

CHAMBERSBURY NEWS

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Working together to become change makers

25th April 2025

ATTENDANCE 2024-2025—WHOLE YEAR

Nur	Rec	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Whole
53.8%	92.9%	88.3%	93.1%	94.45	93.7%	92.4%	89.1%	91.5%

Chambersbury Childcare Begins!

Our new, on-site, after school childcare service started this week and it has been a huge success!

Pupils have thoroughly enjoyed the activities on offer, being able to make use of the lovely weather to get outside and play.

Whilst the primary aim of the childcare was to help parents, supporting with working patterns or just giving a bit more child free time, I know a number of pupils have attended so they can spend time playing with their friends in a safe environment rather than on the streets.

You can sign your child up using the following link:
<https://activities.bookpebble.co.uk/activity/challenge-sport-education-chambersbury-after-school-childcare-hemel-hempstead-47feb395-0388-4528-a7a4-ac27736dacca>

Parent Governor Position

Would you like to play an active role in shaping the future of our pupil's education and help strengthen our school community?

We are looking for an enthusiastic and committed parent to join our Governing Body as a Parent Governor.

We welcome parents who share our commitment to the school's vision:

"Learning, Growing, Achieving... TOGETHER."

If you'd like to learn more about becoming a Parent Governor, we would love to hear from you.

Please contact the school office or speak to Mr Payne for more information.

Uniform

Often in the summer term standards of uniform start to slip and I am well aware that parents can be a little reluctant to purchase new uniform that pupils may grow out of. However, it is important that pupils are in the correct uniform with research demonstrating that by pupils wearing the correct uniform it supports the development of a school ethos (pupils feeling like they belong) and the improvement of behaviour and discipline: all of which are key to pupils achieving high standards.

It is parents responsibility to ensure their child attends school ready to learn and this includes being in the correct uniform, so please help us maintain standards throughout the summer term.

Uniform expectations can be found here: <https://chambersbury.secure-primariesite.net/school-uniform/>

NSPCC Number Day

In the post this week we received a wonderful certificate (see attachment) thanking us for our support in raising money for the NSPCC earlier in the year as part of #numberday . I am so proud of the success we are achieving this year and by continuing to work TOGETHER, we will go from strength to strength.

CHALLENGE
SPORT & EDUCATION

CHAMBERSBURY AFTER SCHOOL CHILDCARE

Daily after school childcare until 6pm each day for children in Reception - Year 6

- Outside sports
- Inside games / activities
- Flexible Booking

BOOKING / MORE INFO

Click [HERE](#)

Email info@challengesporteducation.co.uk



Key Events

Wednesday 30th April — Year 6 SATs Evening

Wednesday 30th April — Year 5 & 6 Residential Evening

Friday 2nd May — Class photographs

Tuesday 6th May — Year 3 Verulamium trip

Thursday 8th May — EYFS Maths parent workshop

Monday 12th May - Thursday 15th May — Year 6 SATs

Monday 2nd June - Friday 13th June — Year 4 MTC assessment

Wednesday 4th June - Friday 6th June — Residential trip

Monday 9th June - Friday 13th June — Year 1 Phonics Screening Check

Red signifies new events/dates

Holiday/Weekend Lettings

Over the coming weeks and months you may begin to notice activity taking place at our school during the weekends and school holidays as we realise our ambition to benefit the community beyond our own school roll.

We have been working behind the scenes to work with a number of local football teams who will be using our site, as well as a number of other external providers so watch this space!

Book Fair

Our recent book fair, organised by Mrs Good and Mrs Stevens, raised £305.00 for us to spend on books.

We will use these funds to further support the new English curriculum scheme that we began using in September.

OPAL Update — New Shed

You will have noticed that we have a rather large, new shed on our playground! This will be used to house our OPAL equipment that pupils use at lunchtimes for play. 'By playing, children learn and develop as individuals, and as members of the community.' (Children's Play Council 2001)

Building the shed was a team effort and I must thank Mr Phillips, Mr Timberlake and Miss Alford for giving up their Easter break to get this project completed.



NSPCC

Number Day

CELEBRATING
25 YEARS

Thank you to everyone at
CHAMBERSBURY PRIMARY SCHOOL

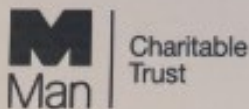
for raising
£243.60

We are so grateful for your support and
generosity. The money raised will help to change
childhoods across the UK.

Josephine Swinho
Executive Director of Income Generation

THANK YOU!

#numberday



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SPECTACULAR SCIENCE DAY

MEET THE MINIBEASTS
MAGNETIC MAGIC

CRAZY CATAPULTS
AND MUCH, MUCH MORE!

JOIN US AT OUR BRAND NEW LOCATION!
CHAMBERSBURY PRIMARY SCHOOL
HEMEL HEMPSTEAD

FRIDAY 30TH MAY

BOOKING & INFO: HERTSBEDS.MADSCIENCE.ORG
CAMPS@MADSCIENCEHB.CO.UK
01727 824 700



£49 PER DAY



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9:30-4:00



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INTRODUCTION TO VOLUNTEERING Free course

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Introduction to volunteering

Take the first step into volunteering! This course will introduce you to:

- The roles and benefits of volunteering
- Highlight how it can improve wellbeing
- Help you identify your skills to find the right opportunities

Begin your volunteering journey today!

Dates: 8th May, 9th May, 15th May, 16th May

Time: 10am - 12:30pm

Venue: 48 High St, Community Action Dacorum, Hemel Hempstead, HP1 3AF



FOR MORE INFORMATION



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Learning@communityactiondacorum.org.uk
www.communityactiondacorum.org/traininganddevelopment

This course is fully funded by The Education & Skills Funding Agency for adults who meet the following criteria:

- A Hertfordshire Resident
- Aged 19 years or older on 31st August 2024
- UK National and lived in the UK for the last 3 years or EEA National with settled/pre-settled status and lived in the UK/EEA for the last 3 years



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STEP 7 - SKILLS
PREPARE FOR SUCCESS IN HEHTS

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