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**Friday 17th September 2021**

## Head Teacher's Message

Dear Parents

As the term moves on, our thoughts this week have been on Courage and Courageous Advocacy. Our Year 6's have been courageous making speeches and applying for roles and responsibilities across the school. I commend them all for the talent and abilities they have demonstrated, it has been encouraging and impressive to see their development and further potential.

Fortunately, no single group in the community had to make the decision as to who should have the public facing roles, it would have been an impossible task. Congratulations are due to .....

Matthew and Elsie our new Head Boy and Head Girl with Richie and Charlotte, their deputies.

Looking beyond Year 6, our partner Secondary schools are making visits to present to the children for secondary school applications in Year 7. However, we are a named feeder school for The Boswells School and they have asked to present to parents this will take place Friday 24th September 2:15pm.

A note about coming onto the school site.

In order to support parents required to isolate, but who are required to get their children to school, we are facilitating drop off from car to the reception. Please do not come on site if you have not arranged this with us. Our site is not suitable for parental drop off and we cannot manage safe travel up and down the drive with unauthorised cars on site.

In exciting news for the children singing in the KS2 choir, there is the opportunity to take part in The Barnardo's Young Supporters Concert at the Royal Albert Hall on 9<sup>th</sup> November. Information has gone out to parents who have children attending choir; we have 40 places, booked with optimism in July.

Kind regards

Linda Wiskin

## Calendar Events

Sep 21	Year 5/6 Visit Essex Cricket Ground
Sep 22	Swimming for Upper School
Sep 24	Boswells talk to Y6 Parents
Sep 27	Harvest Service 2:00 pm - 3:00 pm @ Cathedral
Sep 28	Meet the Teacher 6:00 pm - 6:55 pm
Sep 28	PTA AGM 7:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Sep 29	Swimming for Upper School
Oct 05	Athletics at Melbourne Stadium UKS2 Details to follow
Oct 06	Swimming for Upper School
Oct 11	School Immunisation Vaccine (TBC) Details to follow
Oct 12	School Photos (Individual)
Oct 13	Swimming for Upper School
Oct 20	Swimming for Upper School
Oct 25	Half Term
Nov 03	Swimming for Upper School
Nov 09	Barnardo's Young Supporter concert KS2 Choir
Nov 10	Swimming for Upper School
Nov 16	Middle School Trip Hyde Hall Details to follow
Nov 17	Middle School Trip Hyde Hall Details to follow
Nov 17	Swimming for Upper School

[SCHOOL CALENDAR](#)



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## Lunch Menu week commencing 20th September 2021

### THE CATHEDRAL SCHOOL

#### Week 1

<b>MONDAY</b>	<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
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<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
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<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
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<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
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<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](#)*



**Nut Free School** The school aims to protect children who have allergies to nuts, We do not allow nuts or nut products in school lunch boxes or in their snacks.

Thank you for co-operation.

Please note that now some restriction have been lifted we are happy to reinstate the happy tradition of pupils bringing in sweets/treats to be shared with their class on their birthdays. Sweets will be handed out by the class teachers as the pupils leave and will only be consumed off school site with parental permission.



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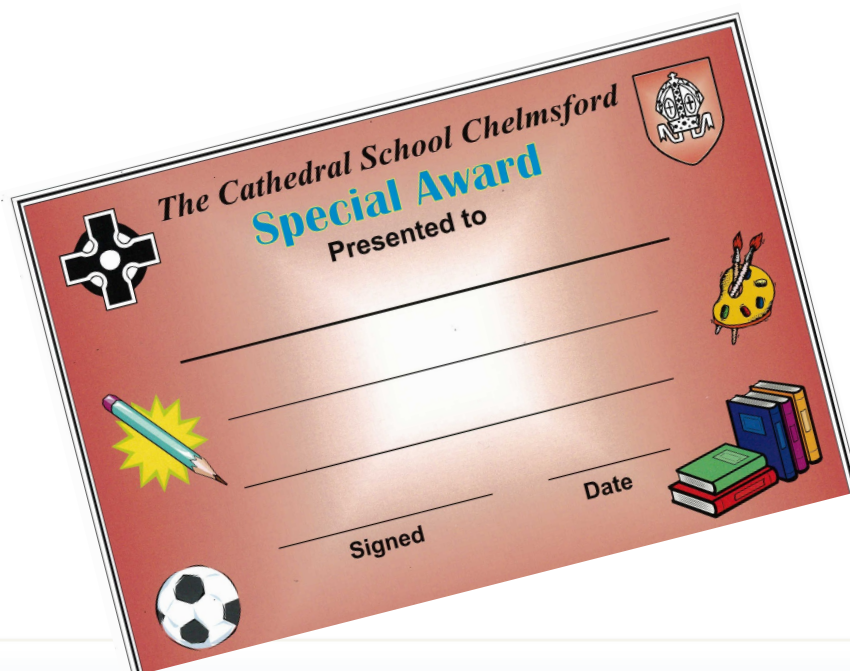
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## Weekly Special Achievement Awards



### EYFS

William M

Zayn N

### Lower School

Tommy S

Fox W

James W

### Middle School

Olivia A

Oliver B

Janelle

### Upper School

Charvik P

Cornélius BW

Eleanor L

As we now celebrate these in assembly on a Friday photos will no longer be uploaded to Tapestry



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## Prospective New Parent School Tours

### Pupils Due to Start Reception September 2022

School visits for next years' intake into EYFS are limited to 6 people at a time and will take place on the following dates :

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 9am

Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> September 11am

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> September 9am

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> October 11am

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> October 9am

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> October 11am

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> October 9am

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> October 11am

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October 9am

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November 11am

Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> November 9am

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> November 11am

Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> November 9am

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> November 11am

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> November 9am

Tours should last approximately 45mins

Please contact the school office to book an appointment.

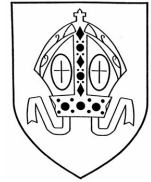


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## Job Vacancies at The Cathedral School

### Job Description Midday Assistant

We are seeking two candidates to join our happy and hardworking team of Midday Assistants who enhance the children's lunchtime experience and support the high standards of behaviour in our school.

Working up to 5 days per week (1hr 15mins per day)

Please visit [Essex Schools Jobs for Further Information/Application Form](#)

### Job Description After School Club Assistant

An exciting opportunity exists to join the school team of our After School Club. The role is to work with the Club manager to support children in a variety of activities from 3.15 to 6pm two or three afternoons per week.

Please visit [Essex Schools Jobs for Further Information/Application Form](#)

### Job Description Breakfast Club Assistant

The opportunity exists to gain skills and experience in a childcare setting two or three mornings per week from 7.40 to 8.55am

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*The school works closely with Renew Counselling service, we are supporting Renew with one of their colleagues in this year's London marathon.*

*Hopefully they will be able to raise much needed funds to ensure they can continue to provide affordable counselling to children, young people and Adults in their Centres in Chelmsford and Basildon.*



## Olli Markwell London Marathon 2021



### RAISING MONEY TO KEEP COUNSELLING AFFORDABLE FOR ALL

#### My story

I have been given the opportunity to run the London Marathon on behalf of Renew Counselling. They are a charity that provide support for peoples' mental well-being.

The reason I am choosing to run for Renew is because there is an ever-increasing demand for mental health services, and Renew provide a service for those that can't afford the standard rate or can't get the support they need from NHS services.

**PLEASE SUPPORT OLLI – ANY MONEY RAISED WILL GO TOWARDS SUPPORTING COUNSELLING**

To donate

Visit: [Virgin Money Giving | london marathon 2021](https://www.virginmoneygiving.com/london-marathon-2021)