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Working together to become change makers

2nd October 2026

ATTENDANCE 2025-2026—WHOLE YEAR

Rec	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Whole
94.8%	93.3%	97.0%	89.9%	95.3%	97.4%	95.3%	95.2%

<https://www.chambersbury.herts.sch.uk/attendance/>

Lateness

Please make sure that your children are getting to school on time. Last year we made the strategic decision to move our assemblies to the afternoon so learning really does begin first thing and every moment matters.

OPAL Parents' Play Afternoon – Come and Play!

We are excited to introduce our OPAL Primary Programme to parents and carers on Tuesday 6th October 2026.

Parents and carers are invited to join us for an afternoon of play with their children, including den building, imaginative play, water play and much more! Please sign up on Arbor, Trips.

Date: Tuesday 6th October 2026

Time: 1:30pm – 3:00pm

Location: Come to the school office

Amazon Wishlist

Don't forget we have an Amazon Wishlist, with items that you or others (friends, family, colleagues, etc) might want to slip into your shopping basket to enhance our school!

[Amazon.co.uk](https://www.amazon.co.uk)

Together

I am so proud of the way in which we work TOGETHER at Chambersbury — I would like to thank the parent who helped us fix the Chambersbury road sign so that visitors can find us this week; the parents that are recommending us to their friends; the parents donating OPAL equipment and all the other parents that support us each and every day.

Football and Netball fixtures

We are really excited to have an incredible 30 football and netball fixtures planned across this academic year! Miss Cope is working hard behind the scenes to coordinate all of these fixtures and ensure we can take part in all of them. With so many matches to organise, we need to double-check dates and staff availability before confirming each fixture with families, so please bear with us while we get everything finalised. We will release fixture information as soon as possible throughout the year.

This year, we are introducing a new system for fixture permissions through Arbor. Each time your child is selected for a fixture, you will receive the fixture information via email and you will be asked to confirm whether they can attend on Arbor. Please respond to every fixture by giving consent by the deadline. If you haven't given consent by the deadline it will be assumed your child can't play and the place will be offered to another child. This means we can confirm teams and make any necessary changes as soon as possible.

We can't wait for another fantastic year of sport and for our children to have so many opportunities to represent Chambersbury!

Meet our Sports Ambassadors

Miss Cope was absolutely delighted to receive numerous fantastic letters of interest from children hoping to become one of our Sports Ambassadors this year. With so many brilliant applications, choosing our ambassadors was certainly not an easy task!

On Wednesday, all applicants had the opportunity to meet with Mr Fox (Governor), Mr H and Miss Cope to talk about why they wanted the role and, most importantly, what they felt they could bring to sport and PE at Chambersbury. The children spoke with great enthusiasm, confidence and passion, which made the final decisions incredibly difficult.

We are delighted to announce that Mitchell and Eliza (Year 6) will be our Executive Sports Ambassadors for this academic year, taking on additional leadership responsibilities and helping to lead our ambassador team.

Our Year 6 Sports Ambassadors, who will take part in specialist training provided by DSSN, are Rares, Teddy, Elsie, Aliza, Ray and Franco. We are also very excited to welcome Jenson, Ella and Olivia from Year 5 to the team. They will work alongside and learn from our Year 6 ambassadors while beginning to take an active role in supporting PE, sport and physical activity across the school.

Miss Cope would like to say a HUGE congratulations to every child who applied and took part in the interview process. You should all be incredibly proud of yourselves! She cannot wait to mentor our new team and see their ideas, leadership and enthusiasm come to life throughout what promises to be another exciting year of sport at Chambersbury!

Supporting Our DSSN Sporting Opportunities

A huge thank you to everyone who has already made a voluntary contribution towards our DSSN sporting opportunities. Your support helps us to provide children with a wide range of competitions, festivals and sporting experiences that further enrich our PE curriculum and give children the opportunity to represent Chambersbury.

We are asking families, where possible, to make a voluntary contribution of £10 via Arbor to help us continue providing these opportunities throughout the year. If you are in a position to donate more than £10, this would be greatly appreciated and will go directly towards supporting and expanding the sporting opportunities available to our children. Equally, we completely understand that circumstances differ, and any contribution you are able to make is very gratefully received.

Thank you for helping us make sport at Chambersbury bigger and better for our children!

House Captains

This week we announced our new House Captains and Vices — these pupils undertake very important work across the school, working closely with the school leadership team. Selected by a democratic election, House Captains and Vice House Captains set the standard and are role models for all pupils.

