

Chapelford Village Primary School

NEWSLETTER

★ Friday 12th December ★



Headteacher's Comment



Dear parents and carers,

I hope this message finds you all well on the second-to-last Friday of our first term back - and of the school year - for 2025! This term has truly flown by and it's hard to believe that 2026 is just around the corner. Our children continue to work incredibly hard and there has been so much wonderful learning happening across school this week.

In Reception, the children have become fantastic shape detectives, using their growing knowledge to spot different shapes around their classroom. In Year 1, the children have produced some brilliant writing about Sam the squirrel from the text *The Snow Thief*, developing rich vocabulary and deepening their understanding of different types of weather.

As many of you will know, our Year 6 children are currently in London and are due to return home this evening. They have had an incredibly busy couple of days exploring the capital city and visiting some iconic landmarks, including the Tower of London and St Paul's Cathedral. A residential of this scale requires a huge amount of planning and I would like to thank all staff involved for their time, commitment and care in making this such a memorable final residential for our children. Thank you also to parents for your support in enabling them to take part.

We were also fortunate to welcome Reverend Lauren this week, who delivered two assemblies teaching the children all about Christingles and their symbolism in the Christian faith. It is very important to us that our children learn about significant celebrations and festivals across a range of faiths and cultures, and we are grateful to our local community for supporting this.

Our Festive Greetings performances have continued throughout the week, and it has been wonderful to see so many parents, grandparents, siblings, and friends attending with some even braving some truly awful weather! Your support means so much to the children and to us. We are also extremely grateful to everyone who has purchased hot drinks from the PTA; every penny raised goes directly back into school. Thank you for your enthusiasm, generosity, and encouragement. Our final Festive Greetings performance delivered by our Year 1 children will take place on Tuesday.

There are still plenty more festive events to look forward to, including our EYFS Wiggly Nativity, Christmas Party Day, and our Winter Discos. As a reminder, the disco times are:

Wednesday 17th December

- EYFS: 3:55–5:05pm
- Years 3 & 4: 5:10–6:20pm

Thursday 18th December

- Years 1 & 2: 3:55–5:05pm
- Years 5 & 6: 5:10–6:20pm

Tickets are £4.00 and include a drink and a snack.

Finally, I would like to say a huge thank you to parents for your support in ensuring children are in school and ready to learn by 8:45am. The school day officially begins at this time, and we are working hard to make sure all children are settled in classrooms so learning can begin promptly. We have already seen a significant improvement, and your support is very much appreciated.

I hope you all have a wonderful weekend and I look forward to welcoming you back for the final week of term on Monday.

Kindest regards,

Mrs N Stewart

Morning drop Off Times Reminder

The classroom doors open each morning at **8:40am** and close at **8:45am**. The school gates will also close at **8:45am**.

If you arrive after this time, please go directly to the school office, where a member of the office team will sign pupils in and arrange any necessary lunches orders with the kitchen.

Thank you for your cooperation.



If anyone has any spare underwear they could donate to school this would be greatly appreciated. Please drop these items off at the school office.

Many thanks

Lost Property

Throughout the week all lost property will be placed in the purple storage tubs (located in each foyer). Every day at 3:15pm, these tubs will be placed outside the foyer areas. Please do check these areas if you're looking for any lost property.

We also have a huge number of lost property coats that we have placed outside the school office, please take a moment to look through them to reclaim any lost items.

These coats will be put into the charity bin on Friday 19th December.



Reading Reminder



Over the past few weeks, we've noticed that home reading has dipped a little. We would really appreciate your support in encouraging your child to read at least **three times a week**, and to have their reading record signed by a parent or carer at least once, in line with our school policy.

It would also be very helpful if your child could bring their reading record to school **each day**, so that teachers can note any reading completed in school.

Thank you so much for your continued support — it really makes a difference.

Please could we remind you that children **should not bring toys into school**. If you feel your child requires a fidget toy, this must be discussed and agreed in advance with the class teacher and Mrs McDavid. Please don't hesitate to get in touch should you have any questions.

High Performance Learning at Chapelford Village Primary School



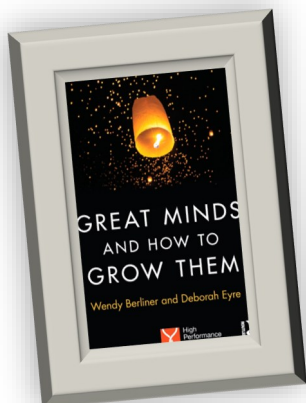
We are proud to be recognised as a **High Performance Learning (HPL)** school. At the heart of our approach is a belief that **all** children can achieve high levels of success. We encourage every pupil to **Learn, Achieve, and Respect** - both as learners in school and as future members of the wider community.

Value for this week is **LEARN**



Enterprising and Creativity Award

1	Beatrix	2	Dewdi	3	Salar		
4	Nethra	5	Oliver	6	Harlow		
7	Arlo	8	Avery	9	Thiveyn		
10	Aria	11	Musa	12	Sarita		
14	Lillie	15	Ellie	16	Karlie		
17	Jude	18	Hannah	19	Bella	20	Josh
21	All of class 21	22	All of class 22	23	Jayden	24	All of class 24



As part of the school's ambitious journey to becoming a High Performance Learning school, we encourage you to purchase and read this book which shows how you can grow the minds of your children and guide them to success both in school and in life.

We currently have copies of this book that as a parent you can loan from the school, please ask at the school office.

