



Chittlehampton C of E Primary School

Fortnightly Newsletter

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Our Vision

A caring, learning community, fulfilling potential and achieving excellence together guided by our Christian Values.

Creativity Courage Endurance Forgiveness Friendship Wisdom

Last week we celebrated **Friendship:**
Poppy: for thinking of others

Cassius: for helping tidy up

This week we celebrated: **Creativity**
Fred: for his excellent work in
History

Remembrance Day

On Wednesday the whole school marked remembrance day by visiting the war memorial. 'In Flanders Fields' poem was read, followed by a period of reflection and the two minute silence. The children showed great respect and Taw Class laid the wreath they made in memory of all those who have fallen. Thank you to those who donated money towards the poppy appeal.



Once we know how much we raised we will let you know.



Sponsored Silence

Yesterday afternoon was very quiet in school, all the children made a great effort to stay quiet especially Taw Class. If you have not returned your sponsor money yet please do so on Monday, thank you.



Children In Need

Today we raised **£16** for Children in Need by coming to school dressed in their home clothes. Thank you for supporting these worthwhile cause.

FOCS NEWS

Fundraising - the FOCS have set up a new easyfundraising page for our school. Easyfundraising turns your everyday online shopping into free donations for the school. The shops include all the big names like eBay, John Lewis & Partners, Argos, ASOS, Expedia, M&S, Just Eat and many more!

Each time you shop online you must start off at the easy fundraising page, then shop as normal. Retailers will then make a small donation to say "thank you". The link below will take you to start your online shopping. Thank you for your support.

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/chittlehamptonprimaryschool>

Christmas Events

Further to our letter yesterday, at our planned Nativity on Thursday 17th December after careful consideration we can now only safely accommodate two people per family and not two people per pupil. Thank you in advance for your cooperation in this matter. A reminder that you will need to book a performance time, please either email or telephone Sarah.

School Photographs Change of Date

Please note, the date has now changed to **Friday 27th November**. Due to Covid restrictions we are not able to allow siblings from outside of the school to participate this year. Sorry for any inconvenience caused.



Reverse Advent Calendar

As suggested by the FOCS we are pleased to be supporting the North Devon Foodbank this Christmas by organizing a reverse advent calendar.

A letter went home this week with full details. Right is reminder of items needed.



Admissions 2020-2021

Please note that the application process for applying to Primary and Junior Schools will open on **15th November 2019** and close on **15th January 2020**. Parents are invited to apply between those dates via the online application facility at

www.devon.gov.uk/admissionsonline

Applications cannot be made online after the closing date, hard copy forms can be requested via the Education Helpline on 0345 155 1019.

Maritime Motifs

They are open throughout the current lockdown by appointment only. Please contact Margaret on 01769 572727 or by text message on 07776792475.

Blue Peter

Blue Peter is the longest running kids TV show in the world and they have launched a YouTube channel which is free to subscribe (link below). They are uploading videos that are suitable for 5-11 year olds. They have world record breaking challenges, arts and crafts, environmental videos, cooking and baking how to do's, inspirational films, gaming, celebrity appearances, dance routines and music performances.

<https://www.youtube.com/bluepeter>

Diary Dates

- 27th November - Individual School Photographs
- 2nd December - Open Day 4-5pm
- 3rd December - Open Day 4-5pm
- 4th December - Open Day 4-5pm
- 18th December - End of Autumn Term
- 6th January 2021 - Start of Spring Term
- 15th-19th February 2021 - Spring Half Term
- 1st April 2021 - End of Spring Term
- 20th April 2021 - Start of Summer Term
- 3rd May 2021 - May Bank Holiday
- 31st May-4th June 2021 - Summer Half Term
- 23rd July 2021 - End of Summer Term