



# BILLINGE CHAPEL END

— SCHOOL & NURSERY —



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## Themed Weeks

At Chapel End Primary School we provide a broad curriculum offer. Part of this offer is for all of our children to learn about events from different religions, traditions, cultures and ways of life from around the globe.

### Week Beginning

24.04.23

Saint George

01.05.23

Picture News—Current affairs

08.05.23

King Charles III

15.05.23

Feast of Ascension

### Dates for your diary

25.04.23

School Photographs

27.04.23

Year 4 School trip

05.05.23

Kings Coronation

08.05.23

Bank Holiday

10.05.23

Year 1 School trip

## Welcome Back!

I would like to wish everyone a warm welcome back! We have many exciting activities and events planned, not only for the children, but for all of the family this term. We look forward, as always, to working in partnership with our parents and carers this Summer.



## School Photographs



Academy Photography are visiting school next Tuesday 25th April to take class photos, leavers individual photos and individual photos of any children who have joined us since September.

Our school Value of this half term is **HOPE**

Where there is hope,  
there is faith.  
Where there is faith,  
miracles happen.



### Wrap around care

Dear parents/carers,

In response to unfunded increasing costs associated with operating our breakfast and afterschool clubs, governors have made the difficult decision to slightly increase attendance costs. Breakfast club attendance now costs £6 per child, per session and after school club is now priced at £8 per child, per session. School have kept these cost increases as low as possible so that we can continue to offer our high-quality wrap around care at the most affordable prices for our families. Thank you for your understanding.

Mr Hewitt

### Early Bird Club

Early Bird Club runs from 7.30-8.50am each morning. It costs £6 per session and should be paid IN ADVANCE via SchoolMoney.

### Buzz Club

Buzz Club runs from 3.15-5.30pm each evening. It costs £8 per session and, like the Early Bird Club, should be paid IN ADVANCE via SchoolMoney.

Please note that these clubs are extremely popular and we are limited to numbers, so bookings should be made by 1pm the Friday before the week your child is attending, by emailing your requirements to the school office [chapelend@sthelens.org.uk](mailto:chapelend@sthelens.org.uk).

### Y6 Booster Classes - Maths & English

There are two booster sessions remaining in preparation for the Year 6 children's SATS (please see final dates below). Booster classes are on Thursdays 3.15-4.30pm and cover Maths and English. Children are invited to bring an additional snack and drink to have at 3.15pm before their class begins.

Wednesday 26th April and Wednesday 3rd May

### Bank Holiday - Monday 8th May

A reminder that school will be closed on Monday 8th May due to the King's Coronation and re-opens on Tuesday 9th May.



## King Charles III Coronation

On **Friday 5th May** Chapel End will be celebrating the King's Coronation with a 'Street Party' for school lunch. The street party will take place outside on the Junior playground weather permitting.

All the children and staff may come to school dressed in red, white and blue.

The lunch will consist of party food: Ham, cheese or tuna sandwiches, crisps, sausage roll, ginger-bread, cake, raisins, jelly and a drink.

All children have been invited to have a street party lunch that day.

If your child is on school dinners or Fish Friday they will automatically have a street party lunch as it is on a Friday.

If your child is on packed lunches and would like a street party lunch then please email the school office [chapelend@sthelens.org.uk](mailto:chapelend@sthelens.org.uk).

### Reception, Y1 or Y2

Children in these year groups are entitled to a Universal Free School Meal. No payment needed.

### Nursery, Y3-6 - Current packed lunches

If your child is having a street party lunch, please pay £2.50 via SchoolMoney .

### Nursery, Y3-6 - Current school meals

Please pay your dinner money as normal and your child will be provided with street party lunch on the day.

### Nursery—15 Hours

All children attending Nursery for 15 hours are invited to stay for the street party lunch. Please pay £2.50 via SchoolMoney.





