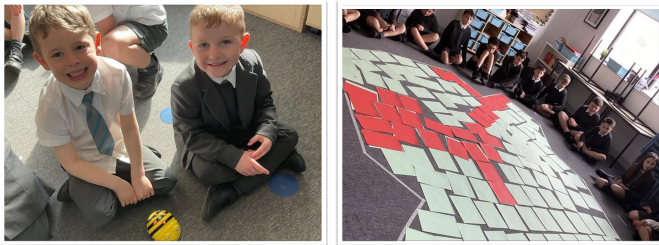


Weekly Newsletter

DIGITAL WELLBEING

In the lead up to our Digital Wellbeing Parent Workshop on the evening of Wednesday 25th June, the Department for Digital Culture are going to share a parent/carer information poster from the National College with the newsletter each week. It might be based on an aspect of digital wellbeing, online safety or be specific to a certain app. To start us off, the department have selected an information poster about top tips for setting up parental controls on different devices. We thought this was the most important poster to start with and helps signpost many of the different parental control options on devices like phones, iPads, Nintendo Switches, PCs, PlayStations and Xbox. [This weeks poster can be found by clicking on this link.](#)

We also thought this would be a good time to let you know about Stockport's new online safety hub: [Online Safety Hub - Stockport LA](#). This is a great new website designed to be a one stop shop for digital wellbeing and safety for parents and carers in Stockport.



PARENT COUNCIL

Our next Parent Council meeting will be taking place after school on Monday 17th March and we would like to use this as an opportunity to garner feedback from you all on the following topics:

- Online safety - how the school supports this and what help you require as parents
- School communications - any general comments on this as well as anything specifically related to communicating how your child is progressing

If you have any feedback at all for us on any aspects of this, please communicate these via your class rep or by emailing admin@cheadlehulmeprimary.co.uk.

PLAYGROUND MARKINGS - THANK YOU PTA!

Thanks to PTA funding, we have had some lovely new playground and MUGA markings this week. Many thanks to everyone who continues to support our fabulous PTA in their fundraising efforts. We are in the process of finalising designs for some bigger plans for our field which we hope to share more details of soon!

Thank you also to everyone who supported the PTA Quiz night last Friday, with particular thanks to our Quizmasters and question writers. It was a great evening with a variety of rounds to appeal to all, including a closely fought contest to make the best Stockport Viaduct out of play dough and a 'guess the crisp flavour' round with some interesting and unusual flavours!

EID CELEBRATIONS

Muslims in the UK and around the world are currently observing the Holy month of Ramadan. It is in the ninth month of the Islamic calendar and is a time of fasting, reflection, community and family. This month concludes with the festival Eid- Al -Fitr (currently expected 30th/31st March) and is celebrated globally by Muslims to mark the end of Ramadan. We would love you to send photographs of your EID celebrations with us to share in class.

On Thursday 3rd April, we are excited to hold our Eid Day celebrations. We will start with a collaborative assembly listening to an Eid story told through one whole school text, authored by one of our parents, followed by a number of classroom activities throughout the day. We are looking for parent/carer volunteers who are able to help apply henna transfers to enrich the children's experience. Please email school with your times available.

We would invite all the children to come in their 'best clothes' for the day.





Bravery



Citizenship



Curiosity



Gratitude



Integrity



Kindness

BOOK CLUBS

Our friends at Simply Books in Bramhall are running a series of Book Clubs including one for our younger readers. If you and your child are interested in learning more about these, [please click on this link](#).

Simply Books have just received a nomination for the best Independent Bookshop in the UK so is well worth a visit!

STAFF BOOKSHELF

Each week we are celebrating the teams love of reading with their own personal Bookshelves - this week we are sharing Mrs Bell's favourites...



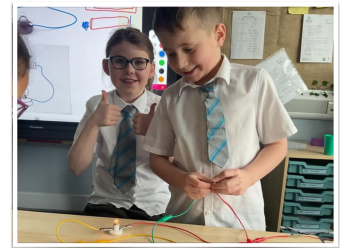
For more book recommendations, see your child's year group page on our school website.

CHARITY EASTER EGG COLLECTION

This term we will be continuing to support our partner charity the Chelwood Food Bank, with a collection of Easter Eggs which they will distribute to the families who use their service.

Since they started in 2013, the organisation have supported 4,000 children in need of help, and continue to do an amazing job for the community thanks to the generosity of those who support their work.

If you would like to support this school appeal, please send your child in with an Easter Egg (any will do but nothing with nuts please) between 17th-21st March.



DATES FOR THE DIARY

For a full list of dates for the 2024-25 academic year, please see our Annual Planner which can be accessed by clicking on this link.

17th March - Parent Council (5-6pm)

3rd April - Eid Celebrations

4th April - Year 4 Assembly

10th April - Whole School DT Exhibition

11th April - Last day of term

28th April - Start of Summer Term

5th May - Bank Holiday (School closed)

14th May - Maths Methods workshop for parents

20th June - INSET Day

25th June - Digital Wellbeing workshop for parents

27th June - Year 1 Assembly

UNIFORM UPDATE

Over the next year and a half, we will be phasing in some small changes to the school uniform, including the blazer and polo shirts. We have worked with our suppliers to source a blazer which is cheaper than the current version, is non-gender specific and is more ethical environmentally.

The new items are likely to be available for purchase from September of this year but children will be able to continue to wear the current uniform over the 2025-26 year as a transitional period.

In the meantime, Express Uniform have reduced a number of items in the current range and these can be purchased online here: <https://expressuniform.co.uk/collections/school-uniform-cheadle-hulme-primary-school>