



A Creative, Cooperative Community

# **Chiltern Primary School Weekly Newsletter**

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### Mrs Marshall's Messages:

We would like to wish you all a happy new year!

We have had a fantastic start to the new spring term. The children have settled back very well and the new clubs during our active lunch are working well. We will share pictures over the coming weeks of the activities available over our active lunch times.

Please ensure the children are wrapped up with coats and hats over this extra cold period and be prepared to send your child equipped with spare socks and shoes if needed if the weather turns snowy!

Enjoy the weekend and thank you for your continued support.

## **Upcoming diary dates:**

Parent's evenings: Tuesday 16th January 2024 3:20 - 5:20 pm Wednesday 17th January 2024 3:20 - 5:50 pm

Wednesday 31st January Year 1 to visit the Streetlife Museum

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The Eco Team shared their Action Plan for the ECO Schools Award renewal 2024 in assembly today. Their three areas for action this year are:

Saving Energy - reducing electricity usage in school by making sure lights, computers and whiteboards are switched off when not in use

Litter - to continue to litter pick regularly and make our school grounds a nice place for people and wildlife

Food waste - to continue to work with our kitchen and lunch staff to reduce our food waste this year

Keep looking on X (Twitter) to find out how our actions are going.









### Children's Achievements in School!

Every week, children are chosen to receive certificates that fit in with our Learning Muscles.

This week some of the children are having a go:



5JG had a go at making batter mixture for pancakes and yorkshire puddings. Yum! 1MP having a go at writing about their favourite toy this week in history.



2CD had a go at using their maths skills to order significant people in history they have studied into chronological order.



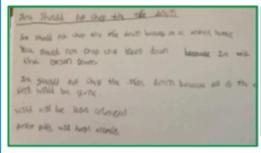
Keep Improving Be Cooperative Be Curious Don't Give Up Enjoy Learning Have a Go Imagination Concentrate







At Chiltern we always have high expectations for all. Here are some highlights from this week of pupils demonstrating this.





3RH showing high expectations using the glockenspiels in music this week. Waiting to use the instruments.



4CH demonstrating high expectations in their presentation in English this week.

## **Every day Counts**



Foundation Stage - FKJ 96.0%

Key Stage One - 2PM 96.6%

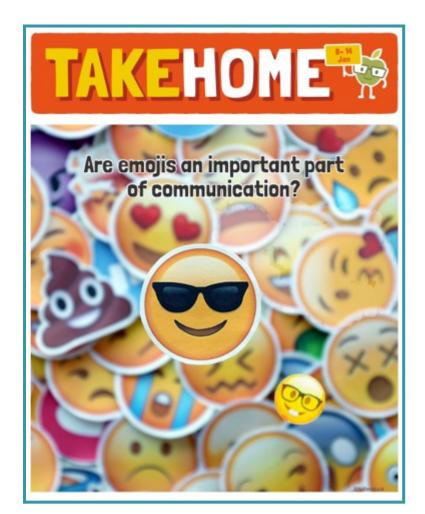
Lower Key Stage Two - 3RH 97.7%

Upper Key Stage Two - 6BH 97.5%



Well done to this
Year 2 child who
won the
attendance raffle
this week. 424
children have
100% attendance
this week!









10-year-old Teddy Cottle from Oxfordshire has launched a petition calling for Apple to change the glasses emoji, also known as the 'nerd' emoji, as he says it gives the wrong impression of glasses-wearers. Teddy decided to write a letter to Apple requesting the design be changed, asking his classmates and French teacher, Lisa Baillie, to sign it. She suggested instead that it should become a petition and it was launched on petitiononline.co.uk.

## Things to talk about at home ...

- What do you know about emojis?
  Do you ever use them?
- Talk to someone else at home. Do they use emojis?
- If you could design a new emoji, what would it look like?



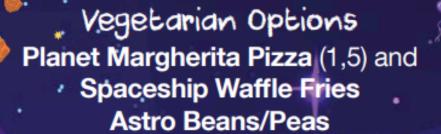
# **Mutual Respect and Tolerance**

We are all different. Learning about each other can help us understand and respect one another.
Emojis should represent our diverse world and be inclusive.



18th January 2024

Space Rocket Sausages (1,14) or Comet Nuggets (1,5) and Spaceship Waffle Fries Astro Beans/Peas



Dessert Shooting Star Buns (1,3,5)

Option of gluten free, dairy free pudding can be offered on request



For Allergens see numbers in brackets next to each dish and refer to Allergens table.