Blue:
Captain: Florence
Vice: Billy

Red:
Captain: Rares
Vice: Amelia

Green:
Captain: Mitchell
Vice: Eliza

Yellow:
Captain: Taysir
Vice: Emilia

Charity Reps

We have announced our Charity Reps — they will work with Mrs Gallagher on all charity events and collections. Congratulations to Aimen, Elsie, Grace and Jasmine.



We're Raisin Money!



For Outdoor
Play and Learning

Let's build
better play together!



- Children will bring a box of raisins home.
- Fill the box with money.
- Return the box back to school by

Friday 23rd October

P.A.T.CH

Parents And Teachers of CHambersbury



UPCOMING Events....



**"We're RAISIN'
money for OPAL"**
Tuesday 6th October



**Pumpkin Decorating
Competition**
Judging- 20th October



Quiz Night
Thursday 12th November



Doughnut Sale
Thursday 26th November



Key Events:

Monday 5th October — Year 6 Height and Weight

Tuesday 6th October— P.A.T.CH 'We're RASIN money for OPAL'

Thursday 8th October — Football Match vs Kings Langley Primary School at Chambersbury

Friday 9th October — Sports Ambassador training

Thursday 15th October — Football Match vs Cuthbert Mayne Primary School at Chambersbury

Monday 19th October — School photos

Tuesday 20th October — P.A.T.CH Pumpkin Decorating Competition

Wednesday 21st October — Year 5 Forest School begins

Wednesday 21st October — Teacher/Parent Consultations

Thursday 22nd October — Teacher/Parent Consultations

Monday 26th October — Half term

Monday 2nd November — INSET day

Wednesday 4th November — Year 6 School trip (Children at War)

Wednesday 11th November — Year 3 & Year 4 School trip (Chiltern Open Air Museum)

Thursday 12th November — P.A.T.CH Quiz night

Friday 13th November — Year 4 Class assembly

Saturday 14th November — Hemel Lights switch on

Friday 20th November — Year 3 Class assembly

Thursday 26th November — P.A.T.CH Doughnut sale

Thursday 26th November — Year 5 School trip (Hampton Court Palace)

Friday 27th November — INSET day

Monday 30th November — Occasional Day (school closed)

Tuesday 1st December — Year 5 & 6 Bikeability

Friday 4th December — Year 2 Class assembly

Wednesday 9th December — Year 4 Forest school begins

Thursday 10th December — Christmas Jumper Day

Thursday 10th December — Christmas craft day

Friday 18th December — End of Term (School finishes at 13:30)

Leverstock Green Playgroup



Leverstock Green Playgroup is excited to announce that we have half day or full day sessions available.

This is a great opportunity for young children to engage in fun, educational activities in a nurturing environment.

If you're interested in enrolling your child or would like more information, please contact us directly at leverstockgreenplaygroup@hotmail.co.uk.

We look forward to welcoming new families and providing a wonderful experience for your little ones.



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MINECRAFT EDUCATION

Year 1-6: - Minecraft Big Biome
Builds-

Creativity meets education as we explore the fascinating world of Minecraft Education Edition, biome by biome! Unleash your imagination, build towering structures, explore and conquer challenges with fellow gamers. This session is suitable for first time attendees, or as a continuation, for those who have attended before.



Autumn 1 – 7 sessions
Every Tuesday



Location:
Chambersbury
15:15 – 16:15



Club Price
£63

KS1 & KS2



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Every Thursday
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*I will also have a class at
4.15-5.15 open to all
children in and out of the
school*



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CHAMBERSBURY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Learning, Growing, Achieving, TOGETHER

SCHOOL TOURS

*Come and see our school
in action!*



SATURDAY TOURS

3/10/26, 17/10/26,
14/11/26, 12/12/26,
9/1/27

9:00am–10:00am



EVERY WEDNESDAY

16/9/26–9/12/26

9:30am–10:30am



EVERY MORNING

6/1/27–14/1/27

9:30am–10:30am



*We look forward
to welcoming you!*



Chambersbury Primary School is a place where each individual is cared for deeply, valued and respected – Where everyone in the school community has the opportunity to learn in an environment full of excitement and fun, so they can grow up to be “change-makers” and “assets” in the community, society and world they live in.

**BOOK
YOUR TOUR**



We can't wait to meet you! ♥



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