

CPS Newsletter Issue 13



What has been happening at Curdworth this week....

Panto

Thank you to PTFA for supporting a fantastic trip to see Beauty and the Beast at the Lichfield Garick Theatre. All the children had a brilliant time and it was wonderful to see their smiling faces throughout. Also, a big thank you to the parent helpers who accompanied us on the trip!

Orchard Blyth Gifts - Please could your gifts be in school no later than Friday 8th December, ahead of the residents' visit to the school during w/c 11th December.

Parent Consultations 11th and 18th December 1.30 p.m.

to 5.30 p.m. Please remember to book your appointment via the Parents Evening section on MCAS. Limited appointments remain for 11.12.23 but there are still several for 18.12.23. If you are having issues with booking a slot, please contact the school office for assistance.

Brodie & Beau have been brilliant helpers over the last couple of weeks, leading on our school open mornings. They have talked wonderfully about Curdworth

Primary School and all the great things it has to offer.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Kang & Miss Gibbs 😊



School Dates

INSET DAY Fri 1st Dec 2023

05.12.23 Squirrels Class assembly

07.12.23 Christmas Jumper

- Christmas Fair 3.30 p.m. - 5.30

08.12.23 Reception Nativity 2.45 &

Orchard Blythe care home visit to school

11.12.23 Book Fair week

Parent Consultations 1.30 - 5.30 p.m.

14.12.23 Year 1 & 2 Nativity 2.30

18.12.23 Parent Consultations 1.30 - 5.30 p.m.

19.12.23 Christmas Craft Morning 22.12.23 Carol Concert at St Nicholas at 2.15 p.m. Children leave from church.

CHRISTMAS BREAK

Mon 25th Dec to Mon 8th Jan Children return Tuesday 9th Jan 2024

09.01.24 School reopens to pupils 10.01.23 100% Autumn Term attendance breakfast

01.02.24 PTFA Movie Night 3.30 - 5.30pm 05.02.24 Children's Mental Health Week & Reception Bikeability

ATTENDANCE STARS

School Target: 97% School Actual: 94.7%

Best Year Group this week...

Year 1 with 99.2% 😊

If you want to know your child's % to date, you can find this information on MCAS.

LEADERBOARD

1st Year 5

2nd Year 4

3rd Year 6

4th Year 3

5th Year 2



Top Rockers: Thomas Rhys Beau

PUPIL ABSENCES

- Please could parents and guardians ensure that any pupil absences are reported to school via telephone only, and before 9.30 a.m.
- There is a 24-hour voicemail facility available so there is no need to wait until school opens - you can leave a message at any time.
- Absence messages via Dojo are not accepted as they can easily be missed if the recipient is absent, off site or busy with lessons.

Thank you for your understanding and co-operation 😊



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1st	Rover	181
2nd	Vauxhall	154
3rd	Ford	149
4th	Jaguar	148

<u> Happy Birthday!</u> <u>Hugo M!</u>



Class Dojo Badges

Blue badge -

50 Class dojos

Green badge -

150 Class dojos

Red badge -

250 Class dojos

ACHIEVERS this week are...

Sienna, Aubree-Leigh, Henry

Nancy, Violet

School dinners

We have seen an increase in pre-booked school lunches this week, thank you Unfortunately there are still many who are leaving this until registration every morning. All pupils **must** have their lunches booked in advance no matter which year group or school dinner status (UIFSM, etc.). Please ensure that school lunches are ordered in advance. In the new year we will no longer be able to take lunch orders at registration time, other than under exceptional circumstances.

Jamf•



Thank you for your support in the launch of *Learning Futures*.

Parents can now download **JAMF** - the parenting app that allows you to be in control over the children's iPads when at home.

You will be able to create rules and restrictions on the amount of time and the types of apps you would like your child to access at home.

You will first need to download the Jamf App.
This 'How To' video will help you set this up.
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tFAGO jOk-w
Please get in touch should you need assistance.

iPad and Home Learning Reminder

All children were reminded today, in assembly, the amount of time they are expected to spend on home learning after school.

TTRS – only 10 minutes at least 3 times a week (Y2-6)

Maths – set on Showbie approximately 20 minutes once a week

Reading – approximately 20 minutes on Reading Plus **OR** reading your library book/other reading material at home every day.

Spellings – approximately a 10-minute video or spelling words sent via Showbie to practise on paper.

All other time is at parent's discretion, and iPads can be locked using Jamf.

If you would like support setting up Jamf please let me know.