

Culcheth Primary School

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

3rd July 2020



Virtual Maths Week 29th June – 3rd July

This week children have taken part in our virtual Maths Week.

The children have worked extremely hard completing fun and practical activities to enhance their maths skills.

It's been great to see so many photos of children using their Maths knowledge, both at school and at home. Well done Culcheth!



TeachRex – Dinosaur Visit

Would you like a visit over summer from a Dinosaur?? TeachRex are a company who have recently visited Culcheth Primary and had the children amazed. Due to popular demand, they are offering home visits in August and will bring along their TRex!!

For more information and to book your visit, please email: educate@teachrex.co.uk.



School Takeaway Option

For the remaining 2 weeks of term, our school kitchen are offering a lunch takeaway option for children and parents as follows:

8/7 – fish finger barm/saute potatoes/desert 10/7 – cheese flan/chips/desert

Please order and top up your ParentPay prior to collecting your lunch. The cost is £2.40 per person and you will be able to collect from the kitchen door (round the back of school) between 12-1pm on the day. The amount will be deducted from your ParentPay on the day.

Return to school in September

The government released the official plans for the return to school for all children yesterday.

We are still working our way through them and completing new risk assessments so will confirm full details next week.

We can confirm that we will be offering full time education for all children with before and after school care available from the first day back.

Children will be kept in groups in their own classes to keep contacts to a minimum throughout the school day.

We hope to be able to offer some after school clubs and some non-residential trips in line with government guidance. More details will follow.

Free School Meals?

Have your financial circumstances changed, if so, you could be entitled to FSM.

This not only saves you money on meals each day, you will also be entitled to subsidised school trips and residentials which can save you a fortune.

If you think you may be eligible, please speak to the school office. Thank you.

Award to Culcheth Primary

We are delighted to have been awarded the '2020 Award for Making a Difference – Primary School of the Year'

A great achievement, well done to everyone!

Holidays – October 2021

The Governors have agreed that we will have 2 weeks holiday at October half term in 2021 from October 24th until November 8th. We hope that this will allow you to book super cheap holidays - the further in advance that you book, the better.

A quick example is a midweek family stay at Centreparcs, Whinfell Forest is showing at £959 to book in the regular half term week, but in the second week it is reduced to £379! (Just an example - we are not trying to sell holidays!)

We are always looking at ways to improve attendance and hope that this opportunity to book out of usual school holiday time will be a great benefit to you.

Reading challenge

This year's summer reading challenge is all taking place online and the children will need to sign up to 'Join the Silly Squad' and take part.

They can then pick their own Avatar, discover books to read, play games, earn points and unlock badges throughout the challenges. The children can read any books of their choosing including ebooks on our school Oxford Reading Buddy account.

When they have read a book, they can add the title to their list to unlock badges, games and earn points. There will be a certificate to download and keep when the children make it all the way to their goal!

The children can keep us updated by sending Mrs Gorman email to nicolagorman@culchethprimarv.co.uk

Please access the following for more info: https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/

Famous at long last!

Our Sports Day, Arts Week and Rugby win will be published in The Warrington Guardian, Culcheth Life and Warrington Worldwide, keep a look out!



School Lottery

Join our School Lottery and be in with a chance of winning some great prizes each week as well as the chance to win £10,000!! The deal this month is to win £150 JD Sports Voucher!

Tickets costs just £1 per week and raise much appreciated school funding.

Please support our School and join at www.yourschoollottery.co.uk.



Mrs Meulman - £19.20

Mathswhizz Winners



1st: JJ, Year 3 2nd: Laycie, Year 2 3rd: Bradley, Year 4

Mrs Rodgers Running Challenge

Don't forget your 10 minute running challenge. Email your distance and map to Mrs Rodgers. Some children have completed the challenge on their treadmill. Please email your pics/videos to

karenrodgers@culchethprimary.co.uk.