



Weekly Newsletter

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

UK Parliament Week

We have had a great week celebrating UK Parliament Week in school where everybody has been learning about what Parliament is, what it does and the different ways individuals can get involved in representing the views of our local community.

Throughout the week, the children have enjoyed visits from local councillors representing the Liberal Democrats, Labour and our elected MP for the Conservatives, Mary Robinson. Each of them talked with the children about what inspired them to represent the views of others, what it means to be empowered and the importance of respect. In addition we talked about equality, diversity and representation within parliament and how the pupils at our school could go on to be our future leaders. We thank all individuals who gave up their time to lead assemblies and be interviewed by our knowledgeable and inquisitive children. They certainly put our visitors through their paces! A special thanks also to Mr Ives (Values and Attitudes Lead) who arranged for all of the above to happen throughout school this week.

As part of the week, we launched The Great Debate in school which is led by Mr Gillard as our Oracy Lead. This will be a regular opportunity for pupils to learn about key issues and current affairs that they will go on to debate in classes. Finally, we have expanded our Pupil Parliament this week with the addition of a new Department, The Treasury. We look forward to seeing the work they go on to do in school alongside our existing departments, which now make up approximately a third of our school population!

Mr Thompson, Head of School

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](#) [@chpsrec](#) [@chpsyr1](#) [@chpsyr2](#) [@chpsyr3](#) [@chpsyr4](#) and [@chpsyr5](#)

Leadership Focus - Inclusion Survey

Following our annual inclusion conference, we are looking for feedback from the school community on our current approach to inclusion. You can still complete our Inclusion Survey with your child (by clicking here) if you have not yet had chance to do so. We feel it is more important for this to be done at home instead of school due to the sensitive nature of the answers some pupils may want to give. Responses may be given anonymously should you choose. (Mrs Illidge)

Important Notes /Reminders

Drop off and collection arrangements

Thank you for your understanding and support with the temporary arrangements that are in place whilst enhancements are made to our outdoor environment. Planned completion of these works today means that Reception and Year 1 pupils should be able to enter school via their usual gates from Monday.

We would like Year 3 and 4 families to continue to use the main playground entrance from Monday whilst we continue to explore the positive impact this has been having operationally within the school building. We will confirm the long term arrangements with you in due course. Thank you for your support.

Remembrance Day

Today, we joined together at 11am to honour, remember and respect those who have made sacrifices in the past, alongside those who continue to do so, to make the world a better place.

Open Mornings

This week we welcomed almost 100 prospective families to look around our school, in addition to the weekly parent tours that take place to support parents/carers in applying for a school place. I want to thank all children for being their brilliant selves, but especially our Y5 Ambassadors who greeted and guided our visitors so knowledgeably and politely throughout the event - they are a real credit to Cheadle Hulme Primary School! Next week we have a similar event running for prospective Pre-School families and I have no doubt our children will once again impress.

CHPS PTA

Upcoming Events

Tickets are on sale for a number of fun PTA events this half term. [Click here](#) to book on to the Quiz Night, Wreath Making Workshop and for tickets to the Christmas Fair. Good luck to all teams participating in this evening's quiz - tickets are still available if you are able to join!

Christmas Fair

A flyer has been sent with this week's Newsletter outlining the many ways you can support this event and make a difference to what we can purchase for the children as a result! If you may be available on the run up to, or at the event itself, please email pta.chps@gmail.com

Charity Fundraiser

We wanted to share a huge thank you to all families who participated in our Halloween fundraisers. The children raised an impressive £250 which will go on to support The Together Trust in championing the rights, needs and ambitions of care-experienced children and people with disabilities, autism, and mental health differences. The Treasury will present Lottie (Charity Representative) with the funds on 20th November. Prizes will be awarded to competition winners by the end of next week. (Miss Blomfield)

Dates for the Diary

13th Nov - Anti-Bullying Week

14th Nov - Open Morning (Pre-School 2024)

1st Dec - Christmas Fair, 5pm

Bottle Tombola donations

Christmas Jumper Day (non-uniform)

5th Dec - Academy Committee Meeting

6th Dec - Christmas Lunch Day

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