Chalkhill Primary School Bulletin



Boletín de noticias de La Escuela Primaria de Chalkhill

Friday 21st November 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am thrilled to report that this week's parent consultations, which took place over Tuesday and Wednesday, were once again a huge success.

It was heartwarming to see so many of you actively engaged in your child's education and sharing their progress with us.

The Bug Club Book sales that took place afterschool and during the two parent consultation evenings have also been incredibly successful.

I am pleased to announce that there will be another opportunity to purchase them during our upcoming Winter Fair on December 11, 2025.

Our Year 4 children have been inspired by one of history's greatest explorers - **Ernest Shackleton.**

His incredible journey teaches us about resilience, teamwork, and never giving up.

Based on this Ernest Shackleton's Journey, Class 4F gave a fantastic performance
Get ready to step into his world! Thank you Mr Frederick and the Year 4 Team for organising a superb assembly and to all the parents that supported the children.

Next week's assembly will be performed by Class 2P - Parents and Carers from the children in Class 2P are invited.

Reminders:

For the morning Breakfast Clubs and Multi Sports Clubs please use the Sport Hall entrance, through the staff car park.

Chalkhill Primary School will be holding a Winter Fair on Thursday 11th December 2025, from 3.30pm-5.30pm. If you would like to set up your own stall for the fair, please refer to page 4 for more information. Your participation in these events not only benefits our school, but also creates a strong sense of community among us. Thank you.

Have a lovely weekend.

Kind regards

Mr Cloete



PLEASE, PLEASE, PLEASE Everybody MUST register and download the ARBOR app.

If you cannot find the email please check your Spam/Junk folder.

We suggest you use a desktop or laptop and the internet browser Google for login on for the first time.

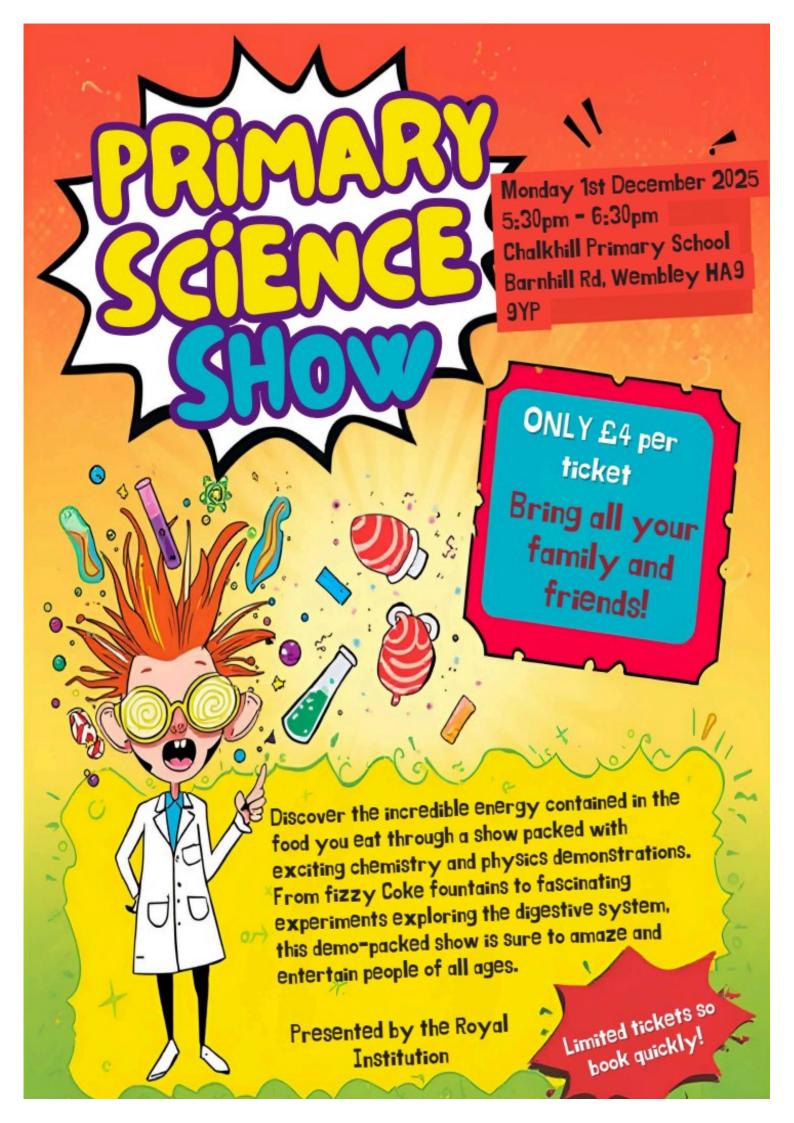
Once you have successfully logged on, you can use your phone to download the Arbor app from the App store (Apple) or Google Play (Android).

Please remember you must use same registered email address that you gave to Chalkhill Primary School when you enrolled your child.

