Newsletter

Date: 5th December 2022 TRINITY ROAD PRIMARY SCHOOL www.trinityroad.essex.sch.uk @TrinityRdPrim



Head Teacher's Message

Dear families,



A really big week for the school with the expansion plan changes to our site. Morgan Sindell officially take possession of our lunchbar and we will see this building being demolished across the next few weeks. Demolition starts from the sec-

ond week in December, and I believe this will be levelled to the ground before Christmas!

School Times - Be On Time!



The school gates will continue to open at 8.35am and the blue doors open at 8.45am. All these times are the same, even when we are using different gates.

The school bell will sound at 8.50am to let everyone know the gates will be closing in 5 minutes.

At 8.55am the gates will close and all children need to be in by this time.

Please ensure your child is on time. If you would like support to get your child in on time, please speak to Miss Gilbert.



No NUTS - No SESAME

Please ensure that the snacks you send your child in with, or the items you give them in their packed lunches **do not contain NUTS or SESAME**. We have children with significant allergies to these items and this can be life threatening if these children come in to contact with these.

NO NUTS NO SESAME SEEDS



Equalities Objectives



The school writes and publishes objectives for the whole school community to work towards, to ensure there is equality for all. One of our Equalities Objectives is about ensuring that our resources, books, curriculum, and images around school represent

diversity in our school, local and National community. Miss Clare and Miss Ball have been looking at how they can bring greater diversity into the new books the school is buying following our successful Book Fair in November.

Our Children Start Spring – Bulb Planting Community Project

Year 3 Children from Trinity Road volunteered at a local park recently to plant Spring bulbs, as part of a local community project. Lionmede Park was transformed, albeit unknown to anyone until the Spring helps the bulbs to sprout, by our budding gardeners as they helped the Parks Team



to plant crocus bulbs. The event was captured on <u>Chelmsford City Life</u> where you can see photos of their day, as well as hearing how much joy it brought Councillor Rose Moore, Cabinet Member for Greener and Safer Chelmsford. We know that the children will be excited to see how beautiful their work makes the park in Spring. Well done everyone!

Job Opportunity - Midday Assistant



Do you have time across the middle of your day to join us and support the children during their lunchtimes? We have a vacancy in our lunchtime team and would love to hear from you.

Follow the link below, to find out more about the role or come into school and have a chat to a senior leader.

http://www.essexschoolsjobs.co.uk/Vacancies/Details.aspx? Vacancyld=82494

The closing date for this position is Tuesday 13th December.

Job Opportunity – School Caretaker

We are still looking for a School Caretaker to look after our school site. If you think this is a role you would enjoy and would like to work with the school to provide a safe and clean environment, then please speak to me, or call the school office for more information and details about how to apply.



Christmas Countdown Events

We had a wonderful Christmas Lunch last week on Thursday. A big thank you to Mrs Scofield and her catering team for making our delicious Christmas Lunch and starting off the Christmas events!

Reception Class Nativity – Tuesday 6th & Thursday 8th December 2pm

We are excited that the Reception children and staff are holding our first Nativity this week. They have been practicing their songs, learning their lines, and sorting out the costumes. The stage is up, and we are looking forward to watching the performances. This is a ticketed event for Reception families only.



<u>Christmas Jumper Day – Friday 9th December</u>



This Friday we are raising money for Save The Children, by wearing our Christmas Jumpers for the day. Your child may bring a donation (we recommend £1) to wear their Christmas Jumper to school on Friday 9th December. This is a non-uniform day where your child may wear

jeans, tracksuit bottoms or leggings with their Christmas jumper. We can't wait to see how Christmassy you all look!

<u>Christmas Carol Church Service (Years 1-6) – Wednesday 14th December</u>

We are looking forward to welcoming Years 1-6 at the Christmas Carol Church Service performances on Wednesday 14th December at:

10am - Year 1 and 2

11am - Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

Mrs Jennings has been impressed with all the children and their singing skills – we are looking forward to sharing this festive occasion with you.



Today is our biggest change yet, where we have changed the school entrance for the start and end of the school day.

Changes to Lunches

Monday 5th December is a moving in day for us on site. The on-site catering team will be cooking in the temporary, purpose built, kitchen from Tuesday 6th December. The menu has been adapted to the changes in space – we will lose our gas hobs and will be replacing them with economy saving induction units.

New School Entrance/Exit – From Monday 5th December

From Monday 5th December we will be ONLY using the Springfield Park Hill entrance on to the school field as the main entrance/exit for all families. Please use the photos below and the documents that we have recently sent home to you to support you with this change. Senior leaders will be available at the field gate. We have a purpose built path to take you directly on to the school playground. Children are NOT permitted to play on any of the climbing, play or gym equipment as to move past to the playground. Please support us by ensuring your child (ren) do not climb on the equipment.



Springfield Park Hill road is going to be our new school entrance and exit for all families from Monday 5th December.

Where do I go?

Walk up this road, next to the school, enter into the school site through the double gates on to the school field.

What is at the top?

At the top of this road the gates will be open and senior leaders will be waiting there to greet you all.



Where do I go next?

When you get inside the gates, TURN LEFT and follow the pathway, you will then be on the top playground.



Remember to give yourself enough time to get in to school with the changes in your journey.

At home time, enter into the school site through the same gates to collect your child.

Please speak to us at the gates if you need more information about the changes.

Friends Of Trinity (FoT)

Christmas Market – A HUGE thank you!



A huge thank you and well done to the Friends of Trinity team, who worked for days to bring together a wonderful Christmas Market event on Friday.

