



# Churchfields Infants' School, Nursery Unit and Language Facility

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Welcome back ... It was lovely seeing all of our Year 1 and 2 children returning to school after the summer break. The children have settled well into their new year groups and we are excited that our Reception and Nursery children will be joining us over the next few weeks.

Please remember your child has enjoyed being at home for several weeks and so you will need to allow time for your child to become more confident in his/her new surroundings. The most effective way of helping your child to settle in is to make sure they attend regularly and arrive promptly every morning. Please also ensure you are on time to pick up your child at the end of the school day, and if it is necessary to change your picking up arrangements, please contact the school office before 1.30pm. Also please remember to phone the school if your child is going to be absent. Thank you for your continued support.



## JEWELLERY



Children are not allowed to wear **any** jewellery in school, **including earrings**. This is for Health and Safety reasons. Thank you.



## UNIFORM

Please make sure all your child's articles of uniform are named, including their PE kit. Also please ensure your child comes to school with a coat or jacket as the weather can be changeable throughout the day.

## PARENT WORKSHOPS



Please take note of the dates below for our curriculum workshops. You will receive a letter in the next few days giving more details. Many parents have said that they found it difficult to access these during the school day, so each year group now has one evening session and one daytime session. Please note that the content of these will be exactly the same, so there is no need to attend both. Please do come along to one of these sessions as there will be an opportunity to meet your child's teacher and there will be lots of useful information about the year group including the curriculum covered this year. We look forward to seeing you at the relevant workshop for your child.



## NURSERY VEGETABLE GARDEN



The Nursery vegetable garden has done very well over the summer, producing pumpkins, tomatoes, raspberries, courgettes and carrots! The children enjoyed gardening very much and we're looking forward to the new nursery children carrying on with the same enthusiasm.

## ATTENTION YEAR 2 PARENTS AND NURSERY PARENTS



## APPLICATION FOR INFANTSCHOOL AND JUNIOR SCHOOL

Year 2 will need to apply for a Junior School place and Nursery will need to apply for a Reception place for your child for September 2019. On-line applications opened on 1<sup>st</sup> September at [www.redbridge.gov.uk/eadmissions](http://www.redbridge.gov.uk/eadmissions).

Please remember to do this for your child before the deadline date which is 15<sup>th</sup> January 2020. The National Offer Day is 16<sup>th</sup> April 2020. Any parents needing assistance on completing an online application can visit the following libraries:- Gants Hill, Goodmayes, Hainault, Redbridge and Woodford Green. Also if you know of any parents having difficulty completing the form please direct them to the school office who can give them this information.



## Diary Dates



- 18 Sept - Y2 Parent Workshop – 7 pm
- 25 Sept - Y2 Parent Workshop – 2.15 pm
- 26 Sept - Y1 Parent Workshop – 7 pm
- 27 Sept - Y1 Parent Workshop – 2.15 pm
- 2 Oct - Reception Parent Workshop – 7 pm
- 4 Oct - Reception Parent Workshop – 2.15 pm
- 7 Oct - Nursery Parent Workshop – 9.00 am
- 11 Oct - Nursery Parent Workshop – 2.15 pm
- 21-25 Oct - HALF TERM
- 28 Oct - Staff Training Day
- 29 Oct - Pupils Return
- 20 Dec - Term ends