



# Churchfields Infants' School Newsletter

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## Rising Covid-19 Cases

Thank you to everyone for following the advice detailed in my letter earlier this week. To reiterate, numbers of Covid-19 cases are rising within our community and we have had to send home some pupils who have developed high temperatures and persistent coughs. I am pleased to say we have no positive cases yet.

As a reminder, please do not administer Calpol and send your children to school if they are unwell in any way. If your child or any family members have Covid symptoms, they need to stay at home, isolate and take a PCR test (not LFD) and please let us know the result as soon as possible. We are nearly at the end of what has been a challenging year for us all and I sincerely hope that we do not need to close any bubbles before the summer break. We really want to avoid undoing all our hard work in keeping our school safe so we can enjoy the fun end-of-year activities with the children.

## Gaming guide for Pre-schoolers - Internet Matters

<https://www.internetmatters.org/resources/gaming-guide-for-pre-schoolers>

Please follow the above link for some online safety information on gaming for young children and advice for parents.

## Magazine Donations

We are in need of good quality children's magazines for the reading corners.

If you have any suitable items that you could donate, please leave them in the box outside the office.



## Class Photos

The children will have brought their class photos home this week, looking very smart.

Please return your orders, with payment and your child's name clearly written on the form, by Wednesday 7 July.

## 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.**



**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**

## Philosophy Friday

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

**Who would you  
rather look after?**

**A giant baby?  
A baby giant?  
A tiny elephant?**

**Why?**



## Diary Dates

**Class Reports  
& New Classes**

Monday 12 July

**Virtual PTA AGM**

Tuesday 13 July  
7:30pm

**Summer Break**

Thursday 22 July  
to  
Tuesday 31 August

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