



# Churchfields Infants School

## Weekly Newsletter

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Growing Together: Every Day In Every Way

Value of the month  
*Cooperation*

### Day Glow Day!

We have had so much fun dressing up in our brightest clothes as part of Day Glow Day. We have been learning how we need to be bright and stay safe as the mornings and evenings become darker when the clocks change next weekend.

Thank you for your donations for our charity - Water Aid. Donations are being counted at the moment but we will let you know how much money we have raised after half term. For more information about the wonderful work Water Aid do, please visit [www.wateraid.org/uk](http://www.wateraid.org/uk).



### Philosophy Friday

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

**Boats are better than Aeroplanes. Do you agree or disagree with this statement?**

Why?

### DIARY DATES:

**PTA Halloween Disco**  
23rd October

**Inset Day**  
1st November

**Stay & Play - Nursery**  
9th November

**Photographer Individual Photos**  
11th November

**PTA Christmas Bazaar**  
4th December

### PTA Thank You

Thank you to our amazing PTA for organising both the Halloween Cake Sale and the Halloween Disco. We know an incredible amount of hard work and organisation goes into these events and we appreciate everything you all do.



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

## Half Term Message

We have some exciting works taking place during the half term break and over the past few weeks, the children have been observing visitors onsite measuring and taking pictures...

**Please remember Monday 1st November is an Inset Day and children return on 2nd November.**  
Don't forget, clocks go back on the 31st October.

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## PTA Halloween Disco

The PTA are organising a spooktacular Halloween disco for all the children at Churchfields. The event will be held in the Churchfields Junior School Hall on 23rd October.

Session 1. 1:30pm - Suitable for Nursery & Infants.    Session 2. 3:00pm - Suitable for Infants.  
Session 3. 4:30pm - Suitable for Infants & Juniors.

Tickets are £5 per child. These tickets include: entry, drink, snack and a light-up toy.

Tickets can be purchased via our online ticketing system [www.pta-events.co.uk/churchfields](http://www.pta-events.co.uk/churchfields).

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## The Festival Of Light

Thursday 4th November will be Diwali, the festival of light. Diwali is celebrated around the world by Hindus, Sikhs, Jains and some Buddhists, and many of our families will be celebrating too.

At school, each child will make a Diya or Diva, a clay lamp. There will be a display of all our beautiful diyas on Friday 5th after school.

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## Nursery Stay & Play

Nursery are having Stay and Play on Tuesday 9th November. Younger children are welcome to join but must be kept with you at all times.

Morning sessions: 8.45 - 10am.    Afternoon session: 12.45 - 2pm.

Please wear a mask inside and remember not to use mobile phones in the nursery.

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## Mystery Reader

We are delighted to introduce Mystery Readers in school. You will be given a chance to read to your child's class at the end of the day. Sign up and join in! Parents of Reception, Year 1 and Year 2, please check your emails for further details.

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## Covid-19

If your child develops any one or more of the three official Covid symptoms, even if they are only mild (a high temperature, a new, continuous cough, a loss or change to sense of smell or taste) they must arrange a PCR test (not just a Lateral Flow Test) as soon as possible. Please follow the Stay at Home Guidance. The isolation period includes the day symptoms started (or the day the test was taken if no symptoms), and the next 10 full days.

