Chalkhill Primary School Bulletin

Boletín de noticias de La Escuela Primaria de Chalkhill

Friday 16th October 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had another successful week at Chalkhill Primary School.
The highlight was undoubtedly the assembly presented by 6P with the ancient Mayan theme. The acting and sharing of information was top drawer.
A massive thank you to Mr Parker, Mrs Bensar and the lovely children of 6P. Also, a massive thank you to all our families who came out in support of the class.

Please see some important reminders below:

Parent Consultations for Reception and Years 1–5 will take place next week.
Please book appointments on ARBOR.

Free School Meals eligibility checker, if you have not already done so, please click on the link below and complete the form as soon as possible.

https://fsm.lgfl.net/app/school/874

We would really appreciate your feedback on our school lunch menu. Please take a few moments to complete our **Dining Hall Survey** using the link below. Your views are important to us and will help us improve our lunchtime experience.

https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/iWWYcbJCH9?origin=lprLink

Friday 23rd October 2026 class 6U will be performing their assembly at 2.15pm in the Ks1 Hall. Parents of the children in class 6U are invited.

Hope you all have a lovely week.

Kind regards
Mr Cloete

ARBOR

Everybody MUST register and download the ARBOR app.

All communications will be sent by email ONLY through Arbor.

To register and download the ARBOR app

We advise you to use a desktop or laptop and the internet browser Google for login in 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

Thank you.

Chalkhill Primary School
Wraparound Breakfast and Afterschool Care
Autumn Term 1

We are pleased to confirm that both Wraparound Breakfast Club and Afterschool Club will continue to operate for the Autumn Term 1.
Food will be provided at both clubs and is included in the cost.

For Wraparound Breakfast Club and Afterschool Wraparound Club please use the **staff car park entrance** for drop-offs and collecting your child.

Wraparound Breakfast Club will run Monday to Friday – from 7:45am – 8:30am

Wraparound Afterschool Club will be available from Monday to Friday
from the following times:

- 3:15pm – 4:15pm: £6.50
- 3:15pm – 5:15pm: £12.00

All sessions must be booked and paid for in advance on Arbor using the Top Up option on your account.

Please note:
If your child is not booked and payment has not been made in advance, they will not be able to attend the Breakfast Club or Afterschool Club.

Please use the link below for a step-by-step guide on how to sign up for the wraparound clubs:

https://support.arbor-education.com/hc/en-us/articles/4407797520017-Signing-my-child-up-for-a-Breakfast-or-After-School-Club-on-the-Parent-Portal-or-Parent-App

This guide will walk you through how to book a place on a Breakfast or After-School Club via the Parent Portal or Parent App

Chalkhill Primary School

LEARNING TOGETHER FOR A BRIGHTER FUTURE

Kindness
Respect
Confidence
Belonging
Achievement

WINTER FAIR

Wednesday 2nd December

Join us for an afternoon of festive fun, games, treats, gifts and seasonal celebrations!

Games
Stalls
Festive Treats
Gifts
Raffle
and more!

We need your help and your ideas!

Help us make this year's Winter Fair the best one yet for our children. Whether you can spare a little time, have a great idea or would like to help organise, we'd love to hear from you.

PTA MEETING

Tuesday 20th October

9:00am

All parents and carers are welcome!

A Stronger School Together

Have a Stall Idea?

If you would like to have a stall at the Winter Fair, please email:

pta@chalkhill.brent.sch.uk

Whether you'd like to run a craft stall, sell festive treats, organise a game or share a small business, we'd love to hear from you.

Let's make this the best Winter Fair for our children!

KIND PEOPLE ♥ HAPPY LEARNERS ♥ BRIGHTER FUTURES

Chalkhill Primary
Learning Together

Every child's story matters!

PLEASE COMPLETE OUR PHOTOGRAPHS AND VIDEO CONSENT FORM

Help us celebrate the amazing things our pupils do!

At Chalkhill, our pupils take part in a wide range of exciting extra-curricular activities, including sports, clubs, trips, performances and special events.

We sometimes share a resume of what our pupils have been doing on our school website, newsletters and X (Twitter) account – and we include photographs and sometimes videos.

To do this, we need to make sure our consent list is up to date.

Your child's privacy and safety are very important to us. We only share images in line with our school policies and keep all information safe and secure.

Share ♥ Celebrate ♥ Inspire

Please complete the form here:

https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/p31LRqdhCj?origin=lprLink

It only takes a few minutes and insures we have you most up to date preferences.

Thank you for your support!

Together we can continue to share and celebrate our wonderful Chalkhill community!

