



# Charville Academy Weekly Newsletter

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September 2023



On Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September we welcomed the children back to school and it was wonderful to see them all after the summer break.

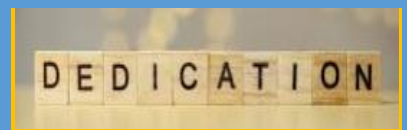
I would like to welcome all children who have started Nursery and Reception this year and we look forward to working with you as your children grow and develop.

We also welcomed a number of children to different year groups and we look forward to getting to know you all.

We have welcomed Miss Patel to Reception, Miss Murray to Year 5 and Mrs Woodstock to Year 6.

Mrs Kelly

We are an  
Enhanced Values  
Based School



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.



Work to build our new Specialist Resource Provision (SRP) for children with an Education Health Care Plan (EHCP) and Autism (ASD) is well underway.

At this stage the building works are on track and we thank you for your patience as we appreciate that we have had to adjust access to parts of the school site.

Admissions to the SRP are managed by the Special Needs Team at the local Authority and not through central admissions.

We hope to have the build complete by the end of November and the SRP should be open to the children that have been given a place by January 2024.

If you have questions regarding the works please speak to a senior member of staff.

## SCHOOL UNIFORM



It has been great to see the children back in school in their fresh new uniforms.

We have noticed that a number of children are not wearing their school tie. If you require a tie please order through our website. In addition, we have noticed that some children are wearing white polo shirts or T-shirts rather than white shirts. Our uniform policy states that children need to wear white shirts.

We are acutely aware of the impact of the cost of living crisis on families and have a range of good quality second hand uniform available through our PTA. However, we do not have a stock of ties. Each class will have a supply of ties and if your child arrives without one they will be lent one for the day which must be returned at the end of the day.

If you prefer to purchase new uniform please go online to our website where there is a link to the supplier. Please do not come to main reception as we carry very little stock.

## 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.

## *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>



## Values Ambassadors Independence & Dedication

Well done to the children who were awarded the ambassador certificate on Monday.

- Anastasia - 1G
- Kaia - 1L
- Huda - 2N
- Adelle - 2NG
- Eva - 3HU
- Stanley - 3HA
- Angelica - 4MA
- Jasmine - 4MO
- Alan - 5R
- Arjun - 5M
- Vinny - 5D
- Ilyas - 6B
- Summer - 6C

### Collection at the end of the day

If your 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.

### Starting Secondary School in September 2024

Year 6 parents and carers will have all received a letter regarding secondary schools for September 2024.

The deadline for completing your secondary school application form is 31<sup>st</sup> October. If you need any support please contact Mrs Khan, our Pastoral Lead.

Please note that we are not able to recommend or comment on any of the secondary schools and can only support with how to apply.

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### 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.

If the car park is full please park elsewhere.

## School Communications

Communication between home and school is very important. We communicate in a number of ways so please ensure your contact details are up to date. |

If you contact school via email, Dojo or by phone we will aim to respond within 2 working days.

We ask that notice is given in advance if any documentation is required from us. We need to have at least two working days to provide what you need.

Data protection subject access requests (SAR) are responded to within statutory timescales (normally one month) - contact [dpo@charvilleacademy.org](mailto:dpo@charvilleacademy.org)

### LETTERS / EMAILS HOME THIS WEEK

- ❖ Autumn term clubs letter and leaflet – Year 1 to Year 6
- ❖ Autumn term instrumental letter – Year 1 to 6
- ❖ Cinema trip letter – Year 1
- ❖ Verulamium trip letter – Year 3
- ❖ Windsor Castle Trip letter – Year 2
- ❖ Reception Baseline Assessment information letter – Reception
- ❖ Rosedale Open Evening letter – Year 6
- ❖ Starting Secondary School presentation – Year 6
- ❖ RAAC (Concrete) letter – Nursery to Year 6

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