

NEWSLETTER

Chaddleworth St. Andrew's and Shefford
CE Federated Primary Schools

'Living life in all its fullness' John 10:10



Christian Values: Courage, **Compassion**, Trust, Friendship, Wisdom, Endurance

Dear Parents and Carers,

It was interesting listening to an Ofsted inspector speaking about safeguarding at the Primary Heads Forum this week. Safeguarding is a priority for every school and next week our **Safeguarding Governor, Emma Stone** will be joining me for an audit of our systems, policies and practice. We constantly review our practices and procedures and this is a good opportunity to reflect and consider what we do well and what could be even better.

Policy: [Child Protection and Safeguarding Policy](#)

Policy: [Behaviour for Learning \(incl. bullying\)](#)

Please fill out our 9 multi-choice questions with an opportunity to make comments at the end.

Give your views: [Safeguarding Survey](#)

Looking forward to today's celebrations at Chaddleworth school 10am—12pm.

Best wishes,

Mrs Stephenson

Headteacher

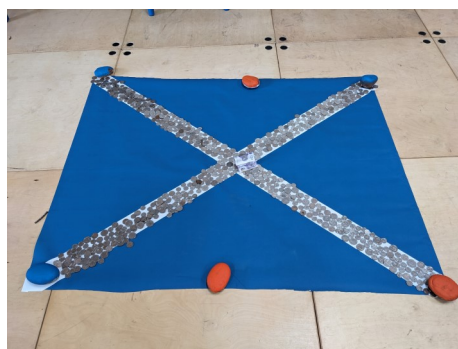
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December Kindness 2023



St Andrew's Day

Thank you all for your generous donations which we will be sending to Great Ormond Street Hospital. The children learnt about St Andrew, thought about how we can celebrate events and why we give to charity. Then they found out how the money would be spent on resources and support that makes hospital feel more like home. We raised more than £90 in silver coins—wow!



Up and Coming Christmas Events



Christmas Performance Ticket Request

Please make your selections [HERE](#)



Emotional Health Triage Service

Emotional Health Triage



Our Triage Service

- Emotional Health Triage is a free service open to children and young people in West Berkshire who need support with emotional health difficulties. Referrals are usually made by family members, schools, GPs or other professionals.
- How it works: When a child or young person is referred, we will get in touch with their family to discuss their needs and, where possible, we will signpost them to relevant support. When we feel the young person's referral requires a more in-depth discussion, they will be discussed at our weekly multi-agency triage meeting. EHT panel members include representatives from the EHA, CAMHS, specialist charities, council services and healthcare professionals. They discuss each referral and agree what support should be recommended. This may result in an offer of support through the EHA, the referral being passed to another service and/or signposting to other appropriate organisations.
- To make a referral for a child or young person please use our [online referral form](#). For further information please see [our website](#) or email us at emotional.health.triage@westberks.gov.uk. If you are unable to use a web form, you can e-mail us to request a PDF form.
- Please note:** We are not a crisis service. Please speak to your GP or contact CAMHS if a young person needs help with severe emotional or mental health difficulties.



www.westberks.gov.uk/emotional-health-academy



Big Question

In the Bible, Jesus said that he was the light in the world, bringing hope to people living in darkness.

Who or what brings you hope when things are difficult?



Class Blogs

Do have a look at the updated class blog pages to find out about your child/ren's learning this week.

[Robins Class Blog](#)

[Kingfishers Class Blog](#)

[Owls Class Blog](#)

[Red Kites Class Blog](#)

Diary Dates

December	
Fri, 1st	Pick up a Christmas Jumper 3.15pm
Sat, 2nd	200th Anniversary of Chaddleworth St Andrew's School on the current site Come and join us at Chaddleworth 10am—12pm for coffee and birthday cake!
Mon, 4th	Christingle Service in school 2.45pm All welcome Football Tournament at Park House Y5/6 3.15pm—6pm
Fri, 8th	Watermill 'Christmas' Cake Sale 3.15pm Christmas School Dinner Order Deadline
Tues, 12th	EYFS/KS1 Nativity 1.30pm—2.00pm KS2 Carols 2.15pm
Wed, 13th	EYFS/KS1 Nativity 6.00pm—6.30pm KS2 Carols 6.45pm
Fri, 15th	Elf Mile PTFA event
Tues, 19th	St Mary's Church Service 9am All welcome Christmas Jumper/T Shirt Day Christmas Lunch
Wed, 20th	Library Van Whole School trip to see 'Sleeping Beauty' at The Hexagon Theatre, Reading
January	
Fri, 5th	INSET—staff only
Mon, 8th	Term starts

Christian Value

Compassion

Golden Moments

"I saw someone else helping a friend walk into school when they were feeling sad."

"I really enjoyed learning about the short method for division because it was tricky trying to exchange but then I got it!"

"Reading my new book. I love it!"

Christingle Service

You are welcome to join us on Monday 4th Dec at 2.45pm in the school hall for our Christingle Service.

