



Newsletter – Monday 7th February 2022 (fortnightly)

W/B	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7th Feb Menu week 2	Internet Safety Week	Toddlers AM Eco Club	PE (Acorns/Oaks) Primary Sports After School - Sports Club (Acorns)	Music lessons & Toddlers PM PE (Acorns/Oaks) Primary Sports After School -Sports Club (Oaks)	Forest School (Acorns)
14th Feb Menu week 1		Toddlers AM Eco Club CANCELLED	PE (Acorns/Oaks) Primary Sports After School - Sports Club (Acorns)	Music lessons & Toddlers PM PE (Acorns/Oaks) Primary Sports After School -Sports Club (Oaks)	Last day of term Forest School (Acorns)
HALF TERM					
28th Feb Menu Week 2	Return to school	Toddlers AM Eco Club	The Bookery Visit PE (Acorns/Oaks) Primary Sports After School - Sports Club (Acorns)	World Book Day Music lessons & Toddlers PM PE (Acorns/Oaks) Primary Sports After School -Sports Club (Oaks)	Forest School (Acorns)

Dates for the Diary

18th Feb: Last day of school

21st-25th Feb: Half term

28th Feb: Return to school

2nd March: Crediton Book Shop Visit

3rd March: World Book Day (details below)

5th March: PTFA Jumble Sale @ Witheridge

8th March: Bag2School Collection

15th March: School Photo (Vista style)

18th March: Comic Relief

30th March: Nursery/Acorns Exmoor Trip

8th April: Last day of school

11th-22nd April: Easter Holidays

25th April: Return to school

2nd May: May Day Bank Holiday

9-11th May: Oaks Residential

27th May: Last day of school

30th-3rd June: Half term

6th June: Return to school

21st June: School photo (whole school)

9th July: PTFA Duck Race @ EW

21st July: Last day of school

Our Learning **Toddlers**

Toddlers have had lots of fun this week celebrating the year of the tiger for Chinese New Year! Making paper plate tigers, rice play and trying Chinese noodles, sweet and sour sauce, and prawn crackers - they went down a treat!

Nursery and Reception

Nursery and Reception have continued their learning about nocturnal animals and have worked together to create a display to show off their creative skills. In maths, they have been recognising numbers in digits and as images without counting up to 5.

Acorns (KS1)

We have learnt about Samuel Pepys and his diary and then we have written our own diary pretending we were there. In science we have continued to learn about the changes that happen during the different seasons and looked at the cycle of an apple tree - the best part was apple tasting after working really hard. We also welcomed a firefighter into our class and learnt how to call 999 in an emergency and the types of questions the call centre may ask us. We learnt how to STOP, DROP and ROLL and finally we listened to a smoke detector being tested and were asked to test our own smoke detectors at home once a month to check they are working properly.

Oaks (KS2)

The Oaks have finished the book "The Saga of Erik the Viking" and are going onto "The Secret of Vesuvius" from the Roman Mysteries stories. They have been writing gripping and exciting climaxes for their stories based on "Escape from Pompeii".

In maths, the children have been focussing on short multiplication and bus stop method for division. Thank you for all your hard work with timetables. The teaching of these methods has been much easier this year because the children know these number facts fluently. Please do keep this up as they continue to be relevant to our work on fractions which we are moving onto.

Message from Mrs Dodd

Oaks: please can you bring in a 'mystery object', that you believe no one in class will recognise or know what it is. Be careful not to share any information on your chosen artefact before the lesson!

OOSC – Out of School Club with Angie Lunn

OOSC have been getting creative with oil pastels making bright and colourful posters to celebrate Chinese New Year. The children have enjoyed using clay to sculpt their favourite animals that they paint and decorate next week.

Last week we had lots of fun making marble balloon animals and racing them against each other with very surprising results! The children have access to the outside area where they can enjoy the Mud Kitchen, sandpit and garden area.

Please can children bring in a small snack if booked into to a OOSC session.

Internet Safety Week – this week

It is Internet Safety Week this week and our focus is having fun, staying safe, respect and relationships online. If you need any help with parent restrictions, you can visit the website below.

We are covering this subject in assembly all week and in our ICT lessons. The children will be creating posters to put up around the school.



[Advice for parents and carers - UK Safer Internet Centre](https://www.saferinternetday.org.uk/)

ECO Club – 15th February – Cancelled

Many apologies from Mrs Pugsley but Eco Club will be cancelled on Tuesday 15th February due to her attending training offsite that day.

