

Dear Parents,

We started the week at Chalkhill with an inspirational assembly led by our mature, enthusiastic sports leaders. This group of Year 5 and Year 6 students are supporting the lunchtime staff to encourage the key stage 2 pupils to be active at lunchtime. With strong mentoring guidance and support from Mrs Gracio, our PE and Enrichment Lead Teacher, the sports leaders are encouraging the other pupils to try new activities and lead, model and teach new outdoor activity skills.



At Chalkhill we are looking at a range of ways to enrich your child's education. Mrs Gracio was able to invite Saracens Rugby Club to work with our Year 4 pupils. The children had a classroom session on healthy eating and healthy living and a rugby taster session. Here is a reflection from Anam:

"I have enjoyed learning about the healthy food groups for example protein to help muscle growth. I really enjoyed playing games and learning how to throw and catch a rugby ball. The teacher has been kind and helpful. Maybe I could join a rugby club one day"

Thanks to Mrs Malek's extensive community links, we were able to secure Power of You, an intervention to support children to build their confidence and self esteem. This programme runs for six weeks during the school day. Here are some comments from children, who recently completed the programme:

"The workshops are great because I like the activities. It made me feel happy and good. I put my hand up more and it made me feel better about my abilities."
"It is fun because we do different arts and stories. It helped me find more stuff I'm good at like art, listening and involving more in work. Now I know if I'm sad I can do art or talk to someone."



The week finished with our version of Children in Need. Mr Emmett, our PSHE Leader, organised a fun day with lots of activities for all the children. Pudsey Bear came to visit and the children and staff attempted to complete the school's 1000 Bear-Pees challenge with laughter and enthusiasm. Thanks to your generosity we managed to raise **£241.68**

Next week, there are trips for Year 5 and Year 3, a workshop by Ultra Education focusing on environmental issues and the winter discos for EY and KS1 in the assembly hall and KS2 in the sports hall.

This week finished on Thursday as the staff have an Inservice Training Day on Friday. The new week will start on Tuesday, as Monday is a further Inservice Training Day. I hope you all enjoy the long weekend.

Mrs Shanker

Staff Inset Day– Friday 24th November - Monday 27th November 2023
Back to School - TUESDAY 28TH NOVEMBER 2023 at 8.45am

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY 2023

Autumn Assembly Timetable

Friday 8th December - Class 1Z

Staff Inset Days

Friday 24th-Monday 27th November 2023

School will be CLOSED.

Save the Date for Events

Friday 1st December - Ks1 & Ks2 Winter Disco 3.30pm-5pm

Friday 8th December - Christmas jumper day

Tuesday 12th December - Ks2 Christmas Nativity Concert - 4pm

Wednesday 13th December - EYFS Christmas Nativity Concert

Thursday 14th December - Ks1 Christmas Nativity Concert - 2pm

Friday 15th December - Winter Market 2.30pm-5.30pm

Thursday 21st December 2023 School closes 1.30pm

Attendance award

**Week commencing
20th November 2023**



goes to:

**6K
With
99.6%**

Attendance



Whole school attendance

91.1%

We always aim to be above 96%

Children In Need

Today we raised **£241.68** for the Charity.
The money collected will help in supporting vital projects that change the lives of the children and young people all over UK.

SCHOOL TRIPS

Permission slips/Consent forms must be completed within the time specified, and not on the day of the trip.
This is to avoid delays and disappointments on the day.

School Arrears

Please make payment via School Money to clear any outstanding payments!

All payments for Trips, Clubs and Breakfast Club must be made on time.

