



# Churchfields Infants' School Newsletter

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**Octopus** and **Turtle** classes have enjoyed watching their caterpillars hatch into beautiful butterflies this week.



**Reception** classes have also been very excited to see their caterpillars changing!



**Year 1** had a visit from Splat Circus Skills. They all tried so hard to learn new things, and had to persevere at them as they were tricky!

The children did some fabulous writing about it too!



## Philosophy Friday

Have a go at this question at home with a grown up!

Which would you choose?

Cuddles or Presents?

Why?



## Diary Dates

### Virtual PTA AGM

Tuesday 13 July  
7:30pm

### Big Dance

Friday 16 July

### Summer Break

Thursday 22 July to  
Tuesday 31 August

For other important dates, please visit the Calendar page on our school website.



Science Week in **Year 2**

## Free School Meals and Pupil Premium

All children in the Infants' get a school dinner at no cost to parents and carers.

However, if you think you are entitled to benefits, you can register for Free School Meals online at [www.redbridge.gov.uk](http://www.redbridge.gov.uk), or over the telephone by contacting the Awards & Support Team on 0208 708 3114/2561. If you would like any assistance or have any questions, please call the School Office or speak to Mrs Anderson or Mrs Beck on the school gate.

These links also provide useful information:

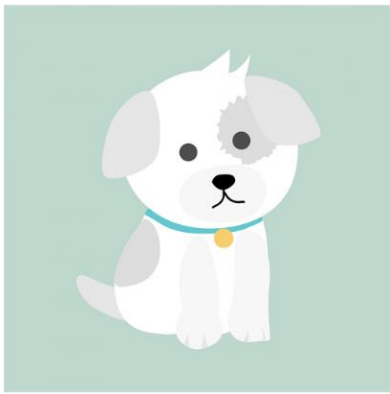
<https://www.understandinguniversalcredit.gov.uk/Coronavirus/>

<https://www.citizensadvice.org.uk/benefits/coronavirus-check-what-benefits-you-can-get/>

**If your registration is successful, our school will receive vital extra funding.**

## Dogs and Puppies

It's great seeing so many pets being exercised by walking to school along with our pupils, but please be aware that many young children are frightened of dogs and puppies and don't like them jumping up.



## Common Sense Media: Age-Based Media Reviews for Families

This is a helpful website which rates and approves all kinds of entertainment aimed at children. The content is reviewed for parents before the children watch or play something.

## Class Photos – gentle reminder

The children all looked fabulous for their class photos on Monday and we are sure you will be pleased with the results!

However, please be mindful that these photos should not be shared on any form of social media.

## Collecting children at the end of the day

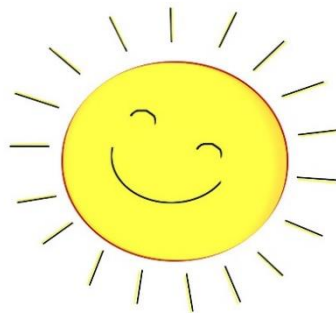
Thank you for sticking to the staggered times when picking up your children after school, which has ensured a smooth finish to the day.

Could we kindly ask you not to sit at the tables and chairs outside Reception and Year 1 classrooms as they have been cleaned and sanitised, ready for the start of the next school day. Your continued co-operation is greatly appreciated.

## Suncream and Hats

The summer weather has returned so we would ask that you apply sunscreen lotion to your child/ren before they come to school.

All pupils need to wear a hat (clearly labelled with their name and class) whilst outside.



## ....but when the rain comes

Please ensure your child wears a water-proof raincoat for those light summer showers, again clearly labelled!



**If your child has:  
a high temperature  
a new, continuous cough, or  
a loss of, or change in, sense of  
smell or taste**

**This could be a sign of  
coronavirus**

**Book a test**

**If your child has:  
a runny nose, is sneezing or  
feeling unwell  
But they don't have:  
a high temperature  
a new, continuous cough, or  
a loss of, or change in,  
sense of smell or taste**

**These are  
not normally symptoms of  
coronavirus**

**Seek advice from a pharmacy, dial  
111 or see your GP**