



**CHEADLE
HULME**
PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Weekly Newsletter

*'Preparing our children for a world we know
and a world yet to be discovered.'*

Safeguarding Pupils

Safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children is everyone's responsibility. Our approach is child-centred and we consider, at all time, what is in the best interest of the child.

The Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) at Cheadle Hulme Primary School is Mr Thompson (Head of School). Our Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads (DDSLs) are Mrs Illidge (Assistant Head for Inclusion) and Mr Coyle (Assistant Head for Pupil Outcomes). Should you ever have a concern regarding the welfare of a child who attends our school, please arrange to speak with one of us via the Admin Team. This will be treated with the strictest confidence.

In the event that you need advice or guidance outside of school hours, you can contact the Multi Agency Safeguarding and Support Hub (MASSH) on [0161 474 4734](tel:01614744734).

As part of our Safeguarding strategy, we have been reviewing the arrangements that are in place for collecting pupils at the end of the school day, including those who attend our Kids Club provision or an Extra-Curricular club. Our pick-up protocol has been reviewed with all staff and extra-curricular club providers and the relevant information for parents/carers has been shared in a letter along with this week's Newsletter.

Mr Thompson, Head of School

Leadership Focus

As part of our Enrichment Curriculum, we have been considering the experiences and opportunities that are available to pupils to enhance their learning outside of the classroom.

This has included reviewing previous educational visits/visitors and considering what may be worth repeating or looking to improve. As a result, the team have planned some exciting visits for pupils over the course of the year ahead, some of which have already been communicated with children and families.

Miss Blomfield (Enrichment Curriculum Lead)

This week on Twitter...



Remember that you can follow each year group's Twitter feed and enjoy seeing what life at Cheadle Hulme Primary School is like for your child/children. Our Twitter handles are: [@chpsnursery](https://twitter.com/chpsnursery) [@chpsrec](https://twitter.com/chpsrec) [@chpsyr1](https://twitter.com/chpsyr1) [@chpsyr2](https://twitter.com/chpsyr2) [@chpsyr3](https://twitter.com/chpsyr3) [@chpsyr4](https://twitter.com/chpsyr4) and [@chpsyr5](https://twitter.com/chpsyr5)

Important Notes /Reminders



Poetry Slam!

We enjoyed celebrating National Poetry Day in school this week under the theme of 'Refuge'. As part of this, all pupils have gone on to be inspired by the Children's Poet Laureate, Joseph Coelho, and his anthology 'Poems Aloud'.

The whole school joined together earlier today for our very first Poetry Slam, where they entertained and engaged each other in a range of different poems. Why not ask your child about their poem ...many of them will be able to recite it for you! Next week we welcome Poet, Paul Cookson, who will be working with all children to further inspire their reading and writing potential.

Charitable Act

One of our brilliant Year 5 pupils has inspired all of us this week with her decision to donate hair in aid of The Little Princess Trust. In doing so, she has also raised over £500 to donate alongside her hair. What an achievement and well done from everybody in our school community!



Article 8

All children have the right to an identity. As part of our ongoing exploration of identity this half term, we read 'Maybe' by Kobi Yamada. This is a brilliant story about the endless potential in all of us. It's a story for who you are right now, and it's for all the magical, unbounded potential you hold inside.



CHPS PTA

Autumn Term Fundraising Events

We are excited to announce that the booking forms for our Autumn Term fundraisers are now open. Flyers for these can be found below, but larger copies have been shared with this week's Newsletter. [Visit our page to make your bookings!](#)



Parents' Evenings

Thank you for attending the first of our Parents' Evening appointments of the year. It was brilliant to see so many proud children (and parents) talking about how well they have settled into the new school year and are enjoying the curriculum.

All teachers shared how useful it was to meet with you so early in the year to discuss transition, successes so far and the priorities in your children's learning and ways to collaborate on this.

Dates for the Diary

- 9th Oct - Individual/sibling photos mop-up
- 19th Oct - PTA Disco (non-uniform day)
- 20th Oct - School Closes for Half Term
- 30th Oct - INSET Day
- 31st Oct - School re-opens for pupils

The full overview of key dates for the year ahead can be found [here](#).

The above planner now includes dates for Year Group Assemblies and Parent Council Meetings for the year ahead.