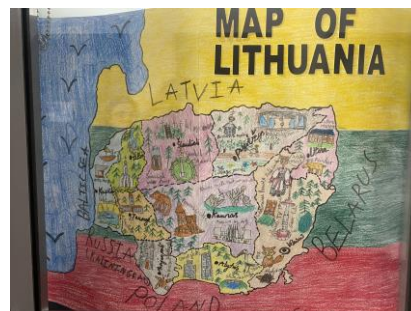


Dear Parents/Carers

We are now over halfway through the first term of the academic year and all our students are now very well settled into their new environment. We have enjoyed a range of extra-curricular activities throughout the course of the term so far, however I would like to thank all families for their support with the annual European Day of Languages event. It was wonderful to see all the students so engaged and involved in the event. We have shared a small number of images below; these are also published on our social media pages.



Extra-Curricular Programme

Please find link below to our full extra-curricular offer which will run throughout Term 2.

[After School Extra-Curricular Programme - Chilmington Green School](#)

- Clubs will continue from 15.10 to 16.00 on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
- Please could you select your preferences for Term 2 using the below link by Wednesday 8th October.
- [Extra-Curricular Sign Up](#)
- Students will be dismissed at 16.00. Sports Training will be dismissed at 16.15 from the sports entrance.
- Some students have been pre-selected into certain activities. You will have received an email if this applies to your child (Netball, Football and Magic Flute).
- If your child is participating in a sports based activity, they should attend school in full PE kit.

If we do not receive your preferences, we will ask your child and inform you of their choice. We will confirm which club your child has been allocated on Wednesday 15th October. **Clubs for Term 2 will start on Tuesday 4th November.**

Should you have any queries regarding our extra-curricular offer, please contact Miss Wood at Rebecca.wood@chilmingtongreenschool.org.uk

iPay – Spend Limits

Some families have requested that a spend cap is applied to their child's iPay account to manage their budget for lunch across the week. Should you wish to apply a daily spend cap to your child's account, please contact finance@chilmingtongreenschool.org.uk. Could parents/carers please also ensure that iPay accounts have sufficient funds for your child to purchase lunch/breaktime food as necessary.

Breakfast Menu

All students are able to purchase breakfast from the school canteen from 8.10 to 8.30 each morning. Full details, costs and a menu can be found at [School Meals - Chilmington Green School](#).

British Army – Careers and Activities for Year 9

We will be welcoming in the British Army to deliver a careers and work experience assembly to our Year 9 students followed by practical team building and leadership practical workshops. All Year 9 students will be required to wear their PE kit on **Tuesday 7th October**.

Homework

Year 7 homework begins this week. Students will be set their first assignments on Friday 3rd October, due in on Friday 10th October. All students have logged in to these platforms in their IT lessons and should have a record of their username and password for each site.

	Subject	Online Platform	Access
Compulsory Homework	English	Sparx Reader	'Login to Sparx using Microsoft'. Students should then use their school username and password.
	Maths	Sparx Maths	
	Languages	LanguageNut	Login details have been shared by Mr Comparetto.
Non-Compulsory Homework	Science (compulsory for Year 9 only)	Sparx Science	'Login to Sparx using Microsoft'. Students should then use their school username and password.
	History	Seneca	'Continue with Microsoft'. Students should then use their school username and password.
	Geography		

Homework Support Club takes place at lunchtime in ICT3 on the following days:

Year 7 Monday & Wednesday,

Year 8 Tuesday & Thursday

Year 9 Wednesday & Thursday.

Students should eat their lunch first. After school Homework Support Clubs will begin on Tuesday 4th November. Please indicate your preference for this on the extra-curricular options form above.

For support with homework logins, students need to visit the IT Office on the First Floor.

For any other homework support, please contact Miss Collis at hannah.collis@chilmingtonggreenschool.org.uk

SEN Coffee Morning – Thursday 2nd October – 9am

We are pleased to announce that we will be hosting a SEND coffee morning. This will be an opportunity for parents of children who are supported by the SEN department to meet some of the SEN team and an opportunity for you to ask any questions you may have. The Team will also share our expectations, provision and plans for the SEND provision for your children. If would like to attend, please contact SEN@chilmintongreen.org.uk.

Fixtures Update

Both our Netball and Football teams have been in action over the past two weeks. We have hosted our first home game to Highworth and been out to Brockhill, Wye and Folkestone Academy.

Results:

Y8 Football won 3-0 v Folkestone Academy

Y9 Football lost 2-6 v Wye

Y7 Football lost 1-7 v Brockhill

Y8 Netball won 6-1 v Highworth

Y9 Netball lost 26-3 v Highworth



Battlefields Residential

We are very excited for our first Year 9 Battlefields Trip which takes place next week (9th-11th October). Please be reminded that all students coming on the trip must meet at school on Thursday 9th October between 05:15 and 05:30. Please do not arrive before this as the gates will not be open. Students will need to bring plenty of layers and a waterproof jacket as we will be exploring the sites of the First World War. Students must also bring a **separate** bag containing their wellies or walking boots so that they are easily accessible to us on the coach. We hope the students have a fantastic trip and we look forward to launching this for next year's Year 9 cohort when we return.

Key Dates

Date	Event
Thursday 2 nd October	SEN Coffee Morning
Tuesday 7 th October	British Army Workshops - Year 9
Wednesday 15 th October	End of Term Open Evening – 5pm
Wednesday 29 th October	Start of Term 2
Tuesday 4 th November	Extra-Curricular Clubs Start
Friday 19 th December	End of Term 2 – Students finish at 12.15.

Kind regards

Jon Rutland
Principal