly School Pond

If you shop at one of the Tesco stores below, please vote for our Pond Project, as we could win £2000 or £5000!!! Voting closes on 28th January.

To Vote:
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to your local
TESCO

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Lost Property

There are quite a few school jumpers, cardigans, hats, gloves and plimsolls in the lost property box! If your child is missing any of the above please come to the school office to have a look through the items.



End of Term Celebrations

On **Thursday 9th February** classes will be celebrating Term 3 topics. Parents are welcome to celebrate with them in classrooms at 3.15pm .



Attendance

The whole school attendance for this year so far is **95.9%**

This week's attendance:

Oak - 96.19%

Beech - 97.14%

Willow - 98.52%

Sycamore - 94.29%

Well done to **Willow** for having the highest attendance this week !

Learning Powers Certificate

On **Friday 3rd February**, in our celebration assembly at **9.25am**, the following children will be celebrating their achievements. Please come along if you are free.

Oak - Archie Plummer

Beech - Amber Richards-Forseay

Willow - Ria Dowling

Sycamore - Kerry Matthews

Emergency School Closures

You can get alerts about emergency school closures by signing up to the system on www.eastsussex.gov.uk.. For more information please contact Information for Families team on 03456 080192.

Should the school be shut in an emergency (e.g. bad weather), we will also try to send a ParentMail text out as soon as possible so please make sure you are signed up to this. If you are unsure, please ask Miss Chewter in the school office. There is also a form attached to this newsletter should you wish to sign up to ParentMail.



Violin Lessons

The East Sussex Music Service are offering group lessons on the violin.

For more information, including fees and their offer of a reduced rate for eligible families, please follow the link or call 01273 336770: <https://www.eastsussex.gov.uk/educationandlearning/music/fees/lessons>



Forest School

This week, Willow Class made fire! Mr Ottaway kindly brought in some big shells and the children took it in turns to use the steels to light some cotton wool to start the fire. Finley was an expert helper and was determined to help the others achieve their goal. Then the children had great fun roasting marshmallows and making 'sandwiches' using chocolate biscuits! There were lots of messy hands and faces by the end! The children were so careful around the fire and showed just how responsible they can be - well done!

While the children were waiting to roast marshmallows, they explored the woods to find leaves and other items to create some art work. They used googly eyes to bring their characters to life and were very creative! Then, to help the children warm up, Mrs Filkin and Mrs Ursell created a great game where they had to work together as a team to guide a blindfolded person!

Well done, Willow Class - you were fantastic!



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Tractor Visit in Oak Class

Oak Class enjoyed a visit by a very special vehicle last week! Chris the farmer from Burgh Hill Farm came to visit us with his enormous green and yellow tractor! Bonham very quickly said, "That's a John Deere tractor! I know because of the colours and the badge!" We had a look around the tractor and saw that there were two sets of wheels. The back set were even bigger than all of us! We asked Chris lots of questions about the tractor and wanted to know the job of every part of it. Mrs Winchester was very impressed with our confidence when our visitor came and the questions that we asked. Many thanks to Chris for taking time out of his busy day to visit us!



Open Books Assembly

On Thursday 27th January, we had a visit from the Open Book group in our assembly.

Kye said the assembly was really fun! Amy explained that they were told a story about Jesus healing people and some of Sycamore even got involved!



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Growth Mindset

Tough Turtle of the Week



Finley

For never giving up and for helping others in his class during Forest School.



Sainsbury's Active Kids Vouchers

If you shop in Sainsbury's, we would be grateful if you collect and donate as many vouchers as possible. Our collection box is in the school office.

Vouchers can be collected instore and online at Sainsbury's from 25th January until 2nd May.



Sainsbury's
Active Kids 2017
Eat well • Move well • Live well

British Values Citizen of the Week

This week's Citizen of the Week is:

Aidan Holder

For being a good friend to others in his class.



Chiddingly Stars of the Week are:



Kai Hibbart (Willow) - For showing a fantastic growth mindset for all his work across this week. Well done Kai!

Ria Dowling (Willow) - For fantastic hard work with her spellings and for helping friends in her class. Ria also consistently works so hard to achieve well in school and is in the star book twice this week! Brilliant, well done Ria!

Priya Horne and Violet Knight (Willow) - For impressive fraction work. They both worked really hard and showed great determination in finding the fractions of numbers very effectively!

Isobel Fisher (Beech) - For excellent writing about Spinderella — lots of hard work and a great effort!

Oak class — For being so grown up and coming into school independently through the main door.



Top Table winner:

Mexico (25 points)

Floyd

Tommy

Jack

Grace

Verity

Lacey

The runner up this week is USA

This Week's House Points:



Big Ben 185



London Eye 199



Buckingham Palace 184

This week's winner is:

London Eye

Diner of the Week:

Ria Dowling

For being polite and having good manners.



Dates for your diary 2016/2017

(Changes in italics)

February 2017

8th — Parent Workshop

(guided reading)

9th — End of term celebrations

Classes will be celebrating
Term 3 topics with parents at
3.15pm

10th — Last day of term

20th — New term begins

March 2017

2nd — Book Day

6th — E-Safety performance (morning)

14th — Parent Forum 9.00 to 9.25am

16th — Bags 2 School collection
(morning)

20th & 22nd — Parent Consultation
Evening 4.00 to 6.00pm

31st — Easter Service at 2.00pm and
end of term

April 2017

18th — New term begins

May 2017

1st — May Bank Holiday

3rd — Parent Forum 9.00 to 9.25am

15th — Enterprise week

24th — Awe and Wonder day at 2.30pm

26th — End of term

June 2017

5th — INSET day

6th — New term begins

13th — Parent Forum 9.00 to 9.25am

29th — Table Tennis Tournament at
12.30pm

July 2017

6th — Sports Day at 9.30am

7th — School reports

10th & 14th — Parent Consultation
Evening 4.00 to 6.00pm (to
discuss reports only)

14th — Summer Production at 2pm and
6.30pm (dress rehearsal 12th
July at 2.00pm)

20th — Leavers' Service at 2.00pm and
end of term

21st — INSET day

24th — Ground Force Day

Parent Workshops 2016/17

Following feedback from the parent forum, we will be running workshops in school to support parents with developing children's learning at home. The dates for these, and focuses are below.

Parent Workshops 2016/17			
Term	Maths Focus Parent Workshop	Reading Focused Parent Workshop	Grammar Focused Parent Workshop
3	Reasoning skills Date: 12.1.17 9am	How guided reading/ reciprocal reading are delivered Date: 8.2.17 after school	Grammar terminology Date: 25.1.17 9am
4	Maths SATS (Y2 and Y6 parents) Date: TBC	Reading SATS (Y2 and Y6 parents) Date: TBC	Grammar SATs (Y2 and Y6 parents) Date: TBC

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Your name.....

Child/ren's name/s Class

Email address (please write clearly)

Mobile phone no