



# The Cathedral School

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Friday 9th July 2021

## Head Teacher's Message

Dear Parents,

Congratulations to Mrs Morecroft and the Eco Team for achieving the highest Eco award; this week we heard they had achieved the Green Award.

The children who took part in the Cook Off challenge against schools around the country and made the finals, did very well with the Upper School Team of Casper, Logan, Bella, Lily-Rose and Amelie-Rose coming second! Thank you Chefs and Mrs Truelove for taking over the teacher role.

Annabelle in Year 6 is the well-deserving recipient of one of my special awards which are given to children who have done something amazing or over and beyond the highest expectations. Well done Annabelle your kindness has been unmatched.

Next week, Year 6 will be undertaking the experiences they should have had this week: the Year 6 production, The Leavers' Service, High ropes and the Nuclear Bunker, Fossil Hunting at Walton-on the Naze, the Pilgrimage, the Buddies' party, their own party and Parkour before they reach the Awards ceremony.

However, the rest of the school has a production of Alice in Wonderland being streamed in and KS2 have a VCR curriculum experience in advance of our using this being integrated into our curriculum in the autumn.

Also we are expecting our running track to be put in early next week if the rain doesn't delay it again.

Although the Secretary of State has suggested we will not be in Bubbles in September, we have organised the school to ensure so that the staff and children have continuity and safety going forward, so we have the ability both to mix but pull back without major changes.

Most importantly, we will meet Health and Safety and avoid congestion by keeping a flow through a simplified staggered start and end to the day.

Christy	&	Marconi	Arrive 8.40am	Leave 3.10pm
Hoffman	&	Crompton	Arrive 8.50am	Leave 3.20pm

Up to Half Term (the first 6 weeks) we will continue to come to school in PE kit on PE days apart from EYFS who need to practice changing skills. We will review in line with guidance.

I hope this helps with forward planning.

You will have received your child's report. Please use the link to respond online. The link will close on 31<sup>st</sup> July.

Finally, apparently there is a major football match on Sunday! Year 6 will need to be ready to perform and can probably cope with a late night...everyone else, best to say we will make a "gentle" start to the day for the children and no comments will be made about timing on Monday.

With best wishes

Linda Wiskin

*Good Luck England!*



## Head Teacher's Award

**Congratulations to Annabelle K in receiving the Head Teacher's Award for kindness and high level empathy to others.**



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## Reading Books and a Bag!

As we reach the end of the academic year we want to let you know that this week is the last week we shall be sharing reading books at home. As soon as your child has completed their book please may it be handed back into the class teacher. We can then quarantine them and reorganize for next year. If you have any additional reading / school books at home, please send them back into school ASAP.

Also, please can you provide your child with a plastic bag or bag for life next week as we are aiming to send as many work books home to share the learning with you. We need to keep a selection of books for evidence and they will be given back to you the following year - if your child is chosen for that, the class teacher will let you know.

## Green Flag Award

The ECO team are delighted to share the news that we have once again achieved the 'Green Flag award'! Well done to the whole school community for working so hard, through what has been a challenging year. Keeping the agenda of 'climate change' at the forefront of our minds hasn't always been easy but children always seem to have a never-ending enthusiasm and passion for protecting our earth. A particular thank you to all the parents that have given up time this term to help in the Reflective Garden. Great work ECO team, I look forward to the next two years of work and achieving the third Green Flag in a row!

Amber - 'I was overjoyed that the school got the Green flag award once again. It means we are one of the most Eco-friendly schools in the country.'

Agastya - 'Let's keep our school the greenest. So reduce, recycle and reuse more often.'





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## Calendar Events

Jul

12

Year 6 production.

Sep

01

Non Pupil Day

Jul

12

Leavers Service .

Sep

02

New School Year

2021/2022 Autumn Term begins

Jul

13

Year 6 visit to the Nuclear Bunker followed by High Ropes .

[SCHOOL CALENDAR](#)

Jul

14

Year 6 Educational visit to the seaside .

Jul

15

KS2 Virtual Reality Workshops .

Y6 Pilgrimage with our Chaplain.

Jul

16

Y6 Parkour.

End of The Cathedral School Year 2020-2021.

### Next week CLUBS

Please note there will be no choirs for UKS2 or LKS2 on Tuesday or Thursday.

There will no Football club on Tuesday morning.

Hockey club is on Friday & will go ahead.

## Swimming Calendar

Year 6 Catch Up Swimming

(invited students only)

Jul

15



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## Weekly Special Achievement Awards

