

Dear Parents/Carers

We are now well into Term 5 and much work is taking place in our preparations for September 2026. The coming weeks will see the transition day of our new Year 7 – our fourth cohort of students alongside the final support staff vacancies. Term 6 will bring our Enrichment Week and our End-of-Year assessments, both of which the staff are busily preparing for now. I hope that all students enjoy the remainder of the term and the long bank holiday weekend ahead.

Open Mornings - Year 7 Admissions September 2027

We are delighted to announce that we will be hosting a series of Open Morning tours starting in June 2026. These sessions will offer families the opportunity to learn more about our school, meet members of our team, and take a guided tour of our facilities. If you have a child in Year 6 and are interested in joining the school community, please follow link to our website to book a tour [Open Morning Tours | Admissions | Chilmington Green](#)

Term 6 – Clubs Update

Please be aware that clubs will not run throughout Term 6. These will recommence in September. Further information will be shared towards the end of the academic year with information on sign-up for September.

Fixture Results, Sports Success & Upcoming Events

Over the past weeks our rugby and basketball teams have been out in action. We have been training hard and the results have been paying off on the court and field. Our Year 9 Girls Basketball team played Highworth Grammar school last Friday in the league and came away with a brilliant 26-26 draw! Player of the match went to Ruby and Amarah who played up from Year 8 due to her talent. It has been a busy and successful term for rugby, with both the girls' and boys' teams competing in fixtures.

The Year 7, 8 and 9 boys all took part in rugby tournaments at Ashford RFC, with fantastic performances from the Year 8 and Year 9 squads, who both finished 2nd overall in their respective tournaments. The girls' team also enjoyed a great match away at Wye, securing an impressive 60-10 victory, and we are hoping to arrange more fixtures for them very soon. Congratulations and well to Tia (Year 9) and Ada (Year 8), who have both been scouted by UR7s – a brilliant achievement!



A special mention to Jaxon, Year 7 who successfully passed his karate grading earning his 7th belt — a green belt with a white stripe!

We have upcoming Athletics meets at Julie Rose Stadium and we look forward to some thrilling track and field action as students compete for pride, performance, and progression. The Boys' Meet will take place on Tuesday 23rd June 2026, followed by the Girls' Meet on Thursday 25th June 2026. Both days promise a fantastic atmosphere, with events ranging from sprints and relays to jumps and throws.



Book Fair

We are thrilled to share that as part of our efforts to promote reading for pleasure in our school, as part of the National Year of Reading, we have a book fair coming to our school with books for you to purchase.

Between the 11th and 14th of May 2026, all students will spend part of their English lesson browsing the 3 trolleys of books we will have delivered. Students will each be given a wish list to write down any books they wish to purchase. This wish list will be then taken home by each of the students for you to purchase directly from the company and all books will be delivered to students on Friday 15th May 2026.

Books will range in price from £5 to £15, any student who purchases a book will be given a Gold Reader Pass so that their reading can count towards their English Homework. Scholastic Book Fair have also said that through purchasing of books, the school will earn books for our growing library.

**CHILMINGTON GREEN
SCHOOL'S BOOK FAIR**

Step 1: All students will have the opportunity to browse the incredible books we have to offer and add them to a wishlist!

My BOOK FAIR wish list
If you spot any books you like at the Book Fair, you can write them down on your wish list below

| NAME: | CLASS: | PRICE: |
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| TITLE | | |
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Step 2: Every student will take their wishlist home and Parents/Carers will be able to pay for books they want their child to own using a QR code.

Scan the QR code to pay online!

All books will be delivered to students on Friday 15th May

Step 3: Take your wishlist and accompanying slip to Miss Fox to confirm your purchased book by Thursday 14th May!

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| Subject number | Total order value: £ |
| Book Pack/ISBN | |

Enrichment Week

We are currently in the process of allocating activities. You will be informed via email of your child's allocations shortly. If you have selected a trip that requires payment this will be added to your I-Pay account. Failure to pay by the allocated date will result in the place being removed and given to a student on the waiting list. We have worked hard to ensure all students receive as many of their first and second choices as possible. Students will wear their PE kit for all activities this week (Monday 6th July – Wednesday 8th July 2026).

If your child has been allocated a trip which will need to be paid for, this will be added to iPay on during the course of the next week.

Year 9 Parent Forum – Sign Up

Our first Parent Forum will take place for Year 9 families on 5th May 2026 at 5pm. This event will be online and is an opportunity to seek the feedback of parents and carers to better understand where we can improve our students' experience at school. This event will be hosted by Mr Rutland, Miss Wood and Miss Wigg.

If you would like to attend, please complete the form by clicking on the link below or scanning the QR code and information of how to log in will be shared with you.

[Year 9 - Parent Forum](#)



Bushcraft & Disneyland Paris Parent/Carer Talk (Enrichment Week)

We have two very exciting residential trips coming up during our Enrichment week programme offering our students the opportunity to stay away from home, build resilience and visit a European country. To enable these trips to go ahead we hold parent/carers information talks which allows you to see the planned itinerary, sign the medical consent and behaviour code of conduct forms and hand in your student's passport, GHIC and medication. It is essential a family representative attends to sign the trip paperwork.

Disneyland Paris – Wednesday 6th May 15:45pm Main Hall

Bushcraft – Wednesday 13th May 15:45pm Main Hall

Please bring along your student's passport, GHIC card and any medication clearly labelled.

Talk Consent – Student Assembly

We would like to inform parents and carers that all students will be taking part in a Talk Consent assembly delivered by a trained, external professional provider. This session forms part of our statutory duty to deliver Relationships and Sex Education (RSE), which all schools are required to provide in line with government guidance. The assembly will be age-appropriate and focus on consent, respectful relationships, personal boundaries and keeping safe. The visiting provider works closely with schools to ensure content is delivered sensitively, professionally and in a way that supports students' wellbeing. Year 8 & 9 focus will be sexting and consent/online safety and Year 7 will focus on the meaning and importance of consent.

If you would like further information about the session or our RSE programme, please contact the school.

Sports Day Information

While we won't be holding a traditional Sports Day this year due to limited field availability, CGS is excited to introduce a fresh and engaging programme of activities. Pupils will have plenty of opportunities to compete, showcase their talents, and earn points for their houses, all contributing towards the CGS Interhouse Cup. It promises to be a fun, inclusive, and spirited experience for everyone involved.

Key Dates

| Date | Event |
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| Wednesday 29 th April 2026 | Year 9 Parents' Evening |
| Tuesday 5 th May 2026 | Year 9 Parent Forum |
| Wednesday 6 th May | Disney Parent Talk 15:45pm Main Hall |
| Wednesday 13 th May 2026 | Bushcraft Parent Talk 15:45pm Main Hall |
| Friday 22 nd May 2026 | End of Term 5 |
| Monday 1 st June 2026 | Start of Term 6 |
| Monday 6 th – Wednesday 8 th July 2026 | Enrichment Week (All Students) |
| Tuesday 21 st July 2026 | End of Term 6 (Students finish at 12.15) |

I hope you have a restful bank holiday weekend and we look forward to welcoming students back after the long weekend.

Kind regards

Jon Rutland