Star Learners

1	Aubrey	14	Aria
2	Liam	15	Freddie
3	Arjun	16	Minerva
4	Noah	17	Polly
5	Rosa	18	Anvi
6	Skyla	19	Aaliyah
7	George	20	Ophelia
8	Dolly	21	The whole class
9	Kudzi	22	The whole class
10	Rosa	23	The whole class
11	Harry	24	Ben
12	Theo		

Always Child

1	Viyaan	14	Jenson
2	Peter	15	Eliza
3	Hattie	16	Lucas
4	Millie	17	Noah
5	Sam	18	Jack
6	Elliot	19	Maisie
7	Olly	20	Claryan
8	Aiden	21	He whole class
9	Lyra	22	The whole class
10	Edward	23	The whole class
11	Isaac	24	Ayesha
12	Kate		

ATTENDANCE

EYFS	YEAR 1	Year 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5	YEAR 6
91%	93%	97%	97%	95%	94%	92%

Dates for your diary

December 2025	
Monday 15th	EYFS Nativity @ 9:30am. Arrival is via the community entrance from 9am.
Tuesday 16th	Festive Greeting for Year 1 . Arrival from 2:30pm via Boston Boulevard only.
Wednesday 17th	EYFS Nativity @ 9:30am. Arrival is via the community entrance from 9am
Wednesday 17th	End of Autumn Term House Point treat
Wednesday 17th	Winter Discos 3:55-5:05pm - EYFS / 5:10-6:20pm - Years 3 & 4 (£4 per ticket) Arrival is via your classroom doors
Thursday 18th	Winter Discos 3:55-5:05pm - Years 1 & 2 / 5:15-6:20pm - Years 5 & 6 (£4 per ticket) Arrival is via your classroom doors
Thursday 18th	Christmas Lunch is served
Friday 19th	Christmas Party Day
Friday 19th	End of Term
January 2026	
Tuesday 6th	Back to School - Spring 1
Monday 12th	Year 2 visit to St James Church
Monday 12th	Year 3 visit to RHS Bridgewater
Thursday 15th	Year 3 visit to St James Church

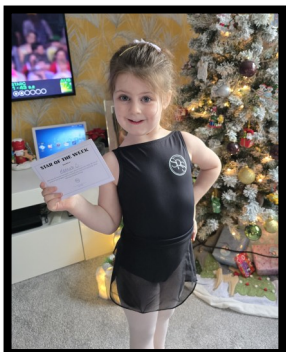
Health & Safety Reminders

- ◆ **Reminder vaping is prohibited on the school grounds. Please do not use your vape until you are on the outside of the school gates. Thank you for your co-operation.**
- ◆ May we ask for support with the safe use and enjoyment of all the playground equipment including the climbing frame and Sandpit by ensuring children do not use it before and after school.
- ◆ Could we please politely remind parents to take care driving around both front and rear car parks at school drop off and pick up times, paying particular attention to the crossings as there has previously been a few near misses. Thanks in advance for your support with this as we all work together to keep our children safe.
- ◆ Smart Watches are not to be worn for school.
- ◆ E-SCOOTERS. Please can we take care on arrival to school on e-scooters.
- ◆ Bikes and scooters must **NOT** be ridden until outside of the school grounds!
- ◆ All ballgames including football are not to be played on the school playgrounds during drop-off and pick-up.
- ◆ School Gym Equipment is for pupils during the school day only.
- ◆ Please remember that dogs except for assistance dogs are NOT permitted on school grounds under any circumstances.
- ◆ **Please ensure all children have adequate outerwear for break times.**

Out of School Achievements



Congratulations and well done to Emily of class 11 who performed in her dance school annual dance performance at the Parr Hall. Well done Emily!!



Well done to Hannah from Class 3, who impressed her ballet teacher this week with her skills and talent to be awarded with Star of The Week! Congratulations and well done Hannah!!

Liam from Class 11 was awarded Man of The Match for his excellent goal keeping skills playing for his team Whittle Hall Diamonds. This is the second week in a row! Well done Liam!!



Harper from class 11 passed for Swim! Level 6 this week, just in time for her birthday!

Parental concerns and issues

We take all concerns and issues seriously.

- ◇ If you have any worries, please contact the school and/or class teachers directly via the following methods: Email the class teacher: All class teachers have a direct email – these can be found on the [school website](#)
- ◇ Email the school office: office@chapelfordvillageprimary.co.uk.
- ◇ Call the school: 01925 712554



School Meals

Please be aware that we are a **NUT FREE** school.

We have children in school with severe nut allergies, please do not send your child into school with any nut related products.

Thank you in advance.



School menu for week beginning **Monday 15th December** is **Week 1**

Please be reminded that from October 1st 2025 Warrington Borough Council school meals have increased in price to £3.05 per meal.



In line with the Governments Healthy School incitive parents are requested to only send healthy snacks for their children for break and lunch time. Please ensure these items are low in fat and/or sugar. Thank you for your co-operation.

ParentPay

Can we request that children's ParentPay accounts are regularly topped up, to make sure the children continue to receive their school lunches and snacks.

Free School Meals end for pupils at the end of Year 2. School lunch is £3.05 per person per day it is to be paid via Parentpay.

If you require more help please don't hesitate to contact the school office on **01925 712554** or email us on office@chapelfordvillageprimary.co.uk

Reminder - Once money has been put onto your child's account this needs to be allocation to school meals.





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CHRISTMAS FAYRE



SATURDAY 13TH DECEMBER
2025. 1PM-5PM

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FORTRESS BOULEVARD
WARRINGTON WA5 3ZT

ARTISAN STALLS,
ENTERTAINMENT, MULLED
WINE & DELICIOUS FESTIVE
FOOD