All balances MUST now be paid on ARBOR

All emails will be now be sent through Arbor.

Thank you.







Early Morning Club at Chalkhill Primary School

Delivered by Surya Academy Ltd

[™] Time: 7:30 am – 8:30 am

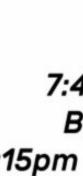
III Starts: Monday, 10 November 2025

Cost: FREE for 6 weeks!

- Fun sports activities
- Creative arts & crafts
- A positive, energetic start to every morning
- Please note: No breakfast will be served during this club.
- 💂 🈇 Limited places available!

First come, first served - children can book and attend as many days as they like.

- Bookings must be made online to secure a place.
- → Get active, make friends, and start your day with energy! →





7:45am - 8:30am £2 BREAKFAST CLUB 3:15pm - 6:00pm from £2-£10 AFTERSCHOOL CLUB

Call us on: 07940 762387





- Creative Activities
- · Sports & Wellbeing
- · Social Skills
- Cooking & Baking

Snacks, refreshments and food provided.





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For more information:

Email: graceleeprovided24@gmail.com

HOLIDAY CAMP

JOY SPORTS ACADEMY





Places Available For Children

The Joy Sports Academy team will host a fun-packed program to provide a safe, friendly and secure environment where a variety of activities are offered. The Holiday camp promotes healthy lifestyles and positive social interactions.

REGISTER ONLINE USING OR CODE OVER PAGE

Remember, these places are open for all the year groups & other local schools. Once you complete the form, your children's placement will be secure. You can make the payment online.

NOTE: Fees don't apply to the benefit related FSM children. All the activities and food are completely FREE for ANY 4 DAYS (9am – 1pm). Parents need to provide EVIDENCE.

















JOY SPORTS ACADEMY

Camp Timetable

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00 - 9:30	Registration + Social time + Story telling				
9:30 - 10:30	Football	Tennis	Archery	Olympic games	Athletics
10:30 - 11:30	Basketball	Art & Craft	Nutrition	Benchball	Yoga & fitness
11:30 - 12:00	LUNCH BREAK + Q&A				
12:00 - 12:40	FREE PLAY & SOCIAL TIME				
12:40 - 13:00	Discharge the 1pm group and regroup the children for the afternoon activites				
13:00 - 14:00	Cricket	Tag rugby	Teambuilding	Golf	Football drills
14:00 - 15:00	Rounders	Puzzles & Problem solving	Origami	Treasure Hunt	Art & Craft
15:00 - 15:30	SNACKS BREAK + FREE PLAY IN THE PLAYGROUND				
15:30 - 16:30	Street Dance	Karate & Self defence	Chess/PublicSp	Multi-Sports	Talent show
16:30 - 17:00	Start getting the belongings and seat in the groups for the HOMETIME				

All the children need to bring their own water bottles.

FREE hot healthy food will be provided to all the children.

Children must come dressed in PE outfits, including their coats.

All activities and trips are subject to availability and the interests of the children and may be changed accordingly.

Children will be rewarded with madels or certificates for their abilities and achievements.

The camp will proceed in all weather conditions as we have indoor facilities available.

This camp is open to all children from other schools.





Dads' Wellbeing Workshops

Time: Thursdays 6:30 - 8 PM

Location: Online via Microsoft Teams

Starting Thursday 27 November

Activities: Mindfulness, creative expression,

group discussion

Take a breather and connect with other dads in a relaxed, creative space. These evening workshops are a chance to reset, reflect, and try something new — just for you.

These workshops will aim to provide you with the opportunity to address the thoughts, feelings and experiences, which impact on your EMOTIONAL health and wellbeing.





To book a place or refer a dad, please email: ParentingProgramme@brent.gov.uk
Let's work together to support Brent's dads and male carers in building strong, confident, and nurturing relationships with their children.

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Friday 17th July 2025

Dear Parents and Carers.

RE: Formal Warning or Education Penalty Notice

We are writing to you because this year, we aim to have an absence rate below the national average and to exceed our attendance target. We think it is very important that all our pupils benefit from 190 days of learning to ensure they make progress and achieve the results they should. If a school can improve its attendance by 1%, this can result in a 5-6% improvement in attainment. We are asking you to support the school by ensuring your child achieves excellent attendance.

Here are some of the ways in which you can help our school achieve excellent attendance:

- Aim for your child to have 100% attendance.
- You can make a request to me in advance if you feel you have exceptional circumstances for your child to be absent during term time, however permission may not be given, and my decision is final.
- We expect pupils to arrive at school on time. Late arrivals disrupt the education of others. Pupils arriving after
 the register has closed will be marked in the register as having an unauthorised absence. The school attendance
 policy states the time that the attendance register closes in the morning: (e.g. 30 minutes after registration);
- We do not expect pupils to come to school when they are sick, but parents of children with regular sickness absence will be expected to provide us with medical evidence before we authorise further absences;
- Avoid medical and dental appointments during school time;
- If you or your child is having difficulties and these impacts on their attendance, please make an appointment with a member of staff to discuss additional support.