### Pupil of the Week

### Wonder Wall

<b>Nursery</b>	<b>Elena Glover</b>	<b>William Marsh</b>
<b>Reception</b>	<b>Betsy Barlow</b>	<b>Emilia Stein</b>
<b>Y1</b>	<b>James Barnes</b>	<b>Alan Mehrjouei</b>
<b>Y2</b>	<b>Madoc Hughes</b>	<b>Joel McLean</b>
<b>Y3</b>	<b>Annabel Underhill</b>	<b>Jack Lyon</b>
<b>Y4</b>	<b>Lucy Osborne</b>	<b>Amara Aslam</b>
<b>Y5</b>	<b>Charley McAuliffe</b>	<b>Luca Hanna</b>
<b>Y6</b>	<b>Amelia Ennis</b>	<b>Lucy Hladikova</b>

### Class Attendance for w/c 27<sup>th</sup> March

<u>Class</u>	<u>% attendance for week</u>
Nursery	93.5
Reception	97.7
Year One	95.9
Year Two	98.6
Year Three	96.5
Year Four	95.0
Year Five	93.0
Year Six	94.4

It is lovely to see so many of our classes achieving our target of 96% attendance.

Thank you

## School Diary — Next Week in School

### Monday 24th April

Reception, Year 1 & 2 summer games 3.15 –4.15pm  
(2of 4)

### Tuesday 25th April

Year 1 & 2 Steve's football 3.15-4.20pm. (2 of 6)  
Year 3, 4, 5 & 6 summer games 3.15-4.15pm (2of 5)  
Year 5 & 6 Football 3.15-4.15pm

### Wednesday 26th April

Toddler Group 9.30-11am  
NO String Lessons  
Brass Lessons  
Year 4 & 5 Netball 3.15-4.15pm  
Year 6 Booster lessons 3.15-4.30pm

### Thursday 27th April

Years 3-6 Steve's Tennis 3.15-4.20pm (2of 6)  
Year 4 end of Year school trip

### Friday 28th April

Keyboard Lessons  
Code club 3.15-4.15pm



### Term Dates for 2022-2023

	Opens on	Closes on
<b>Autumn Term 2022</b>	Mon 5 Sept	Thurs 20 Oct
<b>Autumn Term 2022</b>	Mon 31 Oct	Wed 21 Dec
<b>Spring Term 2023</b>	Wed 4 Jan	Thurs 9 Feb
<b>Spring Term 2023</b>	Mon 20 Feb	Fri 31 March
<b>Summer Term 2023</b>	Mon 17 April	Thurs 25 May
<b>Summer Term 2023</b>	Mon 5 June	Wed 19 July

School also closed:  
May Day—Monday 1st May 2023

### Term Dates for 2023-2024

	Opens on	Closes on
<b>Autumn Term 2023</b>	Wed 6 Sept	Fri 27 Oct
<b>Autumn Term 2023</b>	Tues 7 Nov	Thurs 21 Dec
<b>Spring Term 2024</b>	Mon 8 Jan	Fri 9 Feb
<b>Spring Term 2024</b>	Mon 19 Feb	Thurs 28 March
<b>Summer Term 2024</b>	Mon 15 April	Thurs 23 May
<b>Summer Term 2024</b>	Mon 3 June	Tues 23 July

School also closed:  
May Day—Monday 6th May 2024

## Dates for the Diary

### April

Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> April - School photographs  
Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April - Year 4, end of Year school trip

### May

Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May - King's Coronation celebrations  
Monday 8<sup>th</sup> May - Bank Holiday  
Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> May - Year 1, end of Year school trip  
Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May — Open Morning  
Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May - EYFS & KS1 Sports Day  
Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> May - KS2 Sports Day

### June

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> - Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June - Year 6 Bikeability  
Monday 19<sup>th</sup> June - Year 5 trip to Edge Hill University  
Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June - Year 2, end of Year school trip

### July

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July - 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and Summer Fair  
Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July—Year 6 Production  
Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July—Year 6 , end of Year school trip



### School Uniform Shop

Our onsite uniform shop is open before and after school in our Breakfast/After School Club room. Parents and carers are able to purchase items of uniform for £2 each or 3 for £5. All polo shirts are 2 for £1. Any items purchased can be paid in cash or on School Money, Thank you.



