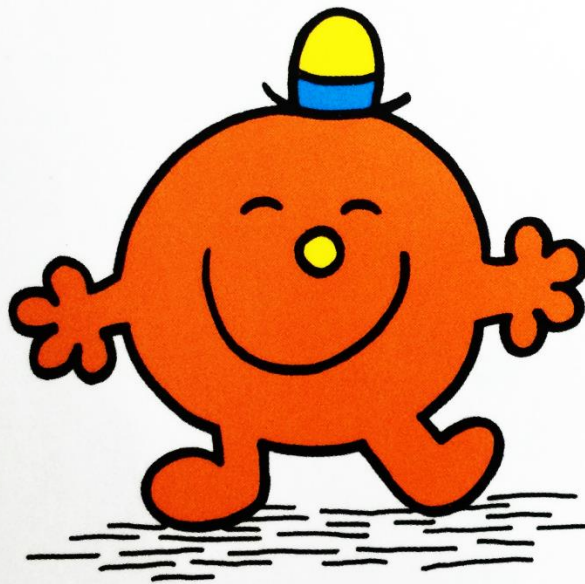


# TWERTON INFANT SCHOOL & NURSERY

Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2021

## MR. CHEERFUL

by Roger Hargreaves



In our assemblies this term we are sharing stories about the virtues **Optimism, Joy** and **Perseverance**. We recently read the story of Mr Cheerful who keeps on smiling even when it rains.



### **Optimism and Joy**

- I can find joy in everyday things.
- Sometimes we can find reasons to be thankful, even when things are not how we want them to be.

# Dear Parents and Carers

## Parents Evening in 3 weeks time...

On **Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> October** and **Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October** parents will have the opportunity to meet with their children's teachers. This is an important time to discuss the progress your child is making and the ongoing support both in school and at home that will help children to thrive.

We will hold the Parent Teacher Consultations using MS Teams, so parents can meet using a smart device (e.g. tablet, smartphone) from home. We hope this will make it easier and more convenient for all families to attend.

Using our quick survey, please indicate which afternoon and a time-slot that you will be available to meet with your child's teacher. **Click this link to begin:** <https://forms.office.com/r/DNNe349Le1>

N.B. If you will not be able to meet online, please notify your child's teacher.

## Coats and Clothing

Please send your child to school with a waterproof raincoat, as the weather is definitely become increasingly wet. As much as we can we will spend time playing outside, even in light rain. A coat with a hood is preferable.



Also, please write your **child's name into their clothing**. We already have a few items of lost property and it is difficult to return them to the rightful owner if they are not labelled.

## Flu Vaccination now on **Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> December**

The date for Flu Immunisations to take place in the school has been rescheduled and it will now take place on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> December.

## Parent Governor Vacancy

We have **one vacancy** for a parent to join the School's Governing Body. Parent governors have an important voice (and a vote) in helping to develop our school and nursery. Most of the meetings are during the school day, normally 1:30pm to 3:00pm, which ties in well with collecting children from school.



If you would like to find out more, please speak to Mr Samios or Mrs Langan.

## LEAVES



The following children were awarded leaves in our Friday Celebration Assemblies:

### Ash Class (YR)

- **Shakai** has been listening and joining in really well in Phonics;
- **Ted** has been a really helpful and kind member of the class;
- **Amaiya** is already ready to learn with great magnet eyes;
- **Ollie** had a fantastic week at Forest School.

### Elm Class (YR)

- **Robyn** for an excellent first week in phonics. Well done;
- **Kerry-Ann** for being kind and playing well with others;
- **Erin** for working hard in Phonics. Learning new sounds and writing;
- **Kizzy** for a great start in Elm Class and following the class rules.

### Rowan Class (Y1/Y2)

- **Oscar** for persevering with mathematics until he succeeded;
- **Willow** for being safe incredibly kind to other children;
- **George** for coming back to school with a fantastic attitude and working really hard all week;

- **Elijah** for fantastic listening and fabulous ideas in our Literacy lessons.

## Oak Class (Y1/Y2)

- **Gracie Ball** for being really enthusiastic and trying her best in class;
- **Mia** for being a brilliant member of Oak Class;
- **Finley** for being kind and helping other children to follow the school rules;
- **Fatima** for being a polite and kind friend to all the children in Oak Class.

## Maple Class (Y2)

- **Gracie May** for being consistently Safe, Respectful and Ready to Learn.
- **Sophie** for a fantastic storyboard for the Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch;
- **Issie** for a great poem using exciting vocabulary;
- **Mckenzie** for amazing adding two 2 digit numbers in maths.

Well done to all the children who are being safe, respectful and ready to learn in the school and nursery. We are very proud of you.

## Breakfast Club

We run a friendly breakfast club from **8:00am** to **8:45am**. This is open to all children and costs just **£1.60** per session. We serve a selection of healthy breakfast items including Wheetabix, Cornflakes, bagels, toast (with butter, marmite or sugar-free jam) and fruit juice.

**Please telephone the school office to book your child in for Breakfast Club.**

# Harvest Celebration Food Collection

This year, as part of our Harvest Celebration, we are collecting food donations for the local Foodbank. Please send in any of the following that you can spare:

## Harvest Collection

Bath Foodbank  
requests your  
support again  
this autumn

### Needed items:

**Tomato Pasta Sauce (Jars)**

**Custard (Tinned)**

**Long Life Juice**

**Tomatoes (Tinned)**

**Tea Bags**

**Rice Pudding (Tinned)**

**Fruit (Tinned)**

**Chocolate**

**Sponge Pudding**

**Biscuits**

**Mash (Instant)**

**Coffee (Instant)**

**Meat (Tinned)**

**Fish (Tinned)**



# School Meals Menu

The menu for school meals is on the school website:

<https://twertoninfant.school/school-meals/>

This week is **Week 2** and next week is Week 3 (w.b. 4.10.21)



## Key Dates

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> October** – Harvest Celebration

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> October** – Open Day

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> October** – Parents Evening

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> October** – School Photographer in School

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October** – Parents Evening

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> October** – End of Term 1

Half-term holiday – Monday 25<sup>th</sup> to Friday 29<sup>th</sup> October

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November** – Start of Term 2

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> November** – Open Day

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> December** – Flu Immunisation

**Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December** – School closed – INSET 3

**Friday 17<sup>st</sup> December** – End of Term 2

Christmas Holiday – Monday 20<sup>th</sup> to Friday 31<sup>st</sup> December

You can see the dates for the full academic year on the school website: <https://twertoninfant.school/dates/>

**Please contact the school if your child is unwell and cannot attend school.**

You can send us an SMS message to: **07786 201170**

School telephone numbers: **(01225) 423526 & 314745**