

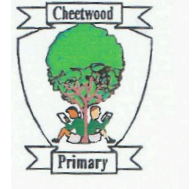
# Cheetwood Newsletter

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learn together  
grow together

## **Weekly Roundup**

Please read the imported sweets and drinks warning attached below ...

Please continue to check Marvellous Me.

Homework and messages are sent on there as well as Badges and Thumbs Up from staff.

Children are now also logged onto Times Tables Rockstars.

TTRockstars is an online learning platform that has gained widespread popularity among students and teachers. The game-based program aims to improve students' mental math skills by making multiplication tables fun and engaging.

If you have not logged on yet, please check your child's book bag for the login letters or speak to the office for a copy of the letter.

**We break up for half term on Friday 14th February 2025.**

**School will reopen on Tuesday 25th February 2025**

*No Mini Explorers this week - we will return on Wednesday 26th February*

## **CHEETWOOD AFTER SCHOOL CARE CLUB - 1st March 2025**

**New opening times - 3.20 until 6pm**

**Limited places available - only £4 per session, per child**

**Wide range of activities available and an opportunity to complete homework with support and resources**

## **Rights Respecting Schools - Cheetwood's Article of the Week!**









### **Article of the week: Article 15**

Every child has the right to meet with other children and to join groups and organisations, as long as this does not stop other people from enjoying their rights.

## Attendance

Our school attendance target this year is **97%**

Class attendance for the this week:	
Nursery: 88.5%	Reception: 95.8%
Year 1: 96.2%	Year 2: 91.3%
Year 3: 98.6%	Year 4: 97.9%
Year 5: 95.8%	Year 6: 95.3%
<p><b>Overall Attendance is 95%</b></p> <p>Unfortunately we have not achieved our attendance target this week. Please remember there will be <b>NO AUTHORISED LEAVE</b> during term time</p>	

 <span style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold; color: green;">Star of the week</span> 	 <span style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold; color: green;">Golden Ticket</span> 
Nursery: Zaryaan & Ilyas Reception: Ismael & Ayat Year 1: Noah & Ahsan Year 2: Adam & Zyna Year 3: Mailey & Talha Year 4: Musa & Aliyah Year 5: Samanta & Aisha B Year 6: Demi & Malachi	Jaskaran Fatima Catherine Abdimalik Samanta
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;">     </div> <span style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold; color: green;">Reading Stats</span>	
Year 1: 57 %, Year 2: 62 % Year 3: 60%, Year 4: 70 % Year 5: 79 %, Year 6: 87 %	
<span style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold; color: green;">Presentation</span>	
Year 1: Noor Year 2: Asiya & Charmin Year 3: Remiyah	Year 4: Azra Year 5: Stevie Year 6: Shakirah

# Safer Internet Day

## Too good to be true?

Protecting yourself and others from scams online

**Be aware of who you are contacting. Do you know them?**

**Everyone does not need to know personal information so keep it safe.**

**Think before you click online.**

**Tell a responsible adult or teacher if something or someone makes you feel unhappy online.**

**Enjoyable. You should feel happy, secure and comfortable online.**

**Reliable. Make sure you check the information is true and accurate.**



This will make for a **better** internet





# ILLEGAL

## Imported sweets and drinks warning

The Chartered Trading Standards Institute has issued a warning that imported sweets and fizzy drinks with known links to hyperactivity and cancer have flooded the UK.

Here in Manchester we're taking this very seriously, and the Council's Environmental Health team are seizing illegal products from local shops. We're also urging you not to buy these products for children.

### What are the risks?

**Some imported sweets and drinks contain additives and ingredients that are banned in the UK because they are linked to:**

- Hyperactivity
- Behavioural problems
- Cancer
- Kidney and other organ damage
- Heart problems
- Making insulin response less effective
- Nausea, vomiting, diarrhoea, loss of appetite, stomach cramps
- Copper deficiency
- Headaches
- Dizziness
- Nutrient deficiencies and reduced immune function.

### What to look out for

**Banned ingredients to look out for:**

- Brominated vegetable oil (BVO)
- E127, erythrosine (shown on US products as Red 3)
- Mineral oil – this carries the risk of contamination with other compounds that are capable of forming cancers
- Bleached flour.























**The following additives can cause hyperactivity and behavioural problems in children. There should be a warning on the packaging to state this.**

- Sunset yellow FCF (E110)
- Quinoline yellow (E104)
- Carmoisine (E122)
- Allura red (E129)
- Tartrazine (E102)
- Ponceau 4R (E124).

**The following additives are allowed in food but not in drinks:**

- Calcium disodium EDTA (E385) – in animal studies it caused adverse reproductive and developmental effects and in mice has been shown to contribute to cancer of the colon
- Erythorbic acid (E315).

Some examples of imported food and drinks that have been found to contain banned additives and ingredients are shown below. Some of these brands have products intended for the UK market and comply with legislation. Check the ingredients to make sure the product you're buying doesn't contain any of the additives listed on the other side of this leaflet.

<p><b>Jolly Rancher Hard Candy</b></p> 	<p><b>Twizzlers Rainbow Twists</b></p> 	<p><b>Fanta Pineapple</b></p> 	<p><b>Hostess Twinkies</b></p> 
<p><b>Jolly Rancher Gummies original</b></p> 	<p><b>Chewy Lemonhead</b></p> 	<p><b>Mtn Dew</b></p> 	<p><b>Hostess Golden Cupcakes</b></p> 
<p><b>Jolly Rancher Lollipops</b></p> 	<p><b>Lemonhead Original Candy</b></p> 	<p><b>Mirinda</b></p> 	<p><b>Pillsbury Funfetti Cake Mix</b></p> 
<p><b>Swedish Fish</b></p> 	<p><b>Hot Tamales</b></p> 	<p><b>Sunny D</b></p> 	<p><b>Prime Hydration</b></p> 
<p><b>Swedish Fish mini Tropical</b></p> 	<p><b>Cheetos Crunchy</b></p> 	<p><b>Sunny D Orange Strawberry</b></p> 	<p><b>Van Holten's pickles</b></p> 
<p><b>Twizzlers Strawberry Twists</b></p> 	<p><b>Takis Blue Heat</b></p> 	<p>We're working hard to protect consumers by removing these products from local shops and educating shopkeepers about the dangers. If you see a product with one of the banned ingredients, please report it to <a href="mailto:contact@manchester.gov.uk">contact@manchester.gov.uk</a></p>	