Children must come to school wearing the **Chalkhill Primary School Uniform.**

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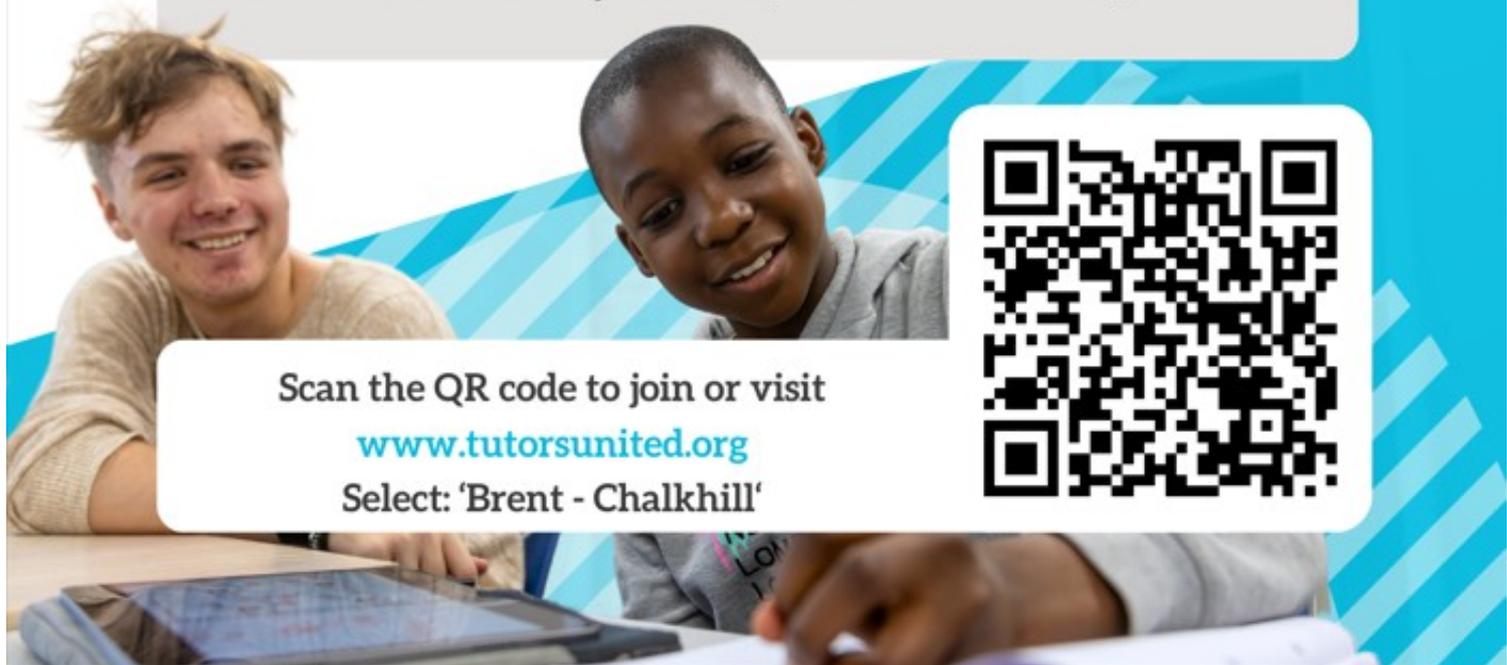
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Chalkhill Primary School

Academic Year: 2023-2024



Autumn Term	Dates	Information
Monday 4th September 2023 – Friday 22nd December 2023		
First Half Term 6.5 weeks 33 days	Monday 4 th September 2023	Teacher training (school closed for children)
	Tuesday 5 th September 2023	Teacher training (school closed for children)
	Wednesday 6 th September 2023	First day of school- gates opens at 8.30am
23rd October 2023 – 27th October 2023		
Second Half Term 7.5 weeks 37 days	Monday 30 th October 2023	Half Term holiday
	Monday 30 th October 2023	First day of school- gates opens at 8.30am
	Friday 24 th November 2023	Teacher training (school closed for children)
	Monday 27 th November 2023	Teacher training (school closed for children)
	Thursday 21 st December 2023	Last day of term- school closes at 1.30pm
Friday 22nd December 2024- Friday 5th January 2024		
Christmas holidays		
Information		
Monday 8th January 2024 – Thursday 28th March 2024		
First Half Term 5 weeks 24 days	Monday 8 th January 2024	Teacher training (school closed for children)
	Tuesday 9 th January 2024	First day of school- gates opens at 8.30am
	12 th February 2024- 16 th February 2024	Half Term holiday
Second Half Term 6 weeks 29 days	Monday 19 th February 2024	First day of school- gates opens at 8.30am
	Thursday 28 th March 2024	Last day of term- school closes at 3.15pm
	Friday 29 th March 2024 – Friday 12 th April 2024	Easter holidays
Information		
Monday 15th April 2024– Wednesday 24th July 2024		
First Half Term 6 weeks 29 days	Monday 15 th April 2024	First day of school- gates opens at 8.30am
	Monday 6 th May 2024	Bank holiday (school closed)
	Monday 27 th May 2024 – Friday 31 st May 2024	Half Term holiday
Second Half Term 7.5 weeks 38 days	Monday 3 rd June 2024	First day of school - gates opens at 8.30am
	Wednesday 24 th July 2024	Last day of term- schools closes at 1.30pm
Total 190 days		
Thursday 25th July 2024 – Monday 2nd September 2024		
Summer holidays		