

Learning Behaviours

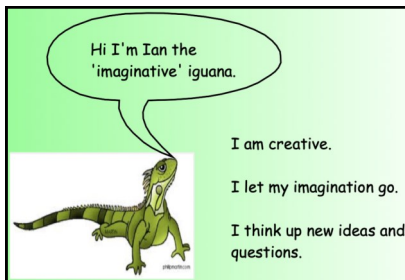
At Caroline Haslett Primary School, we have 8 characters that help us remember the skills of an effective learner in all of our lessons.

The character for when we return after half term will be Ian the Imaginative Iguana. Encourage your child to practise the skills listed below and be like Ian.

I am creative.

I let my imagination go.

I think up new ideas and questions.



Reminder

Please do not bring dogs on site when you are dropping off or collecting your child from school.

Reminder

Please remember to label your child's uniform (including shoes and coats).

We already have a very large quantity of lost property in school, all without names.

Space Centre Visit

Year 5 visited the National Space Centre in Leicester this week.

The children had a wonderful time exploring the galleries, travelling higher than a rocket and being fully immersed in the planetarium show.

Throughout the day, they were fabulous ambassadors for CHPS.

Well done Year 5.



Bulb Planting

Yesterday, the Junior Park Rangers and some keen Year 4 children spent a lovely morning planting bulbs [narcissus, alium, camassia] at Campbell Park with workers from the Parks' Trust. They all worked very hard at digging hundreds of holes in the soggy ground before planting and covering the different-sized bulbs.

We will return to the same spot in the spring to see their fabulous work in flower!



Computing

This week, our Year 5 students embarked on an exciting journey into the world of technology by exploring the Raspberry Pi! For those who don't know, the Raspberry Pi is a small, powerful computer. We started by learning the basics: how to set up the Raspberry Pi, connect it to a screen and make it work with a keyboard and mouse. One of the highlights was working with Minecraft Pi, a special version of Minecraft for the Raspberry Pi. Mrs Hart was impressed with the children's problem-solving skills, creativity and teamwork.



Netball League

Over the last 3 weeks, the netball team have played 15 netball matches against most of the schools in MK. Unfortunately, their league position meant they made the shield final and not the cup final. However, the team smashed all 6 matches on Wednesday night, winning 1st place for the shield competition.



Pupil Achievement

Yahya from Maybach class got his yellow belt in kick boxing this week.

Well done Yahya!



Foundation Stage

We are thrilled to announce the addition of a beautiful new reading hut in the Foundation Stage outdoor area, thanks to a generous grant from the Magiovinivm Lodge of the Freemasons. This cosy space has been created to inspire a love of reading among our children. We are incredibly grateful for the support that made this wonderful addition possible, and we look forward to seeing our children enjoy it for years to come.



Pupil Achievement

Ojashri from Pelton class played the part of an elephant in the 'Save The Animals' Drama performance at the Durga festival (Bengali festival)/ Navarati festival.

Well done Ojashri!



Pupil Achievement

Ainaakshi from Murrey class took part in a dance class in the Durga festival (Bengali festival)/ Navarati festival. She performed an Indian classical dance called Bharatnatyam.

Well done Ainaakshi!



Digital Leaders

This week, Bella, Arya, Ayla and Anaisha gave a presentation to Mayer and Winstanley classes on what it is like to be a Digital Leader at Caroline Haslett and how to apply for the position.

If your child is in Year 5 and would like to join the team, remind them that the application form, which can be located on our website, must be filled out by Sunday 20th October.

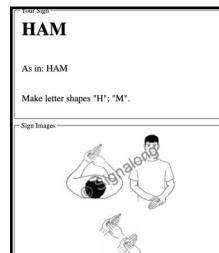
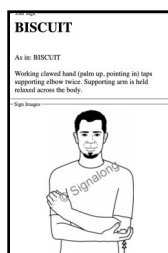
The Digital Leaders will be selecting candidates based on their anonymised application form.

We also look forward to welcoming Noah, Finley and Neve as Year 6 Digital Leaders after half term.



Signs of the Week

The signs for this week:



Here is Matthew to help you: <https://youtu.be/AOzpanF82Ao?si=qxLfYnUt2+BM9HNP>

Friends of CHPS



Disco Smash Hit!

We held the first disco of the term this week with Corina's Cool Kids Parties. From shopping, to prep, to dishing out treats and clearing up - we had an army of volunteers from the teaching staff and parents and carers who all contributed to making the evening a massive success. So thank you! When we have done our calculations, we will let you know how much money this fun evening has raised for the school.



Secondhand Uniform Stall

Don't forget, on **Tuesday 22 October**, from **3pm** we will be outside the school reception with tables full of good quality second-hand uniforms such as Logo jumpers, PE shirts and standard trousers, skirts and dresses for sale.

Cash and card accepted.

Jumpers - £4

PE T-shirts - £2.50

Polo shirts - 50p

Everything else - £2

Dates for the Diary

2nd Hand Uniform Sale 22nd October 3pm

Halloween Trail - Half Term Week October

Movies & Munchies Yrs 1-3 Thursday 7th November

Movies & Munchies Yrs 3-6 Thursday 14th November

Committee Meeting Wednesday 13th November 19:30

Volunteers Needed

In November, we will be holding our Movies & Munchies events and would be grateful for volunteers to help prepare and hand out the children's movie snacks and drinks.

Approx. timings will be:
Prep from 2 to 3pm and
Event support from 3.15 to 5.45 pm.

Yrs 1-3 will be on Thursday 7th November and Yrs 3-6 will be on Thursday 14th November.

If you are already in our Helpers chat, pop us a note that you would like to help and on which date.

If not on the chat, please email us at chpsfriendschat@gmail.com.

Halloween Trail

The Halloween Trail is back for half term! The lovely neighbours in Shenley Lodge have volunteered their windows for children to take their adults on a letter hunt over the half term break.

To enter, please purchase a map for £1 on parent mail (1 map per child taking part) from 18th to 24th October. Maps will be handed out at the end of school ready for half term.



Half Term Halloween Trail
£1/map
hosted by Friends of CHPS
Walk around Shenley Lodge following the map to find the secret letters!
Maps will be available to purchase via ParentMail between 18th and 24th October!
Once you complete the trail over half term, email the Halloween Phrase with the child's name and class to: chpsfriendschat@gmail.com to receive your prize!
Please purchase a map for each child following the trail.