



# Chapel Chat

Term 1 2024-2025

## Important Dates for Term 2:

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> November** – Whole School Remembrance at the Church

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November** – Child in Need, wear something spotty!

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November** – Flu Vaccine

**Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December** – Christmas Fete (3.30pm – 5pm)

**Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> December** – Nursery Afternoon Sing

**Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December** – EYFS Nativity (Afternoon)

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December** – Whole School Trip to the Panto

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December** – Christmas Jumper Day and Christmas Dinner Day

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December** – Christmas Carols at the Village Hall (PM)

**Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December** – Last day of the term.

Dear Parents, Carers and Families,

Firstly, thank you for your continued support throughout Term 1. It has been an absolute pleasure getting to know all the children and you as families. Term 1 has been a fantastic start to the year. We have seen the nominations of our House Captains this term who have been role modelling their expectations across school and have made a great start to the year as leaders. We have also seen the appointment of our school council which is being led by Miss Toogood and I look forward to hearing all their fantastic ideas to support the growth of the school. We have also started our extracurricular clubs which have had a fantastic take up as well as our sporting fixtures that have happened this term where pupils have had the opportunity to represent the school. I have thoroughly enjoyed the first term at Chapel St Leonards Primary School and look forward to the rest of the academic year.

Once again, thank you

Best Wishes

*Miss Turner*

We have been selected as 'Community Champions' by the Lincolnshire Coop. Please can you remember to use your dividend card when shopping at the Coop as this allows us to be allocated funding in the new year!



The Little Seahorses have had a wonderful start to the term, and we have lots of exciting things planned when we return in November.

We do have a small number of spaces available so if you are considering applying for a nursery place, or would like advice on funding, please contact the school office.



Chapel St Leonards Primary School Council Members



Each term in Year 2 we are having a reading challenge. The pupil that reads the most at home will be able to win house points.

Ella Pashley is the winner this term, Ella read 37 times so, Ella wins 37 house points for her team.

Well done Ella that's awesome!



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We have had an amazing start to the year in Reception! We have settled into school life brilliantly and I could not be prouder of the progress they have already made in their learning. We have been taught all of the single letter sounds in our phonics and are practising these every day. We have built models, created fantastic art pieces and have explored the sand outside – A LOT!

Our topic this term has been All about me. We have learnt about our emotions through the story 'The Colour Monster' and have been talking about how we are feeling during the day. We've learnt about our bodies through the story 'Funny bones' and have learnt different words for the bones in our body such as spine and skull. We've also explored the changing seasons around us as we move into the colder season of Autumn. Our favourite has been exploring colour mixing with conker rolling pictures.

Next half term, our topic will be 'People who help us' where we will be exploring different professions in our community and will even get to meet some people as we have some visitors to school. Well done Reception!

Miss Pettit, Miss Steeples and Miss Quickfall



This half term, Year Five have been investigating and exploring materials. We have completed different practical experiments each week, which the children have planned and recorded carefully using lots of different methods.

Lily and Emilie love that we have done lots of practical investigations. Megan says that her favourite experiment has been when we looked at bouncy raisins.

