



Chater Infant School Newsletter

Spring Term 9
17th March 2023
Newsletter

School Office Hours are Monday to Friday 08.30 to 16.00 Hrs

Ask your children about our Resilient Friends



Question of the Week:

Answer to last weeks question:

I have bright red eyes and 2 eyelids on each eye
Hercules Beetle



Turtles

Happy Birthday to:

Hareem, Laila, Anaaya and Pranav



Star Writer of the week



Menaal



Aizah



Alfie



Asta



Zamin



Thomas

Well done Kingfisher who are the Attendance Award Winner for this week!

The overall attendance figure for this week is **89.14%** Our aim is to meet the government target of at least **96%**

Class Attendance for this week is:

Nursery AM: 89.58%

Nursery PM: 90%

Nursery All day: 90.91 %

Puffin: 88.1%

Swan: 80.91%

Heron: 90.88%

Woodpecker: 83.64%

Owl: 95.3%

Kingfisher: 95.45 %

Ramadan NSPCC Fundraiser on 20th March

(Registered charity no. 216401)

Please join us for this exciting event where we will be holding a raffle for a chance to win some amazing prizes. Raffle tickets will be on sale at the event. There will be a number of fun and exciting games to play. Grab yourself a chance to win an Aamina and Yousuf doll, as well as 2 luxury hampers!

Refreshments will be on sale. Donations for our food stall would be greatly appreciated

Entry tickets are still available for purchase in the school office at £5 per Family.

Please bring cash with you as we will not be able to take card payment



Milk for Summer Term 2023

Due to a system error, parents were unable to register their child on Arbor to receive milk for the summer term. This has now been resolved. Please ensure you have registered on Arbor by **Friday 24th of March 2023**. Your child is entitled to free milk if they are in receipt of Pupil Premium. To register, please visit Arbor, select 'Clubs' then select 'Milk club'. If you wish for your child to have milk next term, the cost will be £23.40.

Clubs for the Summer Term

Clubs for Summer Term are available to book from Monday 13th March.

Breakfast Club is also available to all children. For more information please speak to the School Office staff.

Year 1 Shapes Parade Performance 29th & 30th of March

Please note, the dress rehearsal for the Y1 performance has now changed to the 28th of March, this is for small children only.

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<https://www.facebook.com/chaterinfants.herts.sch.uk>

Dates for your diary:

Spring Term 2023

20th March NSPCC Ramadan fundraiser! 4pm to 6pm
24th March KS1 assessment meeting (SATS) at 9am
28th March The Shapes Parade Y1 Dress rehearsal at 9.30am (for small children)
29th March The Shapes Parade Y1 show parents only 2.00pm
30th March The Shapes Parade Y1 show parents only 9.30am

Summer Term 2023

21st April Wear it Wild Fundraising for WWF
27th April Health & Fitness work shop

Term Dates

Holidays **must not** be booked during school term time

Spring Term (2023)

Term ends : 31st March (1.45pm finish)

Summer Term (2023)

Children in : 17th April

Bank Holiday : 1st May

Bank Holiday : 8th May (King's Coronation)

Inset Day: 26th May

Half term : 29th May to 2nd June

End of Term : 20th July (1.45pm finish)

What will we be learning next week.

Nursery

Literacy: We will continue to learn to retell the story of Mrs. Wishy Washy by Joy Cowley
Maths: We will be observing the children's independent counting skills this week
Other areas: We will have a science themed week and will complete a number of exciting science investigations

Reception: P.E day is Monday

English: We will be starting work on a new book, 'Little Red Riding Hood'
Maths: We will be comparing quantities and lengths (using more/less and longer/shorter)
Science: We will be continuing to learn about the human body, this week's focus is on the heart.

Year 1: P.E days are Tuesday and Friday

English: We are writing instructions on how to be a pirate
Maths: We are learning about capacity
Geography: We are learning about the 4 countries in the United Kingdom

Year 2: P.E days are Thursday and Friday

English: We will be finishing our versions of 'The Snail and the Whale' and will be writing acrostic poems
Maths: We will be learning how to find fractions of numbers
Science : We will be conducting a range of scientific experiments

Wearing P.E. Kits to School on P.E. Days is changing from Monday 23rd Jan

On PE Days please send your child in with their PE Kit in a draw string bag which will hang on their peg. Post Covid we will revert back to the children changing in to their PE Kit in school. **Earrings must be removed on P.E days.**

Winter Menu 2022 / 2023

WEEK 2				
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Chicken & Vegetable Pie with Herby Potatoes or Rice	GF Vegetable Burgers	Roast Chicken with Sage and Onion Stuffing	Quorn Hotdog with Potato Wedges or Pasta	Crispy Coated Salmon
Cheese & Veg Pasties with Herby Potatoes or Rice	Tomato Bolognaise	Lentil Roast	Roast Vegetable Lasagne with Garlic Bread	Cheese & Tomato Pizza
Jacket Potato with various toppings	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Beans	Roast Potatoes or Wholemeal Pasta	Jacket Potato with various toppings	Low Fat Chips or Pasta
Strawberry Mousse	Fresh Fruit	Toffee Apple Date Cake with Custard	Fruit Jelly	Chocolate Brickwall

Lunch times

We actively encourage children to take school lunches - these are FREE to all Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children. If your child has not tried a school lunch, now might be a good time to encourage them to do so. If your child has a packed lunch it is important that it is a healthy and well balanced one. Please note that crisps, packets of biscuits, sweets and chocolate bars are **not allowed**. These will be sent back home in the child's lunch box. Chopped up vegetables and fruit, a sandwich, pasta, rice, wrap or rotis and yoghurts provide healthier options. **COLD TAKE AWAY FOOD IS NOT HEALTHY**

NUTS AND KIWI ARE NOT ALLOWED IN SCHOOL.