Brent Preston Park Best Start Family Hub 1st September – 18th December 2026 Autumn Timetable Brent

Autumn/Winter	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Best Start in Life | Family Hubs **Registration link:** **Preston Park Family Hub** **College Road** **HA9 8RJ** **Tel: 020 8937 5980** **Free Vitamins (Must have Healthy Start Card)** **For pregnant women and children aged 0 – 4 years.** 	**Midwifery Services** **9:00am – 4:30pm** **Appointment only** **Citizens Advice Bureau Brent (CAB)** **9:00am – 3:00pm** Independent advice on issues such as benefits housing Welfare rights. **Appointment only** **Baby Time** **9:45am – 10:45am** 0 – 12 months Weekly from 7th of September Come along and meet different professionals to learn the different stages of your babies' development. **Booking required** **Busy Feet** **1:00pm – 2.00pm** 2 years – 3.5 years Weekly from 7th of September Different activities, alongside health information **Booking required** **Term time only** **Healthy Lifestyle Clinic** Nutrition advice to parents with children aged 1-5 years **2:00pm – 5:00pm** **14th & 28th Sept, 12th Oct, 9th & 23rd Nov, 7th Dec** **Booking required** **Housing Surgery** **9:30am – 12:30pm** **28th Sept** Advise provided for families with no allocated Housing Officer. **Appointment only**	**Midwifery Services** **9:00am – 4:30pm** **Appointment only** **Registration Clinic** **9:00am – 2:00pm** Get help and support completing registrations. Drop in **Sport in Mind Mum & Baby** **10.30am – 11.30am** **8th Sept- 15th December** Mums and their babies (up to 1 years old) to use movement to support their mental health, including low mood and isolation **Booking required** **Term time only** **Brent PAIRS (Parent and Infant Relationship Service)** **9.30am – 2:00pm** 0 – 5 years For parents who maybe struggling in their relationship with their child **Referral only (fortnightly)** **FELIX PROJECT** **(Food Bank for all families)** **10:30am – 2:00pm** **Weekly** Felix | Rescuing food for fuller lives	**Health Visiting Clinic** **9:00am – 3:00pm** 1 & 2-year-old Development reviews **Appointment only** **Breastfeeding Support Clinic** **9:30am – 1:00pm** 2nd, 16th & 30th September 14th & 28th October 11th & 25th November 9th & 16th December **Ask questions and get support with breastfeeding** **Employment Support** **9:30am – 4:00pm** Employment and benefits entitlement information. Help with CV Book online or call the centre Weekly **Appointment Only** **Baby Massage** **10:00am – 11:00am** 2 months – 6 months .4-week course 16th Sept-7th Oct **Booking required** **Potty Training 4-week Toileting Programme** **10:00am – 12:00pm** 18 months – 3 years 4th-25th November **(Creche provided)** **Booking required** **Introduction to Solids** **12:30pm – 2:00pm** 23rd Sept 21st. Oct 25th Nov & 16th Dec Weaning advice and support **Booking required** **Group session** **Let's Talk** **1:00pm – 2:00pm** 14 months – 3 ½ years Weekly from 9th September Advice and support if worried about your child's speech through reading and play. **Booking required**	**Health Visiting Clinic** **9:00am – 1:00pm** 1 & 2-year-old Development reviews **Appointment only** **Sensory Play** **10:00am – 11:00am** Weekly from 10th September 14 months – 3 years Learning and exploring cornflour, paint, water, shredder paper, sand, shaving foam through play **Booking required** **Term time only** **Building Blocks -Mega, Jenga, Lego** **1:00pm – 2:00pm** 16months – 4 years Weekly from 10th September Enhance children's fine and gross motor skills, turn taking, problem solving, Hand and eye coordination, schematic and social skills **Booking required** **Term time only** **Ansar Youth Project** Activities for young people, include sports, gaming, arts and crafts, educational **4:00pm – 5:30pm (Girls 8 – 17 years)** **5:30pm – 7:30pm YMC (13 – 17 years)** **Term time only**	**Health Visiting Clinic** **9:00am – 3:00pm** 1 & 2-year-old Development reviews **Appointment only** **Dad Matters** **10:30am – 11:30am** **11th Sept 9th Oct** **13th Nov & 11th Dec** Free breakfast - Hot drinks - good conversation A welcoming space to meet other local dads **Drop in sessions** **Special Educational Needs & Disabilities -Stay and Play session** **11:00am – 12:00pm** Weekly from 11th September 14 months – 3 years Have fun with your child, meet other families, access information, advice and practical support. **Booking required** **Prospects/Brent Connexions Careers Advice Session** **1:00pm – 4.00pm** Support with training/ Employment for 16 – 19 years and up to 25 years with disability not in school/college **Appointment Only** **Toy Library** Parents can loan educational and fun toys for FREE Membership & £5 deposit required. The deposit will be returned. **Ansar Youth Project** Activities for young people, include sports, gaming, arts and crafts, educational **4:00pm -5:30pm (Mixed 8 – 17 years)** **5:30pm – 7:30pm (Mixed 13 – 17 years)** **Term time only**	**Saturday Sessions** **Saturday sessions are now delivered at the hub during term time, please contact Preston Park Best Start Family Hub for more information.** **Call Centre for information** **Useful Links** The Local Offer for Children with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) aged 0-25 and their families https://www.brent.gov.uk/children-youngpeople-and-families/send-local-offer **Brent Youth Zone information:** Brent Youth Zone has links to information, advice and activities for young people. https://www.brentyouthzone.org.uk/ **CFIS Services:** The Children and Family Information Service (CFIS) provides information and advice on a variety of services for children and young people (0 to 25 years old) and parents, including childcare and early education. https://www.brent.gov.uk/children-youngpeople-and-families Contact CFIS Team: Monday to Friday between 9am and 5pm Phone: 0208 937 3010 Email: cfis@brent.gov.uk Best Start Family Hubs| Brent Council

