

The Cheddington Link 19th December 2025

Merry Christmas!

We've had a busy and jam-packed term. I have been so impressed with how our children have all settled into their new year groups - especially our beautiful Butterfly class. It's a long term when you're 4 years old, but they have worked so hard this and it is lovely to have them as part of the Cheddington family.

A huge thank you for all the very generous cards and presents given to all our staff this Christmas.

We feel incredibly fortunate to work with your children and to be part of such a supportive and caring community. Thank you for making us feel so valued.

Wishing you and your families a wonderful Christmas and a happy, healthy New Year. See you on Tuesday 6th January 2026!

Mrs. Gilly Brown

Headteacher

A message from the PTA:

As we reach the end of term, we just wanted to say a big thank you to everyone who has supported our events this term. Hopefully they've added some fun extras to the school calendar as well as raising well over £2000 for the school.

Have a good break over the holidays and we'll see you in 2026!

The PTA










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FUTURE STARS
CREATIVE, FUN ACTIVITIES INCLUDING: STREET DANCE, CHEER DANCE, DISCO DANCE, MUSICAL DANCE, DRAMA, DAILY ENRICHMENT ACTIVITY, ARTS & CRAFTS, OUTDOOR NATURE EXPLORERS AND OUTDOOR YOGA, WITH THE USE OF A LARGE HALL AND LARGE FIELD!

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Dates for your diaries:

Every week we will include a rolling list of up and coming dates for your diaries:

Monday 5th January = INSET day

Tuesday 6th January = All children back to school

Thursday 8th January = Young Voices concert

HEART awards



We are so proud to announce our HEART award winners for this term. Our HEART awards are a truly special award which children and staff are nominated by members of the school community for going above and beyond in showing all our school values. We invited the winners' family to join them for our special assembly, which was led by our Governors.

Huge congratulations to all our winners!

Jessie - Giraffe class

Jessie shows the HEART values everyday.

She is very caring to all children, not just in her own class but in other classes. Jessie is honest & thoughtful and a great team player.

She works hard and shows excellence in all she does.

As one of her nominators said "she is the kindest person you will ever meet".

Mitch - Flamingo class

Mitch is committed to living all our values.

He is a great classmate showing teamwork and respect to all.

He is very kind to children across the school.

Mitch works very hard and shows excellence in all he does.

Toby - Tiger class

Toby is always doing his best to show our values.

He is honest and respectful to all adults & children across the school. He shows excellence in his work.

He is a great team player - looking out for his friends and helping them out whenever needed.

Erin - Tiger class

Erin works hard to display all our values.

She is respectful to all and is always honest.

She shows great teamwork by being kind and supportive to her classmates.

Erin always strives for excellence in all she does.

Rex - Elephant class

Rex displays all our HEART values.

He shows great teamwork and respect. He listens hard in class and is a good friend to his classmates.

Rex works hard and shows excellence in all his work

Florence - Elephant class

Florence is always doing her best to show our values.

She shows respect and honesty every day.

She shows great teamwork; always looking after others and being friendly & welcoming to everyone.

Ottillie - Cheetah class

Ottillie is always doing her best to show our values.

She sits so respectfully in class and is always ready & willing to learn. She is kind and friendly to all.

Otilie is a great teammate and will always try to help a classmate if she can.

Ella - Lion class

Ella shows every HEART value.

She is always ready to learn with a smile on her face!

She shows respect to all adults and children across the school. She shows appreciation through being polite and considerate to all.

She works hard as part of a team and is always ready to help others.

Mrs Gammell

Mrs Gammell fully embraces all our HEART values.

She shows great respect; she is always kind and helpful to whoever needs support.

She shows excellence in all she does. One of her nominators noted how hard she works running the "reading gladiator" groups and always makes them fun.

Mrs Gammell is always honest and is a great team member who can always be relied upon.

Mrs Williams

Mrs Williams is committed to our school values.

She shows great respect to her class and is a fantastic teacher. She appreciates everyone's efforts and is always honest.

She encourages teamwork and is a dedicated member of the school's team, showing support and encouragement to her colleagues.

She shows excellence in all her work and is a real asset to our school.



Photos of our learning this week...





































