### School Uniform

Summer uniform may be worn after Easter and a reminder of the uniform is given below.

#### Boys Uniform

Red round-neck school jumper preferably displaying the Chapel End Primary School emblem.  
White polo T-shirt  
Grey trousers/short-trousers in summer  
Plain grey socks  
Black school shoes

#### Girls Uniform

Red round-neck school jumper or red school cardigan preferably displaying the Chapel End Primary School emblem.  
White polo T-shirt  
Plain grey pinafore, grey skirt (appropriate length) or grey trousers  
Red gingham dress in summer (red and white checks)  
Red gingham all-in-one Years 3-6  
Grey tights  
White socks (recommended for Summer) Grey socks (recommended for Winter)  
Black Shoes

#### Footwear

We want our children's feet to be healthy and flourish, therefore all pupils must wear sensible, well-fitting shoes with an appropriate low heel. Boots are not allowed in the classroom, therefore on bad weather days if your child wears boots to school they must remember to bring their school shoes to change into. Trainers are not allowed to be worn in school with the exception of times when children are participating in planned physical activities.

#### Nursery

Children of Nursery age are permitted to wear black or grey jogging trousers to support gross motor skill activities and toilet training.

### IMPORTANT - PE KIT NOTICE

If you are planning on ordering a new PE kit, please be aware that, due to a change in supplier, there is now a new size guide.

We now have sample sizes of the PE kit in the office. To enable you to purchase the correct size for your child please see or try on the size from the office first. Thank You.

## 50th Anniversary T Shirt

Please see below the design of the 50th Anniversary T shirt. If you would like to purchase one please fill out the form that you have been given or complete the form on the next page and hand in at the office. Thank you.





## 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary T-Shirts

As you will know from last week's newsletter, we are having special T-shirts made to commemorate our 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary in July.

They are designed so that they represent the anniversary but can also be used as your child's PE T-shirt next year. Should you wish to purchase a T-shirt please find the information below.

Staff, Governors, families and ex-pupils are also welcome to purchase a celebratory T-shirt.

### Child sizes (£7):

Size	2-3	3-4	5-6	7-8	9-11	12-13	14-15
Age:	2-3	3-4	5-6	7-8	9-11	12-13	14-15
Height (cm):	98	104	116	128	140	152	164
Chest (to fit):	20/22	22/24	26/28	30	32	34	36

### Adult sizes (£8):

Size	S	M	L	XL	XXL	3XL	4XL
Size:	S	M	L	XL	XXL	3XL	4XL
Chest (to fit):	35/37	38/40	41/43	44/46	47/49	50/52	53/55

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## 50<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY T-SHIRT ORDER FORM

Child's Name: ..... Class .....

Parents Signature: .....

<u>Item</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Total £</u>
Child size 2-3	£7		
Child size 3-4	£7		
Child size 5-6	£7		
Child size 7-8	£7		
Child size 9-11	£7		
Child size 12-13	£7		
Child size 14-15	£7		

<u>Item</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Total £</u>
Adult size S	£8		
Adult size M	£8		
Adult size L	£8		
Adult size XL	£8		
Adult size XXL	£8		
Adult size 3XL	£8		
Adult size 4XL	£8		

Total to pay £\_\_\_\_\_

Please complete form and return to school office. The cost of your order will then be added to your child's SchoolMoney account. If you are ordering more than one T-shirt the order will be added to your oldest child's SchoolMoney account.

**PLEASE NOTE: FINAL DATE FOR PAYING FOR T-SHIRTS WILL BE FRIDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2023.**

Note: Always read and adhere to manufacturer's washing/drying instructions found on labels.