The Crunch – Week 1

Menu for 19th October

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN (OPTION 1)	Tomato Fusilli Pasta Bake WHEAT & MILK	Chilli Con Carne CELERY	Maris Piper Potato & Paneer Curry MILK	Peri Peri Chicken PAPRIKA	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 COCONUT	Jerk Halloumi MILK	Maccaroni Cheese WHEAT & MILK
SIDES Where main includes, portion will be offered as optional extra	Wholemeal Bread WHEAT	Tortilla Wraps and Salsas WHEAT	Coconut Milk Rice COCONUT	Spicey Veg Rice PAPRIKA	New Potatoes, Tartare Sauce with Capers & Cornichons EGGS & SULPHITE
VEGETABLES	Mix Veg	Smoked Paprika Sweetcorn PAPRIKA	Coleslaw	Roasted Fine Beans SULPHITES	Peas
EXTRAS	Fresh Fruit & Salad Available Daily				Allergies in RED

Crunch – Week 2

Menu for 3rd November

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN (OPTION 1)	Macaroni Cheese WHEAT & MILK	Curry Chicken PAPRIKA, CHICKPEAS	Chipotle Chicken BEANS & CHICKPEAS	Lasagne Al Forno WHEAT, MILK EGG	Panko Crumbed Fresh Fish of the Day FISH, EGGS & WHEAT
MAIN (OPTION 2)	Tomato Rigatoni WHEAT	Vegetable Sauce PAPRIKA, SULPHITES	Mexican Beans BEANS & CHICKPEAS	Vegetarian Lasagne WHEAT, MILK EGG	Pasta Bake WHEAT & MILK
SIDES Where main includes, portion will be offered as optional extra	Wholemeal Bread WHEAT	Coconut Milk Rice COCONUT	Tacos, Dips and Chilli Sauce PAPRIKA WHEAT, DAIRY	Broccoli	New Potatoes, Tartare Sauce with Capers & Cornichons EGGS & SULPHITE
VEGETABLES	Honey Roasted Carrots	Stir Fried Vegetables	Sweetcorn with Paprika PAPRIKA	Broccoli	Peas
EXTRAS	Fresh Fruit & Salad Available Daily				Allergies in RED

Chalkhill Primary School
Term Dates
Academic Year 2026/2027

AUTUMN TERM 2026	
Staff Inset	Tuesday 1st September 2026
Staff Inset	Wednesday 2nd September 2026
School starts for pupils Last day of term	Thursday 3rd September 2026 Friday 23rd October 2026
Half Term	Monday 26th October - Friday 30th October 2026
Staff Inset	Monday 2nd November 2026
School starts for pupils Last day of term	Tuesday 3rd November 2026 Friday 18th December 2026 - finishing at 1.30pm
Christmas Holidays	Monday 21st December 2026 - Friday 1st January 2027

SPRING TERM 2027	
School starts for pupils Last day of term	Monday 4th January 2027 Friday 12th February 2027
Half Term	Monday 15th February - Friday 19th February 2027
School starts for pupils Last day of term	Monday 22nd February 2027 Thursday 25th March 2027 - finishing at 1.30pm
Easter Holidays	Friday 26th March - Friday 9th April 2027

SUMMER TERM 2027	
School starts for pupils Last day of term	Monday 12th April 2027 Friday 28th May 2027
May Bank Holiday	Monday 3rd May 2027
Half Term	Monday 31st May - Friday 4th June 2027
School starts for pupils Last day of term	Monday 7th June 2027 Monday 19th July 2027 - finishing at 1.30pm
Staff Inset	Tuesday 20th July 2027
Staff Inset	Wednesday 21st July 2027

*Dates are subject to change.