Cheadle Catholic Infant School



Love • Respect • Shine

At Cheadle Catholic Infant School we **love** and **respect** each other. We **love** to learn and let our inner light **shine** brightly in all that we do.

Dear Parents/ Carers,

This week in Assembly we talked about the Rosary and how we can use it to say really meaningful and thoughtful prayers. We thought about people we want to pray for and also about prayers for ourselves. If you have had the Travelling Rosary in your house we hope that you have found this a lovely opportunity to reflect and pray with your children.

On Tuesday, Mrs Martin led the Rosary with our Year 2 children. She was impressed with how thoughtful and respectful in prayer our children are.

Thankyou Mrs Martin for leading the Rosary on Tuesday.





Little Way Week:

This week we have also been thinking about 'Little Way Week' in school. St Thérèse was a little girl who lived in France. She tried to make good choices. Thérèse made up her mind to try to do a good deed every day. She realised that just because she was little, it didn't mean that her little actions couldn't make a big difference. This was called her 'little way' and this little girl grew up to be Saint Thérèse.

This week we have been thinking about how we can do little good deeds each day.





Class 2L Parent Prayer & Liturgy:

Thankyou Class 2L parents who joined us for Class Prayer & Liturgy on Tuesday. It was a lovely way to begin our week and to share our prayer intentions with our families. We look forward to welcoming 2N parents into school on Tuesday.

Harvest Festival:

On **Monday 20th October** we will be having our Harvest Assembly in school.

As part of this thanksgiving we will be inviting the children to bring an item of grocery

This year our offerings will be sent to Chelwood Food bank in Cheadle Hulme.

Donations will be welcomed into school from Monday 13th October.



Sponsored Walk:

We are absolutely thrilled to announce the final total from our recent Sponsored Walk—thanks to your incredible generosity, we have raised an amazing £2,600 for the school!

A huge thank you goes out to every single person who sponsored and supported this event. Your support will make a real difference.

The money will be used to develop and enhance our outdoor learning and play areas, providing exciting new opportunities for all of our children.

You might have already spotted that our new basketball hoops have been installed this week! The children are already enjoying shooting hoops and having a great time. These hoops were fully funded by the PSA-

Thank you again for helping us make our school an even better place to learn and play!



A message from Stockport Online Safety Hub.

https://stockport.onlinesafetyhub.uk/

The Online Safety Hub is a brand-new online resource with lots of expert advice and guidance to help you manage your child's safety online as a parent. It includes information on the latest hot topics when it comes to keeping children safe, such as how to manage your child's screen time, understand the latest gaming platforms, what they mean for your child's safety and lots more.

We're also offering you as a parent, a free Qustodio account facilitating parental controls on any individual device and free premium access for 30 days. Gain more visibility on what's going on in your child's online world. Block dangerous content, introduce screen-free schedules, receive alerts for inappropriate content, keep tabs on their location and more. Follow the link to create your free account

https://www.qustodio.com/en/30-days-school-special/?utm_source=internal&utm_medium=OSHub&utm_campaign=stockport

REMINDERS:

<u>Scooters/ Bikes</u>: Please ensure your children <u>do not ride</u> on their scooter/ bikes/ heelies/ roller boots etc once on school playgrounds. Thank you.

We ask that parents ensure their children at the beginning and end of the school day do not play on or with school equipment which has been set up by class teachers for the children's outdoor learning. Thank you.

Dogs: Please be aware that the only dogs allowed on the school site are guide/ hearing dogs. Dogs should not be tied up at the school gates.

If you need to report an incident regarding a dog you must contact Stockport Council's dog warden service on 0161 474 4207.

Idling:

Please turn off your car engines whilst waiting outside of school, especially at Breakfast School drop-off. Not only does it help us all breathe easier, but it can also help you avoid a fine, as idling is an offense

Site Security:

We appreciate your cooperation in helping us maintain a safe and secure environment for all our pupils and the wider community. We kindly ask that you exit the school site right after drop-off and collection. Our commitment to security means the gates will be locked at 9:10 am and 3:40 pm. Please be sure to leave the grounds before these times and discourage children from playing on the trim trail or other school equipment after school hours.

Healthy Eating:

We encourage healthy eating to support your child's learning throughout the day. Please help us by sending only healthy snacks to school, such as fruit, vegetables, crackers, or cheese.

Please do not send in crisps, chocolate, sweets, or pastries.

Please remember that we are a nut-free school. For the safety of children with severe allergies, nuts of any kind are strictly prohibited on school grounds.



Closing date for shoe boxes to be brought into school: Friday 24th October.



