

QUEEN ELIZABETH II

21st April 1926 – 8th September 2022



Following the announcement of the death of Queen Elizabeth II, as a school community we would like to express our sincere condolences to His Majesty the King and to the rest of the Royal Family at this sad and difficult time.

There is now an official period of national mourning leading up to the state funeral, which is expected to be in around 10 days time. During this time, the school will remain open as usual and we will continue with our planned activities. All students are expected to attend school as normal. The Department for Education and the Local Authority will issue guidance in due course about the arrangements for the funeral and any consequent impact on schools.

For most members of the school community, the late Queen has been a constant throughout our lives and we recognise this is a very significant moment for the country. Over the course of the next few days we will take time with the children to reflect on and remember her service through her remarkable 70 years reign.



Charville Academy Weekly Newsletter

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Friday 9th September 2022



Welcome back to all the children and a particular welcome to the children that have started Reception this week. We look forward to welcoming the Nursery children back during the next week. We also welcome families that are new to Charville and look forward to getting to know you all as the term goes on.

We would like to welcome Miss Gudaal to Year 1 as part of our teaching team.

Congratulations to Mrs Said who had a baby boy in August. Both mummy and baby are well.

Congratulations to Mr Smith who got married in the summer holidays.

We are an
Enhanced Values
Based School



DEDICATION

This week was an opportunity to reintroduce the children to the values of Independence and Dedication, which are the values for September.

Independence is explained as:

Trying new things on your own.

Dedication is explained as:

Giving lots of time and energy to something that is important.

We also spoke to the children about behaviour expectations for the new year and we will be holding a parent/carer coffee morning and we will keep you updated of the date.

Specialist Resource Provision at Charville Academy Consultation.

We are planning to open a Specialist Resource Provision (SRP) for up to 16 children with an EHCP and autism.

The provision will be built on what was the main school's Year 1 corridor and we will keep you updated.

The full consultation is now open and closes at 12 noon on 3rd October. This has been emailed to all families and is available on our website, which explains how to respond.

<https://www.charvilleacademy.org/page/?title=Specialist+Resource+Provision+%28SRP%29&pid=235>



Improving children's
mental health

We are very pleased to confirm that this year we will be working with Place 2 Be.

Place to Be is a children's mental health charity with over 25 years of working with families and schools to support the mental health of children and young people.

Our Place 2 Be lead practitioner is a trained counsellor, Mrs Tina Castello and will be working as part of the staff team on Tuesdays and Wednesdays to support a number of children.

You will soon all receive a letter outlining the work that will be undertaken in school as well as the wider workings of the charity.

If you would like further information or access to resources that support children's mental health, this is available on their website:

<https://www.place2be.org.uk>

MACMILLAN
CANCER SUPPORT

WORLD'S BIGGEST COFFEE MORNING

On Tuesday 27th September we will be holding a coffee morning in the Lower Hall at 9am support of MacMillan Cancer Support.

It would be great to see as many of you as possible for this fundraiser and during the coffee morning there will be information given based on school priorities for this academic year.

It will also be an opportunity to gather your views on what is working well and what we could do to improve further.

We are asking for donations of cakes and biscuits to be sent into school on Monday 26th September and we will be selling these at the coffee morning. If we have any donations left we will hold a cake sale at the end of the school day.

SCHOOL UNIFORM



It has been great to see the children back in school in their fresh new uniforms. We would like to take this opportunity to remind you that our uniform is as follows:

Charville jumper or cardigan (available from our website)

Charville Tie (elastic for Reception and KS1/ clip on for KS2 and available on our website)

White shirt (not polo t-shirt)

Black A Line knee length skirt, black pinafore, black trousers or black shorts.

White socks or black tights

Black school shoes

Black or green hijabs

Black or green hair accessories and no large hair bows

Stud earrings only

PE KIT: Plain black shorts / black leggings, plain white round neck t-shirt, plain black tracksuit and plimsolls or trainers.

PLEASE NOTE:

No summer dresses, no black trainers or boots to be worn instead of school shoes, no nail varnish and only jewellery of religious significance. No SMART watches.

We are acutely aware of the current cost of living crisis and the impact this is having on families. We are looking to set up a stock of second-hand uniform so please donate any clean, reusable uniform items you are no longer making use of to main reception. Thank You.

LETTERS / EMAILS HOME THIS WEEK

- ❖ *Year 3 – Elizabethan Class letter*
- ❖ *Clubs letter Autumn Term – Reception to Year 6*
- ❖ *Secondary Transfer letter – Year 6*
- ❖ *Swimming letter – Year 5 & 6*
- ❖ *Home Learning Policy*

Please check the website on a regular basis for school events as this is regularly

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Collection at the end of the day

If you child is being collected by a different adult at the end of the day please let us know before 2:30pm so that there is sufficient time to ensure the message gets to the class teacher. Please be aware that if the adult is not known to the staff we will need to be made aware of who they are.

Pop Up Pool

We are excited to say that from the 19th September- 14th October we will have a pop-up pool on site.

This will be used for the statutory national curriculum swimming programme.

A letter was issued on Monday to all Year 5 and Year 6 families so please ensure you have read the letter and your child has the right kit.



Drop Off and Collection Points



We have three entry and exit gates for both drop off and collection of children in Years 1-6. All children from Nursery and Reception must entry through the Early Years gate on Bury Avenue. Below is listed the closest entry and exit point for your child and we ask that this is the gate that you use:

Years 1, 2, 5 and 6 via the Community Centre car park gate

Years 3 and 4 via the Children Centre gate.

Children entering through the Langdale gate will need to make their way to the nearest corridor door.

Safety in the Community Centre Car Park

Please do not use the Community Centre car park as a “drop and go turning circle” as this is creating a hazard for pedestrians and those trying to park.

Please use of the designated parking bays to park your vehicle, escort your child to the gate and then return to your vehicle. Please only park in the bays as parking elsewhere is also causing congestion.

Attendance

A huge thank you to all of our parents and carers who have ensured that their child is on time and in, every day. We are really pleased with most of the attendance at the start of term and the children are settling well into the new routines, classes and year groups. Our aim is for attendance to be above 95%, every day and we are pleased with the number of classes who are achieving this in the first week of the academic year. Well done!

Tiger Class	96.38%	
Giraffe Class	96.55%	
Green Class	98.40%	😊
Blue Class	94.81%	
Purple Class	90.74%	
Violet Class	96.00%	
Elizabethan Class	99.23%	😊
Victorian Class	99.20%	😊
Celtic Class	98.18%	😊
Tudor Class	96.67%	
Stuart Class	95%	
Saxon Class	95.86%	
Roman Class	96.55%	
York Class	99.31%	😊
Georgian Class	95.33%	

- Green - Expected Attendance – 98% and above
- Amber - Working towards Expected Attendance - above 96% and below 98%
- Red - Below Expected Attendance – below 96%

Congratulations to the following class whose attendance is above 99% for the week ending Friday 19th September 2022.

York Class –99.31%
Victorian Class – 99.20%

CURRICULUM BOOKS / HOME LEARNING LETTERS

The curriculum booklets for the autumn term and the Home Learning Policy are on the website. Please follow the links to access them:-

<https://www.charvilleacademy.org/page/?title=Curriculum+Booklets&pid=124&action=saved>

<https://www.charvilleacademy.org/page/?title=Home+Learning&pid=125>

