



# BILLINGE CHAPEL END



— SCHOOL & NURSERY —

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## Themed Weeks

At Chapel End Primary School we provide a broad curriculum offer. Part of this offer is for all of our children to learn about events from different religions, traditions, cultures and ways of life from around the globe.

## Week Beginning

6.05.24  
Sun Awareness  
13.05.24  
Mental Health  
20.05.24  
Pentecost

## Dates for your diary

6.05.24  
Bank Holiday  
(School closed)  
13-17.05.24  
Sats Week  
20-22.05.24  
Year 6 residential  
23.05.24  
Sports Day  
23.05.24  
School closes for half  
term



## Afternoon Tea

We have had a terrific response to our Grandparent afternoon tea party taking place today. We recognise that some families have experienced disappointment after we reached capacity on Monday afternoon.

To address this, in addition to today's event, each class will host a grandparent afternoon tea party on different days before we finish for the Summer holidays. Class teachers will communicate the dates of these events when they have been confirmed.

Many thanks  
Mr Hewitt

## Y6 Booster Classes

In preparation for the Year 6 children's SATS in May, Booster classes are on Thursdays 3.15-4.30pm and will cover Maths and English. Children are invited to bring an additional snack and drink to have at 3.15pm before their class begins.

Thursday 2nd May and Thursday 9th May

## Y6 Residential - 20th to 22nd May 2024 Manor Adventure, Willersley Castle, Peak District

A reminder for children that are attending the Y6 residential in May 2024, that spending money of 3 x £1 coins (in an envelope please) needs to be handed into the office.

## Bank Holiday - Monday 6th May

A reminder that school will be closed on Monday 6th May.



## Toddler Group

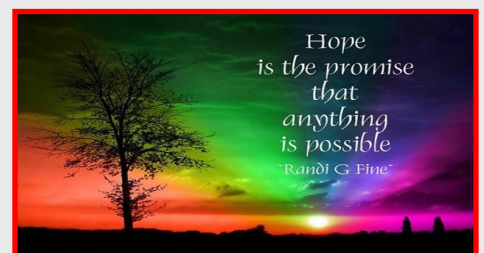
Our Toddler Group will be on each Wednesday until 22nd May.  
(except on Wednesday 15th May due to SATS week)

Wednesday 22nd will be our last Toddler Group until further notice.



## Our school Value of this half term is HOPE

Where there is hope,  
there is faith.  
Where there is faith,  
miracles happen.





### Pupil of the Week

### Wonder Wall

**Nursery**

**Jacob Ford**

**Robin Falcous**

**Reception**

**Grace McAuliffe**

**Owen Dale**

**Y1**

**Jemima Holland**

**Betsy Barlow**

**Y2**

**Poppy Corish**

**Darcy-Rose Millington**

**Y3**

**Lily Sturgeon**

**Joshua Newsholme**

**Y4**

**Seth Ashworth**

**Harmony Slater**

**Y5**

**Rufus Raven**

**Miles Roby**

**Y6**

**George Glynn**

**Mason Leigh**

### Class Attendance for w/c 15th April

<u>Class</u>	<u>% attendance for week</u>
Nursery	97.4
Reception	95.8
Year One	97.5
Year Two	98.3
Year Three	99.1
Year Four	100
Year Five	92.2
Year Six	95.2

**The national target for attendance in Primary schools is 96%**

**Congratulations to Year 4 for hitting 100%! WOW!!!**

**Well done to Nursery and Years 1, 2 and 3 for hitting our 96% attendance target!!**

**By continuing to work together I am sure that we can get all classes meeting 96%.**

### Volunteers

A number of classes in school need volunteers to help with reading. If you are able to spare a morning or afternoon, or even an hour to help in school, we would be extremely grateful.

Please inform Mrs Montrose when you would be able to help and if you have a preference for a particular age group. Thank you



### E Safety

I would like to direct all parents and carers to the E Safety section of our school website. Information about how to add parental controls to your child's digital devices along with many more useful tips can be found on there.