### EYFS

Poppy R

Edinson T

### Lower School

Mesika V

Owen H

Kai JB

Ella R

### Middle School

Daniel K

Juvan K

Juliet P

Ethan M

### Upper School

Ollie M

George B

All of Year 6

## Lunch Menu week commencing 12th July 2021

### THE CATHEDRAL SCHOOL

#### Week 1

MONDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> Pasta with Pepperoni Sauce Garlic Bread  Side Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> Pasta with Tomato Sauce Garlic Bread  Side Salad	<b>OPTION 3</b> Cold Tuna Pasta  Garlic Bread  Side Salad	<b>Dessert</b> Fruit Yoghurt  Fruit Bar
TUESDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> Hot Chicken Fajitas  Side Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> Quorn Fajitas  Side Salad	<b>OPTION 3</b> Cold Cheese & Carrot Wrap  Side Salad	<b>Dessert</b> Shortbread Fingers  Fruit Bar
WEDNESDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> Hot Dog (Butcher's sausages) Herby Diced Potatoes Carrots & sweetcorn	<b>OPTION 2</b> Quorn Dog  Herby Diced Potatoes Carrots & sweetcorn		<b>Dessert</b> Bakewell Sponge & Custard  Fruit Bar
THURSDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> Chicken Italian Served on a bed of rice  Side Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> Quorn Italian Served on a bed of rice  Side Salad	<b>OPTION 3</b> Cheese or Ham Filled Rolls  Side Salad	<b>Dessert</b> Mini Jam Doughnuts  Fruit Bar
FRIDAY	<b>OPTION 1</b> Fish Fingers Smiley Faces, Peas or Baked Beans Side Salad	<b>OPTION 2</b> Quorn Dippers Smiley Faces, Peas or Baked Beans Side Salad		<b>Dessert</b> Chocolate Artic Roll  Fruit Bar

Please remember to pre-order lunches on SCOPAY even if your child is bringing in a packed lunch from home.

Instructions can be found on our [website/parent's page](http://cathedralschool.co.uk/parent-parents-page) Many thanks.

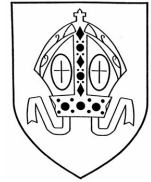


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Great Baddow  
High School  
Library



## Chatterbooks

Great Baddow High School Library

### Summer Chatterbooks Challenge

For our Summer Chatterbooks Challenge we would like you to either:

- A) Create an A4 page about the adventures a character from a book has been on, you could include train tickets, photos, articles etc; or
- B) Create a front page newspaper article about books that were written the year you were born.

We would love to see your work so please email it to [library@gbhs.co.uk](mailto:library@gbhs.co.uk) by Friday 3rd September.



Due to the inability to hold their usual Chatterbooks sessions for year 5s, Great Baddow Library has created two fun reading-related activities that the children can complete over the summer holiday. When they have completed a task they can take photographs and email them to [library@gbhs.co.uk](mailto:library@gbhs.co.uk).

In September and October, they intend to hold four sessions of Chatterbooks in their school library. More details will be sent out during the first week back in September. Please see the attached image for more information.



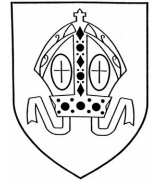


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## Bikeability Level 1, Level 1 & 2 , Level 3 , and Learn to ride courses (2nd, 3rd & 4th of August)

Moulsham Junior School



Essex County Council



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## What's on in Chelmsford?

**Chelmsford City Council** will be offering a wide range of 'Get in!' activity sessions for children and young people aged 3 to 16. Activities include:

- Athletics
- Canoeing
- Climbing
- Drama
- Dance

And More!

**Chelmsford City Council** Also offer Get In! Skills Clinics. Intensive, short courses designed to give children a solid foundation in a chosen sport. Available in locations around the city! Sports include:

- Swimming
- Archery
- Cycling
- Football
- Horse Riding
- Trampolining

And many more!

Choose between half a day and a full day 9am – 5pm between Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July and Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> September

[Click here to visit the Chelmsford City Council website](#) or Call 01245 606707

Summer SEND activities covering MID Essex (Chelmsford, Braintree, Maldon Districts and South Woodham Ferrers).



Join **Families InFocus** for **FUN** with a range of different activities every Saturday afternoon. They hold play activities for children with SEND with their sibling(s) and Parent / Carers.

- Session One: 3:00pm – 4:00pm
- Session Two: 4:30pm – 5:30pm

[Click here to visit Families InFocus' website](#)

**Jump Street** hold support sessions for children and adults over age 4 with additional needs, trampolining a fun way to enhance:

- Social interaction
- Co-ordination
- Self-esteem and confidence
- Physical and mental wellbeing

[Click here to visit Jump Street's website](#)



**Disability 4 Sport** offer something for everyone through their inclusive activities and they have a summer calendar of events.

[Click here to visit Disability4sport's website](#)



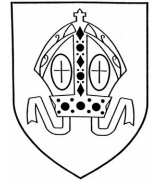


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**Saturday 10 July to Tuesday 31 August 2021**

**Join the Challenge in all Essex libraries!**

Dear Mum, Dad, Carer and Teacher

Here's the best way to keep your children motivated to read through the summer holidays, keeping up those hard earned skills and having fun finding their next favourite author! All free at your library.

This year Essex Libraries and The Reading Agency are excited to team up with the World Wildlife Fund for Nature for a very special nature themed challenge which will inspire you all to stand up for Earth. The World Wild Heroes are coming to a library near you this summer.

**Who are the Wild World Heroes?**

The Wild World Heroes live in Wilderville, which is a pretty cool place, but there are lots of things that the children like Faiza, David, Willow, Callum, Marcus and Carys can do to make their town even better for the people and animals who live there.

**How can children take part?**

Wild World Heroes runs from Saturday 10 July to Tuesday 31 August in all Essex libraries and mobile libraries. Children read six books over the summer holiday, helping the Wilderville children make a difference to the environment. They have a map of Wilderville and collect rewards on the way. When they have read six books, they receive a medal and a certificate.

**What books do children have to read?**

Children can read any library books of their choice; fiction, fact or information books, picture books to share with you and family, jokes or poetry; anything they enjoy.

The main challenge is for children aged three to twelve but there is a mini challenge for the under threes.

It's free to join the library and free of charge to take part in the Summer Reading Challenge.

Find a library near you: <https://libraries.essex.gov.uk/library-locations-and-opening-times/>



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