

There has been a lot of missed time lately due to children having medical appointments during school time. Whilst I appreciate it can be difficult to get appointments at present, I would ask wherever possible, appointments are made after school or at weekends.

If they are during school time, could you please ensure you have a letter or appointment card as your child may not be marked as medical without it.

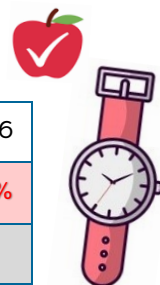
Star Pupils

- Liam and Ali-Asghar
- Mustafa and Amelia S
- Majobe and Haroun
- Mariam and Ismaeel
- Arooj and Fowzan
- Aydin & Armaan Z.

This Week's Attendance & Punctuality

Attendance and punctuality are very important to help assist the children with their learning. Being absent or late disrupts not only their learning but that of their classmates.

	Rec	Yr.1	Yr.2	Yr.3	Yr. 4	Yr. 5	Yr. 6
Attendance	89%	90%	92%	92%	95%	93%	94%
Punctuality	7	6	7	1	4	6	3



Easter Story Colouring Competition

This week teachers handed out colouring pages from the Easter Story. Please complete and return to your class teachers by Monday 20t March for your chance to win an Easter Egg and have your picture in the newsletter

UNICEF Rights of the Child

Article 26:
Social and economic help

Governments should provide money or other support to help children from poor families.

Article 42:
Everyone must know children's rights

Governments should actively tell children and adults about this Convention so that everyone knows about children's rights.

Residents you are invited to the

NECHELLS WARD MEETING

on
23rd March 2023 at 6.30pm at Free@Last, Nechells Park Road B7 5PR

Join in the discussions on local issues in your area with your local councillor

Contact Officer: Kay Thomas, Community Governance Manager
kay.thomas@birmingham.gov.uk

The Anchor News

Serving the local community in the name of Christ since 1859

10th March 2023

#LearningforLifeAnchoredInChrist

Our values focus this half term **Courage**



School closure due to weather

Thank you for your understanding over the last couple of days with school closure due to weather conditions. Obviously, we try to keep the school open as much as we can and decisions to close are not made lightly. We apologise for any inconvenience during this time, but please be assured all decisions are made with the best interest of the children at heart.

Please continue to check our website and social media platforms for updates

Teacher Strike Days:

Next week is another 2 days of NEU teacher strikes. Again, we are trying to keep as many children as possible in school over these days by utilising the staff we have in school.

You will have received a letter this week with more information, but to confirm

Wednesday 15th March

Reception class will stay at home, everyone else will be in school as normal.

Thursday 16th March

Year 2, Year 4 and Year 6 will stay at home, everyone else will be in school as normal.

Important Dates:

Information will be shared closer to the dates

Wed 15th	TEACHER STRIKE Reception CLOSED
Thurs 16th	TEACHER STRIKE Yr. 2, Yr. 4, Yr.6 CLOSED
Fri 17th March	Red Nose Day Wear something Red for £1
Fri 31st March	Easter Church Service - AM (parents welcome) End of Term
Monday 3rd - Fri 14th April 2 Week Easter Break	
Mon 17th April	First Day Back (Normal Time)

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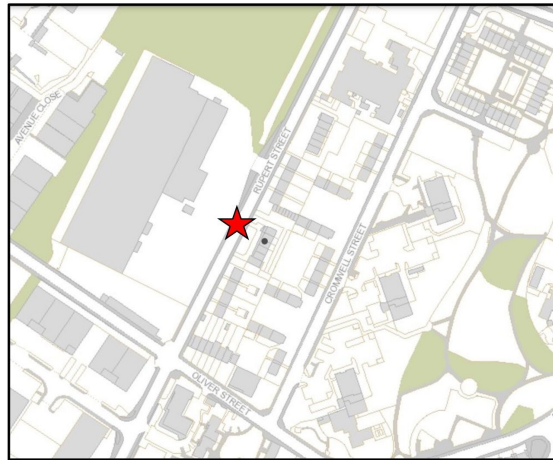
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MHRC

MOBILE HOUSEHOLD RECYCLING CENTRE



Date: Friday 17th March 2023
Time: 0700 – 1200
Address: Rupert Street B7 5DT
Ward: Nechells



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BRING ANY OF THESE UNWANTED ITEMS TO THE VEHICLE:



WE CAN'T TAKE:



No commercial vehicles or commercial waste will be accepted. Crews reserve the right to refuse any items.