World Book Day – 3rd March

World Book Day is only just around the corner – the week we return after half-term, on **Thursday 3rd March!** This year it celebrates its 25th anniversary with the theme "You are a reader", which is intended to invite every child to free their imagination into the world of stories, and to explore non-fiction texts.

We are inviting children to dress up as a favourite character on the day; please check they know the name of their character, the title of the book and - ideally - the author who wrote the book. Our budding artists may be very keen to share what they know about the illustrator, too. They can share this with their class in some of the activities planned for that day.

This year we are pleased to welcome The Bookery, the bookshop in Crediton, to our school on Wednesday 2nd, the day beforehand. More details will follow but books will be available to order. £6 each or 2 for £10. They will be taking cash on the day.

Thank you to the PTFA who are purchasing a set of new releases from The Bookery for the library.

Across the week we will be focusing on reading from our amazing range of non-fiction books purchased courtesy of the Foyle Grant and the PTFA who have topped the purchase up to enable us to get such a wide range of AR books.

Thank you for supporting us with this event – we are all looking forward to it!



Uniform and PE Kit

Please can we ask that children wear the correct school uniform and PE kit on a Wednesday and Thursday. We ask that coloured team t-shirts are logo free and that children wear black/grey leggings or joggers please.

School dinners

Please make sure that you are ordering school dinners well in advance especially for the week after half term as this will need to be ordered this week please. Menus are attached below for your reference.

Birthdays

Many happy returns to Alfie, Oscar H, Nancy and Freya who all celebrate their birthdays before the next newsletter at the beginning of March!

Sorry for the error in the last newsletter but many happy returns to Hattie H who celebrates her birthday in half term!

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY**

PTFA DATES AND NEWS

Dates:

18th February - Movie Night @school 3.30pm-5.45pm

5th March - Jumble Sale @Witheridge Parish Hall 2-4pm

8th March - Bags2School collection

9th July - Duck Race

Movie nights return with the showing of Disney's Encanto! Open to all children Nursery to Year 6. Tickets £2.50 per child to include a drink and crisps or popcorn. Please purchase tickets in advance via our SumUp online store: <https://east-worlington-primary-school-ptfa.sumup.link/product/movie-night-ticket>

The PTFA are thrilled to be helping to fund a number of school trips taking place this year. As all children in the school directly benefit from the money we raise, please remember that any time you can spare to help support our fundraising efforts is going to help your child and ensure none of the children miss out on these important enriching activities and experiences.

We'll shortly be looking for helpers for the jumble sale on 5th March between 12-5pm this is a great event to help at if you haven't done so before so please drop us a message or email if you are able to help out even just for some of that time.

Many thanks

Chanelle Busby (Chair)

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**JOB ADVERTISEMENT
FOR THE PERMANENT POSTS OF**

**Teaching Assistant
(various roles available)**

39 weeks per annum - term time only

**Grade C: £9.81 to £10.21 per hour
(depending on experience/pay award pending)**

**AT CHULMLEIGH COMMUNITY COLLEGE
Required from March**

We are seeking to appoint enthusiastic, committed, patient and motivated Teaching Assistants to join our team at Chulmleigh Community College.

The Teaching Assistant role involves providing support for pupils, including those with special needs, to enable access to learning. You will be tenacious and committed to supporting the needs and development of individual pupils whilst being an excellent team player and communicator. Previous experience of working with pupils with different abilities would be an advantage. The successful candidates will provide support across both KS3 and KS4 (age 11-16 years).

Candidates should demonstrate the following skills and attributes:

- A good standard of English and Mathematics
- Excellent communication skills
- Patience and positivity
- Support inclusion and be fully committed to ensuring the very best for all our pupils
- The ability to support colleagues, use positive behaviour management strategies and ensure the school continues its excellent provision for all pupils

We are pleased to have the flexibility to offer various permanent opportunities including:

- 30 hours per week x 39 weeks per annum – term time plus an additional week to cover Non-Pupil Days
- part time opportunities that we will be pleased to discuss at interview.

An application form, job description and information relating to our standing and success are available on our website: <https://www.cusat.co.uk>

Please email completed application forms to personnel@chulmleigh.ddevon.sch.uk by 10 am on Monday 14th February 2022. Please indicate on your application if you are interested in a part time role.

As employers we are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and in that regard have appropriate policies and procedures. All staff undertake a criminal record check via the Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) and interviews will include questions about safeguarding children.

