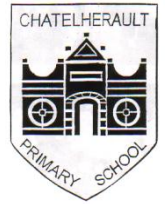




Chatelherault Primary School

August 2026

Newsletter



Aiming high and working together, we can achieve our potential in a safe, inclusive, happy and supportive school.

Welcome Back

It has been lovely to welcome our children back into school this week and I hope that everyone enjoyed the summer sunshine, or rain, over the holidays. Our new Primary One children have had a great start, and it is wonderful to see everyone across the school looking so smart in their school uniform.



Please remember to send indoor shoes into the school as children **MUST** change out of their outdoor shoes when they enter the building. The classroom carpets have all been deep cleaned over the summer and we want to ensure that when our children are sitting on the floor it is a safe clean environment. They will also use their indoor shoes for PE sessions.

Nut Allergy

We are a nut free school, and it is extremely important that you follow this advice as we do have several pupils with nut allergies. Please do not use chocolate spread on sandwiches as they often contain nuts. If you are unsure about any food stuff, please contact the office where a member of our support staff will be happy to help out.

Parentportal / ParentPay

Please sign up to Parentsportal, if you haven't already. Our office staff are on hand to help with any queries you might have. We will be using Parentsportal to communicate with parents, and this will include dates for your diary, emails and letters. Information will be sent directly to our new Primary One parents and any new pupils who have joined our school in August.

Photographs

Our photographer will be in school on Sept 2nd, 3rd and 4th. Class, individual and pupil voice group photographs will be taken over the three days.

Aiming High Working Together

Our Meet the Teacher session which is Fri 28th August for mainstream classes and some of our supported classes Rm 8, 12 and 16. You will have an opportunity to visit your child's class and meet the class teacher. The teacher will discuss homework, class routines and provide an overview of learning this session. There will be two time slots for the visit to allow parents with more than one child to visit all classes. Please come along to the school hall at 1.20, or 1.50 and from here you will be collected by pupils and escorted to the class.



On Thursday 27th August parents and carers of children in Rooms 4, 5, 6, 7 & 10 are invited to meet with the class teacher at 9.15am.

We are looking forward to welcoming you into our school.

Water Bottles

Children are welcome to bring their own water bottles into school and fresh drinking water is available for all children throughout the day. Children should **only** bring water for drinking during class time but can bring juice as part of their packed lunch.

Medicines

As in previous years if you require your child to take any form of medication during the school day it should be signed into the school office and an administration of medicine form completed. Should you have any questions please contact the school office.

Keeping Our Children Safe / Parking

Please find included with our newsletter a copy of our Let's Park and Stride information leaflet to help keep our children safe. At the end of last session Parking Wardens attended several times and issued tickets to cars that were on the pavement. Please be mindful of where you are parking.



Dates for Your Diary

Thurs 27 th Aug	9.15 am	Meet the Teacher- Aiming High Working Together – Rooms 4, 5, 6, 7, 10
Fri 28 th Aug	1.20 pm or 1.50 pm	Meet the Teacher- Aiming High Working Together All Mainstream classes and Rooms 8,12,16
2 nd - 4 th Sept	All Day	School Photographer in school
Thurs 10 th , 17 th , 24 th , Sept, 1 st , 8 th , 22 nd Oct	9.30 – 11.30 am	Early Bird Plus Autism Parenting Programme (More Details to Follow)
Thurs 10 th Sept	1.00pm – 2.30pm	P1 Help Your Child Succeed – Room 5 & Room 6 (P1 only) Parents to visit the classroom and meet with the Class Teacher
Fri 11 th Sept	9.00am – 12.00pm	P1 Help Your Child Succeed - Room 1 Parents to visit the classroom and meet with the Class Teacher
Mon 21 st Sept	All Week 9.15 am – 10.00am	Maths Week Full School Parent Class Drop In to see your child's work on Numeracy
Thurs 24 th Sept	All Day 11.30 am 3.00 pm	Whole School Sponsored Event Supported Classes Drop In with Evelyn School Closed for Sept Weekend
Mon 28 th Sept	All Day All Week	School Closed Dyslexia Awareness Week
Tues 29 th Sept – Thurs 1 st Oct	2.00 – 3.00pm	Parental Workshops (Children don't attend these) Read and Write (Tues) Supporting Literacy at Home (Wed) Challenging More Able in Literacy (Thurs)
Thurs 1 st Oct	3.00pm – 8.00pm	Parents Night
Fri 9 th Oct	3.00pm	School closes for October Week

