Chase View Community Primary School



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Week 15

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Week Ending Friday 18th December 2020

We would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from all the staff at Chase View Primary School.

Please remember the Government guidelines for over the festive period and stay safe. We would like to see you all back here fit and well in the New Year on Monday 4th January 2021 after Having had a wonderful Christmas.



School Christmas Dinner

School were delighted to provide a free school Christmas Dinner last week.

Over 200 pupils enjoyed a top quality festive meal with all the trimmings, dessert and Christmas cracker!!

The hard-working ladies in the kitchen had great success and everyone said how much they enjoyed the food.

Great fun was had by all.





WEEK COMMENCING MONDAY 4th January 2021

MONDAY

Assorted Pizza, Herby Diced Potatoes, Beans or Sweetcorn Creamy Pasta Bake, Garlic Bread, Beans or Sweetcorn Jacket Potato with Fillings (DF) Sandwiches or Wraps (DF) Assorted Desserts

TUESDAY

Sausage, Crusty Bread, Mashed Potatoes, Peas and Carrots Veggie Sausage, Crusty Bread, mashed Potatoes, Peas and Carrots Jacket Potato with Fillings (DF) Sandwiches or Wraps (DF) Assorted Desserts

WEDNESDAY

Roast Turkey and Stuffing, Roast and Mashed Potatoes, Vegetables Quorn Roast, Roast and Mashed Potatoes, Vegetables. Jacket Potato with Fillings (DF) Sandwiches or Wraps (DF)

THURSDAY

Lamb Kheema with Steamed Rice and Naan Bread (DF) Veggie Quorn Balls in Tomato Sauce, Seasonal Vegetables (DF) Jacket Potato with Fillings (DF) Sandwiches or Wraps (DF)

FRIDAY

Traditional Fish and Chips (DF) Vegetarian Sausage Roll, Chips, Beans Jacket Potato with Fillings (DF) Sandwiches or Wraps (DF)

(DF) Dairy Free

PARENT PAY

Although chasing outstanding payments is not a popular task, it is very important that the school gets payment for the services it has provided. It is these funds that ensure that the school can operate for your children, and only fair that everyone pays what is due. For most people the amount outstanding just represents charges for the last few weeks, but for others the money that is outstanding has been due for several months and can be a large amount. To keep you regularly informed we will be sending monthly messages to let you know the position of your account. If you receive a message from us saying that there is money due, <u>please do not ignore it</u>. If you feel that it is wrong please contact us. If you agree to the amount please settle your account.

We appreciate all parents that monitor their Parent Pay account and pay promptly and regularly.

If you ever have any questions about your account or have difficulties with using Parent Pay please don't hesitate to get in touch with the office.

Can we please remind all parents and carers that the school car park is closed during drop off and pick up times.

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When walking up and down the school driveway please be considerate and adopt a single file to allow others to pass you safely.

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Can you please ensure you wear a face covering while on the school premises when dropping off or collecting children.

Primary Schools - Reception Class application process

The application process for a reception class place for September 2021 will open on 01 November 2020.

The easiest way for parents to apply is online. Further information can be found on

www.staffordshire.gov.uk/admissions

The closing date is 15 January 2021.

TIMES TO REMEMBER

We are pleased to say that the new arrangements to stagger start and finish times at school are working well. A reminder that the times are: Surnames A -H start 8.20 a.m. and finish 2.45 p.m. Surnames I-Z start 8.35 a.m. and finish 3.00 p.m.

If siblings have different surnames the oldest sibling is the one to go for.

Please help us to maintain our safe school by sticking to these times, as this helps us to minimise the movement of pupils and staff around school.

Breakfast Club is available from 7.30 a.m. After School Club is available until 4.45 p.m.

If you need to contact a teacher the best way is by Dojo. Remember they have a working life too! Dojos on a weekend, middle of the day, or last thing at night will not be answered.

<u>If you need to let the school know that your child is being collected by someone else or is</u> going to After School Club please let the school office know by 2.00 p.m. so that the message has chance to be passed to the class teacher.

Spring Term	Monday 4th	<u>Back to</u>
Starts	January	<u>school</u>
Half	Monday 15th	Friday 19th
Term	February	February
Easter	Friday	Friday
Break	2nd April	16th April

Why Can't I Skip My 20 Minutes of Reading Tonight?

Student "A" reads 20 minutes each day

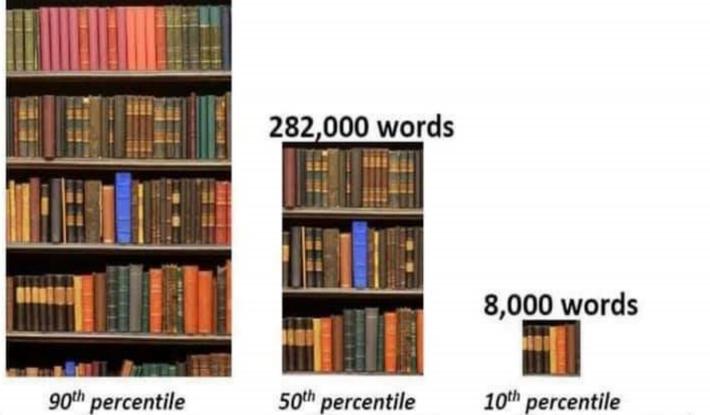
3600 minutes in a school year

Student "B" reads 5 minutes each day

900 minutes in a school year Student "C" reads 1 minute each day

180 minutes in a school year

1,800,000 words



By the end of Year 6 Student "A" will have read the equivalent of 60 whole school days. Student "B" will have read only 12 school days. Which student would you expect to have a better vocabulary? Which student would you expect to be more successful in school...and in life? (Nagy & Herman, 1987)