



Dear Parents/Carers

We have had a busy term so far, with our students immersing themselves in several events and opportunities with the school.

One of which was the Year 9 Netball League final. Our Year 9 netball team progressed through several stages of the competition to reach the final and were all awarded with silver medals to celebrate their achievement – well done to all.

Our preparations for September have also started, as we prepare to welcome our fourth cohort of students. We have been recruiting our new team of teachers who will bring a wonderful blend of experience and passion for education. Several of the new colleagues who will join in September will be introduced through our newsletters over the coming months.

Over the next term, we will start our recruitment for our non-teaching staff. There will be several opportunities, all of which will be posted on [Kent Teach](#). Please do contact us if you have any queries about any of the roles.

Parents' Evenings Booking – Year 8

Please be reminded that booking for Year 8 Parents' Evening opens on Wednesday 11th March at 9am. The Parents' Evening itself will take place on Wednesday 25th March 2026. Further information on how to book a slot is on our website.

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Emotional Wellbeing Team

Chilmington Green school will be working with the Emotional Wellbeing Team (EWT). The EWT are a government initiative also known nationally as Mental Health Support Teams. We know, from time to time, people need support with their emotional wellbeing and mental health. The team are specially trained to share ideas about looking after mental health, and to offer early help with emotional wellbeing and mental health difficulties.



Getting help at school from the
Emotional Wellbeing Team

The team will work with students by promoting emotional wellbeing and mental health across the whole school community. They can work with groups or 1:1 sessions to support you with more specific difficulties.

For more information, please see the Emotional Wellbeing Team's dedicated website or contact SEN@chilmingtongreenschool.org.uk.

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Year 7 Charity Event – Thank you

Thank you to all our families who supported us with our recent Charity Fundraiser. We managed to raise a fantastic £316 for the following charities; RSPCA, Dogs Trust, Make a Wish, Cancer Research & The National Autistic Society.

PE Department Fixture Updates



Our Year 8 and Year 9 Girls' Basketball Teams have had great success this term against Wye School, both with comfortable victories.

We have also got some exciting Swimming Galas arranged and upcoming Rugby Tournaments. Good luck to all our Sports Teams and thank you to our families for your continued support and cheering from the sidelines. Our U13 Girls Football team have played a few matches recently and we saw their best performance against Towers this week, unfortunately losing 3-4, and player of the match going to Sophia H Y8.



Enrichment Week

We are delighted to share with you the range of exciting opportunities available for **Enrichment Week**, taking place from **6th– 8th July 2026**. This special week is designed to provide pupils with new experiences, develop their skills, and offer them the chance to explore interests beyond the classroom as part of our Pupil Charter and Education with Character Programme. Below is an overview of the activities available. Some are **on-site**, whilst others are **off-site visits**. Each activity has limited spaces, and we will try to ensure that every student has the opportunity to take part in activities of their choice.

On-Site Activities

Your child can enjoy a wide selection of workshops and themed activity sessions held at school:

- **Circus Skills Workshop** – Full Day – External Company delivering silks, juggling skills, aerial skills and more
- **Street Dance** - Full Day – External Company delivering a full day of street dance
- **Design Technology/Food Workshops** - Includes Food Technology and Woodwork Sessions
- **Sports Activities** – Dodgeball, Table Tennis and Netball
- **Football Coaching** - All day, Football Fun!
- **Singing Workshop** – External Company delivering a full day of musical theatre
- **Film & Popcorn Session** - A film and popcorn session
- **ICT Workshop** - Learn some new ICT skills and games
- **First Aid Course** – External Company and Certificate awarded

Off Site Activities

A number of exciting trips will also run throughout the week:

- **Water Sports at Conningbrook Lakes** – External Provider with option of x2 day sailing course & certificate
- **Bowling** - Off-site, Ashford Bowling including drink and snack
- **Ashford Cinema & Rounders at Victoria Park** – Full day activity including cinema ticket
- **Howletts Wildlife Park** – Full day at the zoo including transport by coach
- **London Museum Trip including transport** - Full day of museums and sightseeing
- **Bushcraft Adventure** - Students already selected
- **Disney & Paris Experience** – Students already selected

To select activities and secure places, please complete your choices by clicking on the link below:

[Enrichment Week 2026 Sign Up – Fill out form](#)

Key Dates

Date	Event
Wednesday 11 th March 2026	Booking Opens for Year 8 Parents' Evening
Wednesday 25 th March 2026	Year 8 Parents' Evening (Details to follow)
Wednesday 15 th April 2026	Booking Opens for Year 9 Parents' Evening
Wednesday 22 nd April 2026	Year 9 GCSE Options Evening (Details to follow)
Wednesday 29 th April 2026	Year 9 Parents' Evening (Details to follow)
Thursday 2 nd April 2026	End of Term 4 (Students Released at normal time)
Monday 20 th April 2026	Staff Development Day
Tuesday 21 st April 2026	Start of Term 5

Kind regards

Jon Rutland