



CHERRY ORCHARD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear parents and carers

Laptop return

If you borrowed a school laptop or chromebook during lockdown, please can you return them this week. If your child receives free school meals, your child may continue to borrow the device to support with their homework. Please return the devices on the following days:

Tuesday 16th March - Nursery, Reception and Resource Base

Wednesday 17th March - Y1 & 2

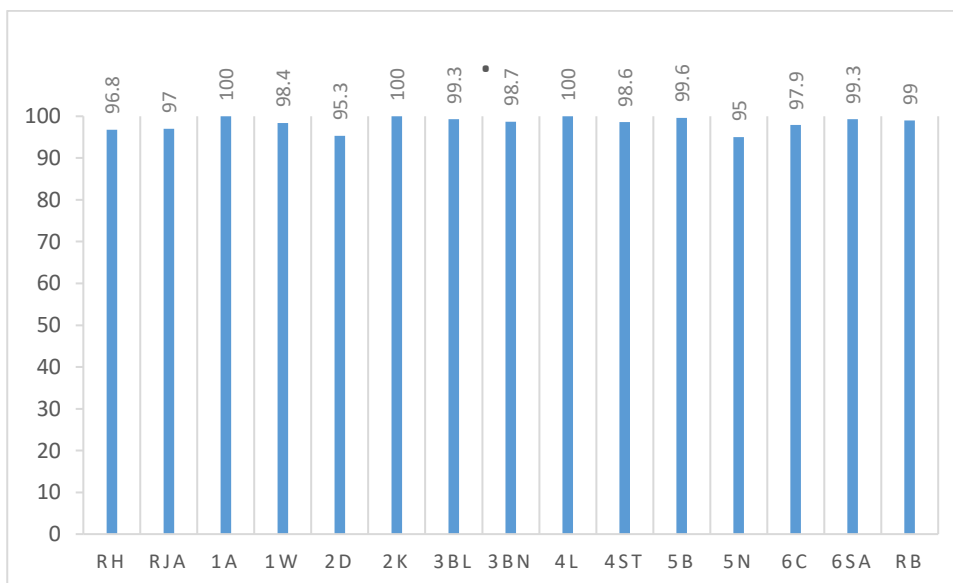
Thursday 18th March - Y3 & 4

Friday 19th March - Y5 & 6

If you have more than one laptop, please bring them all back on the same day. Rest assured, we will loan out devices again should your child's bubble close and your child has to learn remotely while in isolation. Thank you.

Attendance

Last week's whole school attendance was 98.3%, which is a fantastic achievement. Well done everyone and congratulations to 1A, 2K and 4L for 100% attendance.



Parents' evening

Emails were sent out on Friday inviting parents and carers to book their slots for the forthcoming parents' evening meetings. The email included all the instructions you'll need to access the remote video call, as well as a video demonstration. If you have any problems, please call the office.

Comic Relief

Friday 19th March is Comic Relief Day. To keep things simple this year, we'll be having a non-uniform day when the children can wear something red and bring their donation of £1 for Comic Relief. The children will also learn about the impact of the many good causes that are supported by the charity.

Autism Awareness Week

The last week of this term is Autism Awareness Week, which we will of course be celebrating. The children will be learning more about autism, and the mufti day donations will be sent to the National Autistic Society. Please also remember to donate an item of food or toiletries to Cherry Orchard's food bank on mufti day if you are able. Thank you.

Upcoming dates for your diary

19 th Mar:	Comic Relief Day (wear something red)
29 th Mar-1 st Apr:	Rights Respecting Week
1 st Apr:	Mufti day – raising money for The National Autistic Society
30 th Mar:	Parents' Evening (remote) 4.20pm – 7.00pm
31 st Mar:	Parents' Evening (remote) 4.20pm – 7.00pm
1st Apr:	End of term
19th Apr:	Start of term
28th May:	End of term
7th Jun:	Start of term
12 th Jul:	Teacher Training Day – school closed to children
21st Jul:	End of term

Additional Information

You will find lots of additional information on our school website. Please go to www.cherryorchard.bham.sch.uk. If you cannot find the answer to your question, please ask a member of staff. The office number is 0121 5540862.