



The Language of the week next week is Mandarin



(Chinese New Year 25th January)

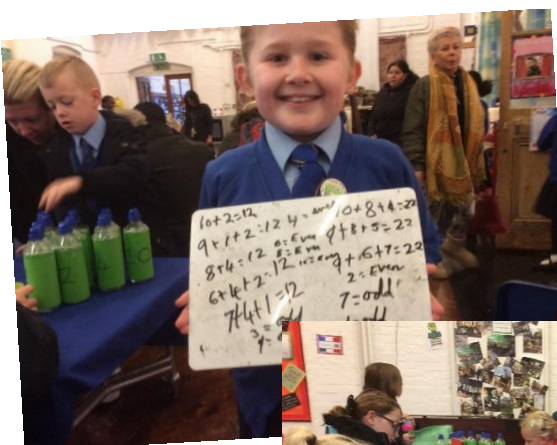


Hello	Good Morning	Good Afternoon
Nín hǎo 您好	Zǎo shàng hǎo 早上好	Xià wǔ hǎo 下午好

Dear Parents / Carers, Governors and Friends,

On Monday, representatives from the NSPCC delivered their **'Speak out. Stay safe'** assembly to the children. They talked to them about how they can keep themselves safe from harm and get help if they have any worries. Next week we will be taking part in a fundraising activity to raise money to support the important work that they do. The children will be taking part in 'Buddy's Work Out' during their P.E lessons – a separate letter was sent out about this, so we ask that you support this activity if you are able. Children in Year 5 and 6 will also be having a class workshop next Tuesday which will build on the key safeguarding messages from the assembly.

Thank you to all of the parents who were able to come to our Maths Café this week. Once again it was extremely successful and well attended – Mr Hunter came up with some great ideas for problem solving and the children really enjoyed working with you to solve them. Thank you to Mr Hunter for organising the Café and to all of the staff (and children) who helped during the week.



On Wednesday, Metro Bank paid their first of three visits to year 4. They spent the first session talking about what a bank does and how they work. In addition, they also talked about what the children might see in a bank and what they are used for e.g. the vault, an ATM and a safety deposit box. In their next two sessions, they will be talking about saving and budgeting. Year 4 will then have the opportunity to visit the bank.



It was Elephant Class Assembly today. They shared all the learning they have been doing based on their topic 'The Great, the Bold and the Brave'. They also acted out the story of Beowulf, adapted from an old poem about a Danish king called Hrothgar, a beast called Grendal and a brave warrior Beowulf.

Congratulations to Wells House who are the winning house for the second week in a row with 608 points, closely followed by Darwin with 581, Crompton were third with 537 and Blyton very close behind with 527.

Finally, please may I remind you to think carefully about where you are parking your car when you collect your children from school. The zig zag lines are there for a reason – to ensure the children have a safe place to cross the road and more and more cars are encroaching on this area.

Have a good weekend

Kath Margetts and All the Staff

Important Dates

Tuesday 21st January – Year 6 parents SAT meeting

Thursday 23rd January – Year 1 trip to Museum of Childhood

Friday 24th January – Golden Eagle Family Assembly

Thursday 30th January – Year 5 Trip to the Science Museum

Friday 31st January – Panda Class Family Assembly



Plea for Wellie Boots

Do you have any brightly coloured wellie boots that are no longer needed in any size that we can upcycle? After half term the Gardening club will be working on some wellie boot planters so any wellie boots that are no longer needed would be gratefully received.

We are also looking for size 5 and 6 to be worn by the Year 5 Gardening club children.

Please bring to the office. Thank you



Parent Readers for Reception Class

Miss Ezinwa and Ms Brotherton are looking for 1 or 2 parents to read with each class at the same time/day each week? If you can help please speak to them.

Clubs at Raglan

Please see the school website for an overview of the outside club providers. All of the club booking forms and information are also located on the website.

Parents book their sessions directly with the club organiser.

There are spaces in most of the clubs (Raw Tennis, Karate, CPFC, Musical Theatre, Spotlights and J'Amies Gym).

Find your place In Our Team

Chartwells have opportunities in Bromley and Surrounding areas to support the catering team to deliver fun, healthy and nutritious food within schools.

We are looking for:

- Experienced Cook
- Mobile Cook/Manager
- General Catering Assistants

If you feel that these roles would be right for you and are interested in the flexibility of term time employment, please contact sarah.pettel@compass-group.co.uk

Chartwells
THE LEARNERS



Would your child be interested in becoming part of the Children's University at Raglan Primary School?

What is the Children's University?

The Children's University believes that children can and do learn anywhere, when doing all sorts of activities, and particularly when they decide what they want to learn, when and where, and most importantly, have fun whilst doing that learning.

Children's University encourages children to become involved in many different experiences, it rewards their energetic participation and their inquisitive minds.

Your child's 'Passport to Learning'

Each child will have their own Passport to Learning, cost £5.00, as well as access to their own E-passport on line. Children can travel around the local borough, London and the UK with their Passport to Learning, collecting stamps in recognition of their learning as they go. The children's passport is stamped or signed each time a validated event or venue is attended, or when a learning activity outside of school hours is undertaken, such as a sports or music club they attend.

Learning does not just take place in the classroom. Children learn new things in all sorts of places; lunchtime and after school clubs, at museums, on nature walks...any validated learning destination will gain a stamp in your child's passport.

The whole idea behind the Children's University is to encourage children to develop new interests and join in new activities. Their success is then rewarded and celebrated at the annual graduation ceremony where proud families watch their child in University Caps and Gowns receive their certificates.

How to get involved

If your child is aged 7 - 11 and they are interested in becoming a member of the Children's University then please either complete the form attached and return it to the school office or ask for further details from the school reception.



**WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING
YOU AT THE GRADUATION**

There will be an assembly in school for the children on 23rd January. Please speak to Mr Rob or ask the office for a copy of the Children's University Application form if you would like your child to join. The cost of joining is £5 and your child will receive a [passport and on collection of 30 stamps or more will attend a graduation ceremony.

Attendance and Punctuality!

Overview

This week the overall attendance is 98%. Only one class had 100% attendance this week. Well done Panthers! Well done everyone, keep it up!



Please make sure that your child is only absent for authorised reasons. Please try to make appointments for Doctors and Dentist before or after school.

Lates

Four classes had no lates this week. Well done Elephants, Lions, Puffins and Rhinos! Congratulations!

This week children were late for school again a total of 28 times! – this is very disappointing, let us try harder next week!



Don't be late through the gate! Please make sure your child arrives in time for school!

Children must be at school each morning by 8.55 a.m. for KS1 children and 8.50 a.m. for the KS2.

Attendance for each class this week:

Group	% Attend	L
Panther	100	1
Elephants	99	0
Dolphins	99	1
Sharks	99	1
Frogs	99	2
Tigers	99	3
Penguins	99	4
Lions	98	0
Puffins	98	0
Leopards	98	1
Giraffes	98	2
Pandas	98	5
Golden Eagles	98	5
Monkeys	97	1
Rhinos	96	0
Wolves	96	2

Gold: Excellent. These classes are meeting our target of 96.5% attendance.

Green: These classes are doing very well with average attendance.

Amber: These classes are below average attendance at 92-95%.

Red: Attendance in this class is below 92% and of concern.