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Friday 28th February 2025

Dear Year 6 Families,

I am writing with full details of the activities we have planned for the children's activity week in May and during their final term with us at Chilton. There is a lot of information here and we will keep you updated through blogs and via text messages etc.

We have booked four trips and an interactive event for our Year 6 children this year and the total cost for these will be £80.30. A deposit of £40.15 by Friday 28th March is to be paid to secure your child's place. Payments can be made on the school's MCAS App. We ask that the remaining £40.15 be paid by Friday 2nd May.

The London Eye and Thames River Cruise – Friday 16th May 2025

We will travel by train, leaving at 9:00am for a flight on The London Eye followed by a river cruise. Children will need to be in uniform with comfortable shoes and will need to bring a packed lunch, snacks and plenty to drink. We will depart London at approx. 5pm and hope to be back at school between 7:15-7:30pm – we will keep you updated with our progress. Children can be collected from the Chilton carpark.

Elev8 at Westwood Cross – Monday 19th May 2025

Children will need to wear their own clothing suitable for the bouncing activities! We suggest sensible sportswear. Special socks will be provided by the centre. The children will need a packed lunch on this day and plenty of water to drink. This activity will take place during school hours so we will leave at 9am and will be back to school for home-time at 3:15 as usual.

Betteshanger – Boonies – Tuesday 20th May 2025

Children will need to wear clothing suitable for adventure course activities. They will also need to be in trainers. The children will take part in an adventure course and may get wet. We advise that the children bring a spare pair of shoes and clothes and a towel in case they get wet. There are changing facilities on site. We are travelling by coach, leaving at 9am returning to school for home time at approx. 3:40. We will keep you updated with our progress. The children will need to take a packed lunch and plenty to drink to last a whole day.

Ramsgate Tunnels -Wednesday 21st May 2025

Children will need to wear their school uniform and trainers on this day. We will walk down to the Ramsgate Tunnels at 9am. As the tunnels can be very cold so we advise that the children bring a coat to wear. The children will need to bring a packed lunch for this day as we will spend time after the tunnels on the beach playing and having lunch. The children can also bring a bucket and spade if they wish to build sandcastles. The children will return to school in time for 3:15pm.

WW2 VR Experience – Friday 6th June 2025

We have secured an amazing Virtual Reality Experience for our Year 6 children this year. This will take part during the school day. The children will travel back in time and learn about some of the key events that unfolded during WW2.

Please complete the online form for all three of these trips in one: [CPS Year 6 Activity Week 2025 Form](#)

Please state if you would like the school to provide a school packed lunch.

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Other Information and Messages for Term 5 and 6:

- **Friday 23rd May** – Whole School Be Here, Be You, Belong Parade 2-3pm on the Chilton School Field
- **Tuesday 3rd June** – Viking Games (children to come to school in their PE kits)
- **Wednesday 4th June** – Class Photos
- **Wednesday 2nd July – Friday 4th July**– Year 6 Transition Days. These dates will be confirmed nearer the time by the secondary schools.
- **Friday 4th July** – Chilton Summer Fayre
- **Monday 7th July - Tuesday 8th July** – Year 6 Production evening performance (more details to follow)
- **Wednesday 9th July** – Music Evening at Chilton (choir and children who take part in extra music lessons)
- **Thursday 10th July** – Sports Day at Chilton
- **Monday 14th July – Tuesday 15th July** – Whole school transition day. The Year 6 children will take part in a transition project with our Sports Team (children can come to school in their own sportswear for these two days).
- **Thursday 18th July** – Year 6 Leavers’ Inflatable Fun Party on the school field – 3:30 – 5:30 (children will need to bring a change of clothes with them for the party. Children should be collected at 5:30 from the school field. If your child has permission to walk home unaccompanied after the party, please could you contact class teachers and make this explicit in writing to the Year 6 team:
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amy.tammaro@chiltonprimary.co.uk , paula.bax@chiltonprimary.co.uk
- **Friday 18th July** –Year 6 Graduation Ceremony (parents invited) on the school field for a 9:45 start.

The children’s final afternoon – Friday 18th July 1pm:

The children will have lunch as usual on their final day and then we will be giving them their Chilton send off from the whole school. We start this at 1pm and recommend that parents arrive on the school site to meet and greet their children outside the year 5 classrooms (not year 6 rooms). As soon as the children are ready to depart after this, they are free to go (this is usually by 1:15). If you have other siblings to collect at this time, please come to the school office and we will bring them to you.

Please contact us with any queries.

Kind regards

Mrs Helen Rowland-Hill
English / Upper Phase Lead

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