We have an expectation that once we have notified a parent about attendance concerns, they will ensure that their child's attendance improves significantly. If a pupil continues to have poor attendance, we will discuss this with our link Education Welfare Officer, and if necessary, make a referral to Brent Education Welfare Service.

The Education Welfare Service may issue a parent with a Formal Warning, an Education Penalty Notice (EPN) or decide to prosecute if a child is persistently absent over a minimum period of 10 weeks. If a parent is issued with an EPN, they risk receiving a fine from Brent Council of £120 if paid within 28 days. This is reduced to £60 if paid within 21 days. Fines for unauthorised term time leave are issued to each parent for each absent child. Failure to pay the notice may result in a parent being prosecuted in court for their child's unauthorised absence. For further information, a copy of our attendance policy is available to read in the school office or you can find the Education Welfare Service's Non-School Attendance, Education Penalty Notices, Local Code of Conduct on Brent Council's website www.brent.gov.uk

Regards

Head teacher

















The Crunch - Week 1

This is our Menu for the coming week

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN (OPTION 1)	Tomato Fusilli Pasta Bake WHEAT & MILK	Chilli Con Carne CELERY	Sweet Potato & Paneer Curry MILK	Jerk Chicken	Panko Crumbed Fresh Fish of the Day FISH, EGGS & WHEAT
MAIN (OPTION 2)	Green Pesto Pasta WHEAT	Chilli Sin Carne CELERY	Sri Lankan Coconut Daal	Jerk Halloumi MILK	Crispy Fried Vegetable Pakoras
SIDES Where main includes, portion will be offered as optional extra	Wholemeal Bread WHEAT	Tortilla Wraps and Salsas WHEAT	Basmati Rice	Jollof Rice	Skin on Potatoes, Tartare Sauce with Capers & Cornichons & Homemade Ketchup EGGS & SULPHITE
VEGETABLES	Roasted Broccoli Salad Of The Day	Smoked Paprika Sweetcorn Salad Of The Day	Roasted Fine Beans Salad Of The Day	Rainbow Coleslaw SULPHITES	Minted Peas
EXTRAS	Fresh Fruit Availab	le Daily			



Crunch - Week 2

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN (OPTION 1)	Macaroni Cheese WHEAT & MILK	Sweet & Sour Chicken SOY, SULPHITES	Chipotle Chicken	Lasagne Al Forno WHEAT, MILK	Panko Crumbed Fresh Fish of the Day FISH, EGGS & WHEAT
MAIN (OPTION 2)	Tomato, Spinach & Olive Rigatoni WHEAT	Sweet & Sour Tofu SOY, SULPHITES	Mexican Beans SULPHITES	Vegetarian Lasagne WHEAT, MILK	Crispy Fried Vegetable Pakoras
SIDES Where main includes, portion will be offered as optional extra	Wholemeal Bread WHEAT	Jasmine Rice	Tacos, Dips and Chilli Sauce WHEAT, DAIRY	Rosemary Roasted Broccoli	Skin on Potatoes, Tartare Sauce with Capers & Cornichons & Homemade Ketchup EGGS & SULPHITE
VEGETABLES	Honey Roasted Carrots Salad Of The Day	Stir Fried Vegetables Salad Of The Day	Carrot, Coriander & Lime Salad Green Salad	Chickpea, Herb & Lemon Salad	Minted Peas
EXTRAS	Fresh Fruit Availabl	e Daily			



Chalkhill Primary School Term Dates Academic Year 2025/26

AUTUMN TERM 2025	
Staff Inset	Monday 1st September 2025
School starts for pupils	Tuesday 2 nd September 2025
Last day of term	Friday 24th October 2025
Half Term	Monday 27th October – Friday 31st October 2025
Staff Inset	Monday 3 rd November 2025
School starts for pupils	Tuesday 4th November 2025
Last day of term	Thursday 18th December 2025 – finishing at 1.30pm
Christmas Holidays	Friday 19th December - Friday 2nd January 2026

SPRING TERM 2026	
School starts for pupils Last day of term	Monday 5th January 2026 Friday 13th February 2026
Half Term	Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February 2026
Staff Inset	Monday 23 rd February 2026
School starts for pupils Last day of term	Tuesday 24 th February 2026 Friday 27 th March 2026 – finishing at 1.30pm
Easter Holidays	Monday 30th March – Friday 10th April 2026

SUMMER TERM 2026	
School starts for pupils Last day of term	Monday 13th April 2026
	Friday 22nd May 2026
May Bank Holiday	Monday 4th May 2026
Half Term	Monday 25 th May – Friday 29 th May 2026
School starts for pupils	Monday 1st June 2026
Last day of term	Friday 17th July 2026 – finishing at 1.30pm
Staff Inset	Monday 20th July 2026

^{*}Dates are subject to change.