We hope you all enjoyed the events and the activities across the evening.

All the school staff and Friends of Trinity volunteered their time to bring this event to life and ensure there was lots for everyone to enjoy.

Raffle Prizes

The Christmas Market raffle was drawn on the night and I wasn't sure the list of prizes would ever run out! Thank you to all the people and businesses who



donated prizes. Winning ticketholders will be contacted, please come to the school office to collect your prizes.

It is going to be a busy week with lots of exciting changes. Thank you in advance for your support.

N. Owkawaite

Natasha Outhwaite Headteacher







Our schools attendance target is 95%

Outstanding ~ 98.6-100% Good ~ 95—98.5%

Could do better ~ 94.9% and below

Last weeks attendance was 92.0%

McKee	Outstanding
Donaldson	Could do better
Deacon	Good
James	Could do better
Jeffers	Outstanding
Rosen	Could do better
Cowell	Could do better
Pichon	Could do better
Sachar	Could do better
Rauf	Could do better
Ho-Yen	Could do better

Super Writer & PAP Star certificates



Respect & Be Your Best Badges

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 and Be Your Best badges are given to the children every Friday and then handed back the following Friday for the next children.

Class	Learning Star	PAP Star	Respect Badge	Be Your Best Badge
Donaldson			Frankie	Lachlan
McKee			Jaxon	Christopher
Deacon	Edie	Charlotte	Samuel	Hazel
James	Richard	Jibraeel	Grace	Jasmine
Jeffers	Eden	James	Ellie	Annie
Rosen	Charlie	Mason	Veronica	Isabel
Cowell	Izzy	Indigo	Riley	Amelia
Pichon	Zaffira	Alesya	Jullya	lvy
Sachar	Ali	Tyler	Hasan	Melody
Rauf	Elija	Miley-Rose	Owen	Zachary
Ho-Yen	Haris	Emily	Maison	Archie



Revised Week 1 Menu

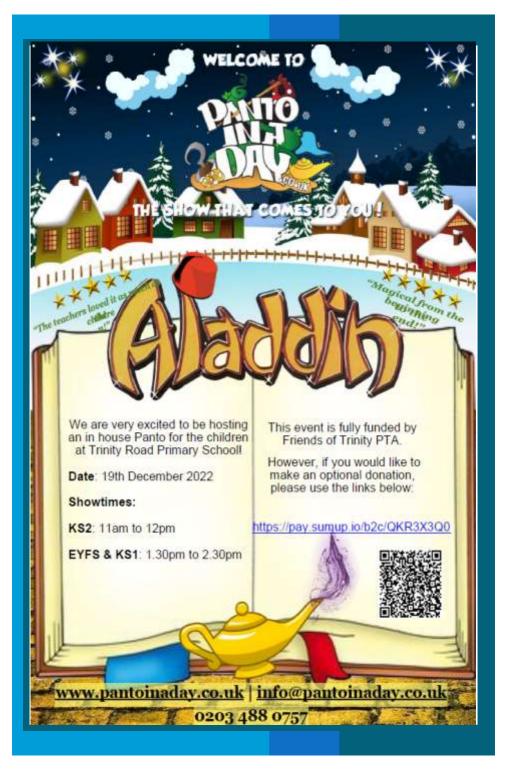
LETTERS HOME THIS WEEK

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

TERM DATES * denotes new

Date	Time	Event	Information
06/12/22 and 08/12/22	2.00pm	EYFS Nativity	Reception children and their families only
08/12/22 *	In school time	Rauf Class trip to Gridserve, Braintree	Letters have been sent home
09/12/22	In school time	Save The Chil- dren Christmas Jumper Day	Non-uniform day, suggested donation of £1 for Save The Children
12/12/22 *	In school time	Sachar Class trip to Gridserve, Braintree	Letters have been sent home
14/12/22	10.00am and 11.00am	Christmas Carol Church Service (Years 1 to 6 only)	These will take place at Trinity Church at the following times: 10am – Years 1 and 2 11am – Years 3, 4, 5 and 6
15/12/22 *	In school time	Ho-Yen Class trip to Gridserve, Braintree	Letters have been sent home
19/12/22	In school time	Aladdin Christ- mas Pantomime	This will be taking place at school. More information to follow.
20/12/22	In school time	Class Christmas Parties	Non uniform day More information to follow.

Date	Time	Event	Information
21/12/22		Christmas Holi- days	
05/01/23 *	All day	Non-Pupil Day	
06/01/23 *	8.45am	Return to school	



Free Community Meal



Food Cycle run a free community meal on Thursday evenings at 5:30pm, at Springfield Park Baptist Church. Everyone is welcome to join them for a meal and they offer surplus food for guests to take home to help them during the week.

Food Cycle ask that anyone under the age of 18 is accompanied by a responsible adult for safeguarding purposes. They have a Project Leader on site at all times, who has undergone an Adult workforce DBS check and completed their internal safeguarding training.

They hope that families from all walks of life may consider coming to join them for a delicious free meal!

If you would like to find out a bit more about Food Cycle, please take a look at their website https://www.foodcycle.org.uk/

Email: chelmsford@foodcycle.org.uk

Phone: 0207 729 2775

Come in!

For tasty food and good company





Free meals Thursdays 5.30pm

Everyone is welcome



FoodCycle Chelmsford Springfield Park Baptist Church Springfield Park Road CM2 6EB



HOLY TRINITY CHURCH | SUNDAY 11 TH DECEMBER | 4 - 5.30PM

CRAFTS • ACTIVITIES • MUSIC • STORY • AND CAKE!

EVERYONE WELCOME!