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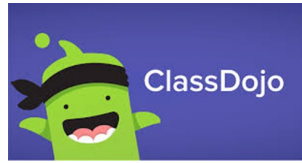
TAMESIDE

PRIMARY ACADEMY

Spring 2019 - 08/03/19

Class Dojo

This term, at Tameside, we have introduced an exciting new behaviour



tool called Class Dojo. It is a secure website that allows teachers to give pupils immediate feedback on their positive behaviours. Dojo points are awarded every day for those children who are on time and wear the correct uniform. Five Dojo points are given at the end of the week for those who have not been absent. Other Dojo points are awarded for helping others, team work, working hard, participation in their learning, staying on task and persevering with challenges set. Our pupils are very excited when they are awarded points.

If you have shared your email address with your child's class teacher they will send you an invite. This will allow you to see how many Dojo points your child has received and what they have been awarded for.

There are many other ways that Class Dojo can be used, for example a messaging tool between parent and teacher. At the moment we will not be using Dojo to communicate with you, we will only be using it to report points awarded. Therefore, if you have any queries or concerns please continue to contact the office who will notify relevant members of staff.

Thank you for your continued support.

Focus: *Challenge*

Value: *Trust*

New email:

admin@tpa.shirelandcat.org.uk

Contact us:

Tel: 0121 556 0340;

Address: Price Road, Wednesbury,
West Midlands. WS10 0EZ;

Email: admin@tpa.shirelandcat.org.uk

Website: <https://tamesideprimary.academy>



Congratulations

8th March 2019

Stars of the week

Nursery: Kayson, Jamie
Reception: Amelia, Seniz
Year 1 Alfie (P), Connor, Cody-Lee
Year 2: Chloe, Billy, Adiba
Year 3: Harley, CJ, Mitchell
Year 4: Logan, Keyanna, Theo
Year 5: Milan, Alan, Lilly
Year 6: Jamie, Grace, Amarni

VIP

Year 1: Billy, Cody, Leyland
Year 2: Olivia, Maja, Samiha
Year 3: Jayden, Amelia, Sapphire
Year 4: Rhys, Michelle, Evie
Year 5: Kiera, Tianna, David
Year 6: Damion, Adam, Sienna

Value - *Trust*

Year 1: Scarlett, Jasleen, Sam
Year 2: Trisha, Renae, Krystian
Year 3: Avah, Daisy, Jake
Year 4: David, Kayla, Ryan
Year 5: Zeke, Faye, Jake
Year 6: Hollyann, Komalpal, Jashandeep

Book Fair

Thank you to you all for supporting World Book day on Thursday, 7th March. Children have had a great day.



Don't forget that the Book Fair will be in the KS1 Hall until Wednesday, 13th March (from 3.30pm each day) . Please come along!!.

PE Kit

PE kit should be in school (black shorts, white T-shirt and pumps) and on PE days either children should not wear earrings or plasters should be provided by themselves to cover them up.



For your Information



Times Tables Rock Stars!

Your child will have received an individual username and password which they are to keep safe. If not, please speak with your child's teacher.

We recommend your children visit:

<https://corbettmathsprimary.com/> to help with their maths.



Breakfast club

Breakfast club is open to years Reception to Year 6. Breakfast will be provided to all children who arrive **before** 8.20am. If you arrive with your child/ren after this time then please ensure they have breakfast at home before they arrive at school. Registration forms can be obtained from the School Office.



Nut Allergy

A child in Reception has a severe nut allergy. Could we please ask that you are more vigilant with the products that you put in lunch boxes and check they do not contain nuts.

Head lice

We have had a case of head lice in school. If your child has evidence of head lice please treat using special fine-toothed comb, lotion or spray. More information can be obtained from our School Office or by visiting:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/head-lice-and-nits/>

Safeguarding our children

Please inform school when someone else is collecting your child. We do not release children to someone for which we are unaware of or do not know. Anyone collecting children must be over 16 years old. You must provide us with a password, and the person collecting your child must give your chosen password to the member of staff releasing your child.

Parking - Walton Road/Price Road

The existing school entrance markings on Walton Road are 'No Stopping Monday to Friday 8am – 4pm'.

The outcome of this is that around the hours of 8.30am - 8.50am, 11.30am and 3.25pm vehicular activity will be monitored.



****IMPORTANT INFORMATION****

Information for parents/carers on MOMO game circulating on Whatsapp

The alleged "Momo Suicide Challenge" has a bizarre avatar with a creepy face and bulging eyes which purportedly targets young people on social media, encouraging them to add a contact on *WhatsApp*, then hounds them with violent images, dares, and instructions to harm themselves. Police believe it is being used by hackers to harvest information.

What can you do to help?

If adults are concerned or have any questions on how to approach the subject with their children, they can contact the NSPCC Helpline on 0808 800 5000 or visit the [NSPCC website](#). Children who are worried about their activity on apps or online games can [contact Childline 24 hours a day online](#) and over the phone on 0800 1111.

Take a look at the [CEOP online safety centre](#) and you can [make a report](#) to one of CEOP's Child Protection Advisers if you are worried about the way someone has been communicating with your child online.

Useful contact details:

NSPCC: www.nspcc.org.uk

Make a report: <https://www.ceop.police.uk/ceop-reporting/>

Childline: www.childline.org.uk

CEOP: <https://www.ceop.police.uk/safety-centre>

Dates for your diary

Year 6: Maths Booster Sessions
Amazon and Hudson - each Monday - 3.30pm
Mississippi - lunchtimes

March

Thurs 7th - Wed 13th: Book Fair (3.30pm/KS1 Hall)

Wed 13th: Yr 4 Parent Workshop/KS2 Hall

Class Nile: 9am - 10am

Class Yangtze: 10.15am - 11.15am

Class Murray: 2.15pm - 3.15pm

Fri 15th: Red Nose Day (50p donation - full uniform but can wear Red Nose accessories)

April

Wed 10th: Yr 1 - Dudley Zoo trip

Fri 12th: Birmingham Hippodrome trip for parents/child

Fri 12th: Training Day

Easter Holiday: Monday, 15th to Friday, 26th

May

Thurs 2nd: Polling Day (school closed for **1 day**)

May Bank Holiday: Monday, 6th

Fri 17th: Yr 4 Sparks Fire Safety

Fri 24th: Yr 3 Healthy Eating

Half term: Monday, 27th to Friday, 31st

June

Thurs 6th: Yr 6 Decca

Thurs, 6th & Fri 7th: Yr 3 Residential at Cannock Chase

Wed 12th: Yr 6 Healthy Relationships

Mon 24th: Environmental and Sports Week

Tues 25th: KS2 Sports Day

Wed 26th: KS1 Sports Day

Thurs 27th: Yr 6 Production

July

Wed 3rd: Summer Fete

Mon 8th to Wed 10th: Yr 6 Pioneer Centre Residential visit

Thurs 18th: Yr 6 Leavers Assembly

Mon 22nd: Training Day

Summer Holiday: Tues 23rd July to Mon 2nd Sept

(dates may be subject to change)