## School Diary — Next week in School

### Monday 29th April

Reception, Years 1 & 2 Mini Olympics (3 of 5) 3.15-4.15pm

### Tuesday 30th April

Keyboard and Guitar lessons

Steve's Football Reception, 1 & 2 (3 of 10) 3.15-4.20pm

Years 5 & 6 Football with Mr Montrose 3.15-4.15pm

### Wednesday 1st May

Toddler Group 9.30-11am

Netball KS2 3.15-4.15pm

NO String lessons

### Thursday 2nd May

Steve's Football Year's 3, 4 & 5 (3 of 10)

Year 6 Booster class 3.15-4.30pm

### Friday 3rd May



### Term Dates for 2023-2024

	Opens on	Closes on
<b>Autumn Term 2023</b>	Wed 6 Sept	Fri 27 Oct
<b>Autumn Term 2023</b>	Tues 7 Nov	Thurs 21 Dec
<b>Spring Term 2024</b>	Mon 8 Jan	Fri 9 Feb
<b>Spring Term 2024</b>	Mon 19 Feb	Thurs 28 March
<b>Summer Term 2024</b>	Mon 15 April	Thurs 23 May
<b>Summer Term 2024</b>	Mon 3 June	Tues 23 July

School also closed: May Day—Monday 6th May 2024

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<b>Spring Term 2025</b>	Mon 6 Jan	Thurs 13 Feb
<b>Spring Term 2025</b>	Mon 24 Feb	Fri 4 April
<b>Summer Term 2025</b>	Tues 22 April	Thurs 22 May
<b>Summer Term 2025</b>	Mon 2 June	Tues 22 July

School also closed: May Day—Monday 5th May 2025

These term date cards are available to collect at the school office.

## Dates for the Diary

### May

**Monday 6th May—Bank Holiday (school closed)**

Monday 13th—Friday 17th May — SATS week

Monday 20th —Wednesday 22nd May — Year 6 Residential

Thursday 23rd May—EYFS & KS1 Sports Day (am) & KS2 (pm)

Thursday 23rd May—School closes for half term

### June

**Monday 3rd June—School re-opens**

Wednesday 12th June—Year 1 & 2 end of year school trip

Friday 14th June—Year 3 & 4 end of year school trip

Monday 24th June—Year 5 end of year school trip

### July

Friday 5th July—Summer Fair

Wednesday 17th July—Year 6 Production

Tuesday 23rd July—Year 6 Leavers Assembly

**Tuesday 23rd July—School closes at 1.50/2pm**

### September

**Wednesday 4th September—School re-opens**

## Breakfast Club

Breakfast Club runs from 7.30-8.50am each morning. It costs £6 per session and should be paid IN ADVANCE via SchoolMoney.

## After School Club

After School Club runs from 3.15-5.30pm each evening. It costs £8 per session and, like the Breakfast Club, should be paid IN ADVANCE via SchoolMoney.

Both of these clubs are extremely popular and we are limited to numbers.

**IMPORTANT**—We do have procedures in place for booking places in both of these clubs. Firstly, please email school by 1.00pm on a Friday for the sessions you would like booking for the following week ([chapelend@sthelens.org.uk](mailto:chapelend@sthelens.org.uk)). The costs for both clubs are shown above. When you book by email you then need to total the cost of your sessions and add this to your child's SchoolMoney account. You can add this in the Club top-up section on the account.

If you need to attend Breakfast Club in an emergency, on a day that you haven't booked, please ring Breakfast Club on that morning and see if there is a place available. Likewise, if you need After School Club and you haven't booked in please ring school and we can see if there is a space.

If you need to cancel a booking on the day please ring school and speak to a member of staff to inform them that you don't need the place on that day. This place can then be offered to another child. If you need to cancel a future booking you can do this by email.

Please be aware that staff have the authority to refuse a booking if the SchoolMoney account is not up to date.

## Change of Meal Arrangements

Please note that meal arrangements can only be changed after each school holiday.

The next time your child can change their meal arrangements is after the Whit holiday.

If you would like to change your child's meal arrangements after Whit, please email school at [chapelend@sthelens.org.uk](mailto:chapelend@sthelens.org.uk) by **Tuesday 21st May**.



## Fish Friday Payments

Please remember Fish Friday is paid **in advance of the term.**

Please note Fish Friday for this half term is **£13.00 (5 weeks)**.



## School Uniform Shop

Our onsite uniform shop is open in the foyer. Parents and carers are able to purchase items of uniform for £2 each or 3 for £5. All polo shirts are 2 for £1.

Any items purchased can be paid in cash or on School Money, Thank you.