- Waste must be brought in person to the Mobile Household Recycling Centre (MHRC) during this time.
- Waste left elsewhere or outside of these times will NOT be collected and may be treated as ILLEGAL DUMPING.
- If you miss the MHRC this time, and you have items to dispose of, you can find out about our free HRC sites here: birmingham.gov.uk/hrc



Here are some useful websites for the council's waste services:

For information on all of the council's waste services visit birmingham.gov.uk/waste

To find out about, or book a slot at our FREE household recycling centres visit birmingham.gov.uk/hrc

For a reminder of what can and cannot be recycled in Birmingham visit birmingham.gov.uk/recycling

To find out more about our bulky waste collection service, or to book a collection, visit birmingham.gov.uk/bulkywaste

To report fly-tipping visit birmingham.gov.uk/flytipping



Safeguarding: Positive Communication

Talking with children and continuing to build positive communication is very important. Sit with your children and both answer these fun conversation starters.

- If you were a superhero, what would your power be and what would you be called?
- If you could go into the world of one of your favourite books, which would you choose?
- What are the most interesting things about you?
- What's your first memory?
- What are you most proud of?
- What scares you and why?
- Who is the funniest person you know? Why?
- Describe yourself in five words.



It's that time again folks
- Comic relief Red Nose Day NEXT FRIDAY -

The aim of the day is to raise money for a charity which helps people in need in Africa and in the UK.

This year we will be having a ravishing red day where we are asking everyone to dress up in red. It can be red socks, red t-shirt or head to toe red.

We are asking for a £1 donation to help us fundraise for this worthy cause.

COMIC RELIEF

RED NOSE DAY

FRIDAY 17 MARCH

HOW YOUR MONEY MAKES A DIFFERENCE

Every penny you donate on Red Nose Day will help people through the toughest times of their lives.

FEED UK FAMILIES

£5

could help feed a child for a day at a community hub in the UK during school holidays.



SUPPORT HOMELESS YOUNG PEOPLE

£10

could go towards buying a hygiene pack so that a young person sleeping rough in the UK can keep clean.



IMPROVE MENTAL HEALTH AND WELLBEING

£20

could help deliver a mental health session for a group of young people in India.



GIVE DISABLED CHILDREN LIFE-CHANGING SUPPORT

£50

could help provide an intensive therapy course for a young disabled person in Malawi.



PROVIDE FOOD SECURITY

£100

could provide four months of food parcels to a family in South Africa.



PROVIDE HOT MEALS FOR THE ELDERLY

£200

could provide hot meals for 50 elderly and vulnerable women in the UK.



Red Nose Day is an initiative of Comic Relief, the operating name of Charity Projects, registered charity in England & Wales (205568) and Scotland (SC039750) and company limited by guarantee registered in England & Wales (2060644), registered address 89 Albert Embankment, London, SE1 7TP. Photo credits: Jordan Mansfield, Patch Dolan, Manu Moha, Thoko Chikondi, Karin Schmittzucker, Housur Burges, RNC23, JDS



Road Safety

We have been made aware that people are parking where the children cross, with the assistance of the Lollipop Crossing Guard, on Nechells Park Road.

Please can you be mindful of road regulations and the safety of our community.

It Takes
COURAGE
to CHOOSE
HOPE
Over **FEAR.**

-Mark Zuckerberg

Household Support Fund



Birmingham City Council's wider Household Support Fund (HSF) activity for this Winter is now available. They will be distributing grants of up to £200 to Birmingham households currently facing hardship, intended for support with food and energy payments.

- You must be a Birmingham Resident
- You must be experiencing hardship, particularly with regards to covering costs linked to food and energy
- You must not have received a hardship grant payment since April 2022

You will need to provide proof of address and proof of means-tested benefits (if you are in receipt of them) in the case that you apply.

If you would like to apply for a Household Support Grant please contact the school office or Miss Akers



Don't forget: It is important to say the words while doing the sign.

