



NEWSLETTER – 24th January 2020

Dear Parent

Happy New Year to you all. I do hope that you had a good break.

100% Attendance Certificates

I was very pleased to hand out certificates to 55 pupils for their 100% attendance during the Autumn Term. **Well done to you all!** Regular attendance at school is an important part of giving your child the very best possible start to their education.

Punctuality

Please make sure that your child arrives on time for school. This is very important as your child will miss the start of lessons, or interrupt the flow of lessons for other children, if they are late. School starts at 8.45am and ends at 3.20pm.

If your child arrives just 5 minutes late for school every day they lose 5 hours of learning time every term, which adds up to 3 whole school days over the course of the year!

Online Payments:

Our preferred method of payment for school meals and other school activities is via the school School Gateway as this saves time and resources for the school. We will soon be moving to online payments only, therefore if you still pay by cash, you will need to download the app to your phone or visit the website www.schoolgateway.com. The app is very easy to use and we can help you to access the system. Please see Miss Child or Mrs Gwinnell in the school office.

School Website

Please visit our website at www.chaterjm.herts.sch.uk for further information about the school, including our prospectus, important dates and newsletters.

IMPORTANT: Everbridge System - (emergency school closures)

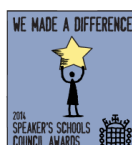
In the event of bad weather or any other emergency resulting in school closure, this is a reminder for **all parents** to sign up to the Everbridge System.

Member.everbridge.net/index/892807736725489

The above link will direct you to the login page where you should click on the “sign up” button and follow the instructions. It should take no more than 5 minutes to register and you can edit your information at any time should you change your mobile number or email address.

Each contact within the system can have 2 devices added for each communication type if they wish. This means that in addition to adding your own mobile number and email address, you can include the mobile number and email address of a partner or a grandparent. They too would then receive any messages in relation to the school’s closure. Alternatively, interested parties can register themselves separately. If a parent has children at more than one school, you can register for those schools too in a single registration process by selecting all schools you have children at.

The above mentioned link to the Everbridge system appears on the **parents’ page** of our website under “**emergency closures**”.



☺ Headteacher's Certificates

Congratulations to the following pupils who have been awarded a Headteacher's Certificate for earning ten merits this term. They have demonstrated an excellent attitude and have made particularly good progress.

Jasmine 6K	Luca 4J	Jamie 4D	Mahrosh 5D
Abeer 6K	Jake 6K	Rehaan 4D	Kajeeshan 3C
Jasmin 6K	Jade 3H	Mia 4D	Natasha 3C
Hannan 6K	Eli 3H	Aamina 4D	Zainab 3C
Aneeqa 6K	Freddie 3H	Sumayyah 4D	Sumaya 6R
Rebecca 6K	Mehreen 3H	Francisco 4D	Aniya 6R
Halima 4J	Eliza 3H	Haroon 4D	Debbie 6R
Noor-E-Zahra 5Y	Adam 3H	Ela 4D	Sidney 6R
Safia 4J	Zahra 3H	Aiza 5D	Sara 6R
Hamna 4J	Khadijah 3H	A'Isha 5D	Aiza 3C
Hassan Ali 4J	Usman 4D	David 5D	Malachi 3C
Musa 3C	Iqra 5Y	Olivia 5D	Zoya 5D
Fatima 5D	Sajjad 5D	Subhan 6K	Abdul 5D
Ibraheem 5D	Sally 6K	Haris 6K	Tejaswini 5D
Anneya 3C	Sabahat 3C	Sami 3C	Nuha 3C
Maahi 3C	Maria 3C	Iqra 6K	Abdeen 6K
Abdul Rasheed 4D	Anna 6R	Sulaiman 6R	Erandi 6R
Fayruz 6R	Malaika 3C	Ayah 3C	Younes 6R
Myra 6K	Joshua 5D	Rudy 4J	Jada 4J
Rehan 6K			

DIARY OF FORTHCOMING EVENTS

DATE	EVENT
24 th January 2020	Year 3 Egyptian Day (in school)
28 th January 2020	Year 5 Learning Dome (in school)
7 th February 2020	NSPCC Number Day
10 th – 14 th February 2020	E Safety Week/ Feel Good Week
17 th -21 st February 2020	HALF TERM
27 th February 2020	Individual Photographs
5 th March 2020	World Book Day
10 th March 2020	Parents Evening Late – 5-8pm
12 th March 2020	Parents Evening Early – 3.30-6pm
13 th March 2020	PE Day
17 th March 2020	Year 6 Chocolate Workshop
30 th March 2020	Year 6 Knex Challenge
30 th March – 3 rd April	Science Week
3 rd April 2020	LAST DAY OF TERM – School finishes at 2pm