

Newsletter





29th September 2023

Issue: 1

Growth and Excellence, Every Day

It is wonderful to welcome back our children and families to Cherry Tree. A big welcome goes to our new children, who have joined us in Reception and those who have arrived from other setting! \odot

Since joining CTA, I have been blown away with the commitment, from staff, support from families and how incredible our children are.

As a leadership team, we have been working hard to make sure that our children's learning experiences are positive but also prepare then for the next stage of their learning career.

I am planning on holding a parent forum, within the next few weeks – more details to follow.

Have a great weekend and take care!

Mr Dawson - Headteacher

Term Dates - 2023/24

Autumn Term 2023

Holiday starts - Monday 30 October 2023 Back to school - Monday 6 November 2023

Spring half term 2024

Holiday starts - Monday 12 February 2024 Back to school - Monday 19 February 2024

Holiday starts - Monday 25 March 2024 Back to school - Monday 8 April 2024

Christmas

Holiday starts - Monday 25 December 2023 Back to school - Monday 8 January 2024

Summer half term

Holiday starts - Tuesday 28 May 2024 Back to school - Monday 3 June 2024

School closes for the summer break on Thursday 18th July 2024.

Bank holidays 2023/24

Summer Bank Holiday - Monday 28 August 2023 Boxing Day - Tuesday 26 December 2023 Christmas Day (substitute day) - Monday 25 December 2023 New Year's Day (substitute day) - Monday 1 January 2024 Good Friday - Friday 29 March 2024 Easter Monday - Monday 1 April 2024 May Day - Monday 6 May 2024

> Inset Days (subject to change): Friday 24th May 2024 Friday 19th July 2024

Spring Bank Holiday - Monday 27 May 2024

Monday 22nd July 2024

Designated Safeguarding Lead: Mr A Dawson Deputy DSL: Mrs S Wiggins and Mrs J Storey

If you are worried a child is at risk of harm, please contact one of the above or Social Care Direct on 0345 8503503 Copies of the Safeguarding Policy can be obtained from the school office or downloaded from the school website. https://cherrytreeacademy.org/safeguarding/

Attendance 29.09.23

| Dibdale (Reception) | 93% |
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| Mossdale (Reception/Year 1) | 89% |
| Rosedale (Year 1/2) | 86% |
| Wensleydale (Year 2) | 92% |
| Swaledale (Year 3 / 4) | 89% |
| Silverdale (Year 3 / 4) | 91% |
| Ribblesdale (Year 5) | 89% |
| Wharfedale (Year 5/6) | 94% |
| Cragdale (Year 6) | 96% |

Star Of The Week!

| Mossdale | Harris |
|----------------|-----------------|
| (Reception/Y1) | Tolley - Hill |
| Rosedale | Ollie |
| (Year 1/2) | Chester |
| Wensleydale | Rory |
| (Year 2) | Wileman - Ashby |
| Swaledale | Neve |
| (Year 3 / 4) | Gurtler |
| Silverdale | Scarlett |
| (Year 3 / 4) | Greenwood |
| Ribblesdale | Daisy |
| (Year 5) | Clark |
| Wharfedale | Skiela |
| (Year 5/6) | Jones |
| Cragdale | Nikita |
| (Year 6) | Walker |

Every School Day Counts



Every Minute Counts

LATENESS = LOST LEARNING

(Figures below are calculated over a school year)

5 Minutes late each day

3 days lost!

10 Minutes late each day

6.5 days lost!

15 Minutes late each day

10 days lost!

20 Minutes late each day

13 days lost!

19 days lost!

30 Minutes late each day

Be at the classroom on time and ready to learn!

This Week in Pictures

Stars of the Week