Stockport Mental Health Support Team:

Olivia, our Mental Health practitioner, will be hosting a parent coffee morning here in the school hall on **Tuesday 14**th **October from 9am-10am.** Please come along to meet her and find out a little bit more about the services she will offer

Parent Consultation Evenings

Our first Parent Consultation Evenings will take place on **Tuesday 21st October and Thursday 23rd October 4.15-6.30pm** here in school.

https://cheadleinfant.schoolcloud.co.uk/

We have allowed 5 minutes per child and ask for your co-operation in keeping to this. You will appreciate that this important event is exclusively for parents; **therefore no children including junior children should be onsite for either meeting.**

There will be no childcare provision provided

Forest School next session-10th October:_Year 1 & Year 2 PE Days:

Reception: Wednesday

Year 1: Wednesday & Thursday

Year 2: Tuesday & Friday

On these days your child may come to school in their PE kit, joggers/ leggings and trainers (Velcro please.)

Allotments:

Are you green fingered? We are in need of some volunteers who can help keep on top of our allotment. Any parents/carers/grandparents who are able to offer some time either weekly or monthly please get in touch! We are hoping to get a little group of volunteers together! Email grace.marshall@cheadle-inf.stockport.sch.uk

Open Evenings

We will be hosting four Open Evenings this year for 2026 prospective parents.

They will be held on:

- Tuesday 18th November 5-6pm
- Tue 25th Nov 6-7pm
- Tue 9th Dec 5-6pm

If you know anyone who may be interested in a Reception or Nursery place for September 2026 please ask them to email admin@cheadle-inf.stockport.sch.uk in order to book a place.

Admissions. If you have a child due to start school in September 2025 (born between September 1st 2021 and August 31st 2022) online applications are now open. The closing date for Reception applications is **15**th **January 2026**

Applications for nursery places for September 2025 are also being accepted online. Closing date is **31**st **March 2026**

www.stockport.gov.uk/schooladmissions

If you have any queries please email the admissions team at admissions.support@stockport.gov.uk

PSA News:



Donate a cake(give to class teacher): 3rd/4th November

Cake sale in school:

Children to bring suggested donation of £1 for a cake during the afternoon.

Any remaining cakes will be on sale in the Infant gazebo after school on 5th November!

All monies raised will be split between Ukraine support and PSA.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



PSA DECORATE/CARVING Pumpkin Competition!

Over half term can you decorate/carve a pumpkin?

STEP 1: Paint/carve a pumpkin

STEP 2: Take a picture of your design and email it to timetoshine@cheadle-inf.stockport.sch.uk

STEP 3: Pay £1 entry on parentpay

One winner in each class and they will be awarded a prize after half term!

What will you design?



Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

Mrs Glynn.

Congratulations to our new Stars of the Week:

Nursery: Emily & Eshaan

R1: Jude J & Margot S

R2: Bailee & Alexander

RN3: Sansa & Rueben

10: Grace D & Henry

1DW: Alba & Tobias

1BW: Finlay & Zara

2L: Amelia-Lily & Marie-Joy

2W: Oskar & Annie

2N: Miles & Madeleine

headteacher@cheadle-inf.stockport.sch.uk Tel: 4858733

Diary Dates...

Provisional Diary Dates

(Red indicates new date or change of date)

Week beginning 13th October	Bring in a food item for the Harvest Festival
Tuesday 14 th October	Coffee morning with Olivia (Mental Health Practitioner)
Tuesday 14 th October	Class 2N Celebration of the Word 3pm
Friday 17 th October	Wear red to school: Show Racism the Red Card day
Tuesday 21st October 4.15-6.30pm	Parent's evening (more details to follow)
Thursday 23 rd October 4.15-6.30pm	Parent's evening (more details to follow)
Friday 24 th October	Closing date for shoe boxes for Ukraine
Friday 24th October	School closes for half term
Monday 3 rd November	School re opens for Autumn half term 2
Tuesday 4 th November	The enrove versions tions
Tuesday 4" November	Flu spray vaccinations
Wednesday 12 th November	Class 2W Celebration of the Word 3pm
Tuesday 18 th November	Year 2 Maths Parent Workshop 9.15-
	10.15am
Wednesday 18 th November	Open Evening for 2025-26 parents 5-6pm
Wednesday 19 th November	Class 10 Celebration of the Word 3pm
Monday 24 th November	Class 1DW Celebration of the Word 3pm
Tuesday 25 th November	Year 1Maths Parent Workshop 9.15-
	10.15am
Thursday 27 th November	Class 1BW Celebration of the Word 3pm
Tuesday 2 nd December	Thumbs Up 8.50-9.15am
Tuesday 9 th December	R2 Nativity 9.30 (change of date)
Tuesday 9 th December	Open Evening for 2026 parents 5-6pm
Wednesday 10th December	Nursery Nativity 9.30am
Wednesday 10 th December	Bedtime Stories 5-6pm (More details to follow)

Thursday 11 th December 9.30am	R1 Nativity 9.30am (change of date)
Thursday 11 th December 9.30am	Bedtime Stories 5-6pm (More details to follow
Friday 12 th December	RN3 Nativity 9.30am
Wednesday 17 th December	Year 2 Carol Concert at St Ann's Church
	(To be confirmed).
Thursday 18 th December	Christmas Party Day
Friday 19th December	School closes for Christmas holidays
Monday 5 th January	School opens for Spring Term



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