Closing date: 10 am Monday, 14th February 2022

Interview date: Friday, 18th February 2022



JOB ADVERTISEMENT

Chulmleigh Primary School

**Part time, permanent Teaching Assistant
Grade C - £9.81 per hour
(pay award pending)
21 hours per week x 39 weeks per annum**

Also

**Part time, fixed term Mealtime Assistant
Grade A - £9.25 per hour
(pay award pending)
2 hours per week x 39 weeks per annum.**

**Required March 2022
(following the half term break)**

We are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic, committed, patient and motivated Teaching Assistant to join our team. The post involves supervising and providing support for pupils, including those with special needs, to enable access to learning. You will be providing general learning support to children within the classroom. We welcome applications from candidates with suitable skills and experience. The role of the successful candidate will include providing help with learning tasks; feeding back to the teacher on progress made; encouraging pupils to take responsibility for their own learning, self-care and promoting development of self-esteem, promoting independent learning, and supporting children to lead a healthy, active life. The preferred working pattern is four days per week from 9am – 3.15pm (one-hour unpaid lunch break). Full details of the work pattern will be agreed with the successful candidate at interview.

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We are pleased to be able to offer the successful candidate an additional role as a Mealtime Assistant. The post involves supervising and providing support for pupils for 30 minutes four days per week. Duties include supervising mealtimes, undertaking playground duty, and leading and engaging in play activities.

An application form and job description are available from our website: <https://www.cusat.co.uk>

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Interview date: Thursday 17th February 2022



EAST AND WEST WORLINGTON COMMUNITY

**February Monthly Community Sunday Brunch
Reminder**

This is a reminder that the next Monthly Community Sunday Brunch is on **Sunday 13th February** between 10.00am and 12.00 noon at **East Worlington Parish Hall**.

**All welcome
No need to book**

If you do not wish to receive emails about East Worlington community events and information updates, please reply to this email to request removal from the distribution list.

PRIMARY DINNERS

WEEK 2



MONDAY

Pork & apple burger or vegetable burger with potato wedges, baked beans or sweetcorn

Jacket potato served with cheese

Cheese, tuna mayo, ham, chicken mayo or egg mayo sandwiches

Fruit & yoghurt

Strawberry or vanilla ice cream

TUESDAY

Lasagne or vegetable lasagne with freshly baked baguette & salad

Jacket potato served with tuna mayonnaise

Cheese, tuna mayo, ham, chicken mayo or egg mayo sandwiches

Fruit & yoghurt

Chocolate shortcake

WEDNESDAY

Roast gammon ham with carrots, broccoli and gravy or giant filled Yorkshire pudding with roasted vegetables and meat free gravy

Jacket potato served with cheese

Cheese, tuna mayo, ham, chicken mayo or egg mayo sandwiches

Fruit & yoghurt

Marshmallow crispy cake

THURSDAY

Chicken or vegetable casserole with mashed potato, sweetcorn & runner beans

Jacket potato served with tuna mayonnaise

Cheese, tuna mayo, ham, chicken mayo or egg mayo sandwiches

Fruit & yoghurt

Oat & raisin cookie

FRIDAY

Spaghetti bolognese or vegetarian bolognese with mixed vegetables

Jacket potato served with baked beans

Cheese, tuna mayo, ham, chicken mayo or egg mayo sandwiches

Fruit & yoghurt

Mixed berry crumble & custard

PRIMARY DINNERS

WEEK 1



MONDAY

Chinn's sausages or vegetarian sausages served with potato wedges, peas or baked beans

Jacket potato served with cheese

Cheese, tuna mayo, ham, chicken mayo or egg mayo sandwiches

Fruit & yoghurt

Peaches

TUESDAY

Cottage pie or Quorn cottage pie with carrots, peas & broccoli

Jacket potato served with tuna mayonnaise

Cheese, tuna mayo, ham, chicken mayo or egg mayo sandwiches

Fruit & yoghurt

White chocolate cookie

WEDNESDAY

Steak pie or vegetable pie with roast potatoes, carrots & peas

Jacket potato served with cheese

Cheese, tuna mayo, ham, chicken mayo or egg mayo sandwiches

Fruit & yoghurt

Vanilla or strawberry ice cream

THURSDAY

BBQ chicken or vegetable pasta with sweetcorn & green beans

Jacket potato served with tuna mayonnaise

Cheese, tuna mayo, ham, chicken mayo or egg mayo sandwiches

Fruit & yoghurt

Chocolate sponge & chocolate sauce

FRIDAY

Salmon fishcake or vegetable grill with mashed potatoes, peas or baked beans

Jacket potato served with baked beans

Cheese, tuna mayo, ham, chicken mayo or egg mayo sandwiches

Fruit & yoghurt

Fruit & jelly