Newsletter

Date: 17th January 2022 TRINITY ROAD PRIMARY SCHOOL www.trinityroad.essex.sch.uk @TrinityRdPrim



Head Teacher's Message

Dear families,

The start to the week is definitely much colder, it seems these temperatures are set in until later on this month.

Superhero Lunch

Superhero lunch is this Thursday! It is not a dress up day, but your child will be able to eat their superhero themed lunch and get a sticker in the lunchbar!

Online Safety

Many of the children meet online, outside of school, to engage in online games and communities. Through our conversations with children in lessons as well as at other times we are seeing an increase in the number of children who are asking for support for online as they may be experiencing issues online, which also come in to school. It is important that you are able to talk to your child about their online activities and you feel reassured about how to keep your child safe online; being confident about setting parent restrictions and about how to report online behaviours that you or your child are not happy about is key. Here is a link to the NSPCC to support you to keep your child safe online.

https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/talking-child-online-safety/

Please do let us know if you would like more help with keeping your child safe online. This is a topic we visit regularly in school but we

know that technologies change quickly and keeping up with this can be a challenge.

Children's achievements and awards outside of school

In the entrance area of the school we have a large board to celebrate the achievement and awards that the children receive as a result of attending out of school clubs. We have some photos and awards on display to share what your children have achieved in their hobbies and clubs. Please send in a photo of your child and a copy of their award or certificate if you would like to share the achievements they have been awarded. We would love to recognise and share these with the children too in our class and school assemblies.

Harry Potter Day – Save the date!

Miss Ball is calling on all Harry Potter fans in our school to assemble together on Friday 11th February for a whole school themed learning and dress up day! Save the date and watch this space!

Parking and traffic

We realise the start and end of the day are pressured times to drop off and pick up your children. The parking during these times is becoming dangerous for pedestrians and fellow road users and I am asking you to leave enough time for your journey, and avoid parking dangerously. Alternatively there are large car parks locally, a short walk from the school, which we would encourage you to use and then walk your child the remaining distance to school. The council are aware of the issue and have already attended with parking enforcement. Please work together to make sure that everyone's journey to school is safe.

Reducing the spread of COVID

Thank you for continuing to work with us to further reduce the spread of COVID-19. Following my meeting with the Director of Public Health and the Director of Education last week I am updating our risk assessment to reflect the preventative and precautionary

measures to keep everyone here at Trinity Road safe. The Omicron variant is highly transmissible and we have positive cases throughout the school and are monitoring the situation closely to ensure the disruption to face to face education is minimal.

Currently if you are entering the school site, and in particular the school building, I ask that you wear a face covering, unless you are exempt. Furthermore, when you are entering the school building please ensure you have a negative Lateral Flow Test prior to this. This will also be the expectation for the upcoming Learner Conferences if you have booked a face to face meeting for Wednesday.

COVID Testing – follow the guidelines

Following a positive Lateral Flow Test please report this on the governments website; https://www.gov.uk/report-covid19-result and to the school. Follow the guidance for Lateral Flow testing from Day 5 if your child has tested positive and then ensure they return to school as soon as they have had two consecutive negative lateral flow tests 24 hours apart. If you would like further clarification on the testing and reporting following a positive result, please contact Mrs. Simpkin in the school office who will be able to provide support. There is a letter being sent out today from the Essex County Council to confirm the current arrangements.

Have a super week everyone, we are looking forward to seeing you either online or in person at the Learner Conferences this week.

Natasha Outhwaite

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Headteacher







Our schools attendance target is 96.5%

Outstanding ~ 98.6-100%

Good ~ 96.1—98.5%

Could do better ~ 96% and below

Last weeks attendance was 95.4%

Crystal	Good	
Sapphire	Could do better	
Amber	Could do better	
Citrine	Outstanding	
Jasper	Could do better	
Opal	Could do better	
Jet	Outstanding	
Jade	Good	
Ruby	Could do better	
Emerald	Good	
Turquoise	Could do better	



Week 1



LETTERS HOME THIS WEEK

Winter reading challenge—All years
Art competition—All years
Learner conference confirmation—Opal class
Rescheduled Young Voices—Selected children
All about me invite letter—Selected children

All letters can be found on the school website: www.trinityroad.essex.sch.uk

Team Points

CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE WHO HAVE REACHED 50+ TEAM POINTS

50 team points

Michael—Opal

Emerald class

Emily

Riley

Harley

Haris

Lauren

Haydon

Patryk

Nathan

100 team points

Aiden—Opal

Nuhan—Emerald

Thomas—Emerald

Super Writer & Learning Star certificates

The table below shows who the awards were won by this week. The certificates will be sent home one week after they are awarded. The Respect badges are given to the children every Friday and then handed back the following Friday for the next children.

Class	Learning Star	Super Writer	Respect
	Award	Award	Badge
Crystal	Joshua	Lenny	Eleanor
Sapphire	Finn	Aarsh	Evan
Amber	Sulaiman	Indigo	Ember
Citrine	Alfie	Isabelle	Ethie
Jasper	Nellie	Theo	Eden
Opal	Michael	Agastya	Isabella
Jet	Melody	Zeke	Simao
Jade	lker	Alannah	Tyler
Ruby	Cora	Owen	Gibson
Emerald	Jamie	Rio	Megan
Turquoise	Liam	Jayden	Grace

TERM DATES * denotes new

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Date	Time	Event	Information
19/01/22	4.30pm to 7.30pm	Face-to-Face Learner Confer- ences	Whole school—letters have been sent home, please book an appointment on Tucasi
04/02/22	In school time	NSPCC Number Day	More information to follow
27/01/22	All day	Opal class Learn- er Conferences	Opal class only. Letter has been sent home.
11/02/22	In school time	Harry Potter Book Day	More information to follow
14/02/22 to 20/02/22		Half Term	
03/03/22	In school time	World Book Day	More information to follow
23/05/22	All day	Young Voices	Rescheduled date