



HEADLINE NEWS

The half term is flying by and it is hard to believe that we only have two more full weeks left of this academic year. This is the penultimate update before the summer break and, having seen their excited faces in school recently, we are starting to get excited to be welcome our new intake in September!

Scores on the doors 2019

Now that we're nearing the end of the school year we'd like to share with you some figures about how the Y6 pupils have performed over the course of their time at Cheadle Heath. As a school, no pupils who were absent or not included in the tests / assessments; this matches the national average where so few are absent or not included that the average is 0%, so we've not included this data in the tables. **Pupils on the special educational needs register and those requiring extra intervention to support learning are all included in the figures so it is incorrect to say pupils who have not met the expected standard in reading cannot read, or that those who have not met the expected standard in writing cannot write etc.** There is a spectrum of attainment among pupils who do not meet the expected standard, with some coming close and others further away.

Headline news this year is that **in all areas** we performed significantly above the national average in all areas in terms of **progress** – that is, from the end of KS1 (Y2) starting point. This is testament to the hard work and focussed, tightly planned teaching and bespoke interventions that the pupils have received during their time in KS2. Thank you for giving the children such encouragement and supporting them through the assessment period, we are proud of them all.

Y6 (44 pupils) END OF KS2 % AT EACH LEVEL		Pupils achieving the expected standard		Average scaled score	
		School	National Provisional	School	Stockport Provisional
READING	Met expected	77%	75%	104.5	104
	Greater depth	27%			
WRITING	Met expected	77%	78%	104.1	
	Greater depth	18%			
MATHS	Met expected	84%	79%	105	105
	Greater depth	18%			
SPAG (GRAMMAR)	Met expected	82%	78%		106
	Greater depth	23%			
READING, WRITING, MATHS (RWM) COMBINED 2019 These are the pupils who reached national standard in reading, writing and maths				School	National
				68%	65%

Classes for September 2019

We will be sharing information about your child's new class on Wednesday 17th July in advance of open evening and in advance of the moving up afternoon on Monday 22nd July. Two year groups (Year 4 and 5) will be forming new classes and becoming three mixed Y5/6 classes. We have done this for a variety of reasons and staff have worked hard to keep the classes well balanced.

It's in the news!

[Ofsted chief: pupils' wellbeing at risk as sport is squeezed out of schools](#)

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Pre loved uniform

On Wednesday 17th July, we will be holding a pre loved / pre worn / 2nd hand / lost property uniform giveaway in the hall. We have a large collection of sweatshirts, cardigans, shorts, trousers and skirts so come along and take a peek.

Reminders ...

- Some children are being collected after our 3.15pm finish time. Although we appreciate that occasionally you may be unavoidably delayed, for some children they are regularly late being collected from school. Please ensure you are ready to collect your child on time.
- The only jewellery allowed in school are stud earrings and a basic watch. Please do not allow your children to come to school with smart watches, necklaces or hoop/drop earrings etc.
- Children are not to bring any balls into school to play with at break times. Unsuitable balls are being brought in which are causing accidents and injuries. We provide equipment for children to play with so there is no necessity to bring additional items in with you.
- Children are NOT to play on the tyres or Foundation Stage outdoor equipment such as before or after school. Likewise, the picnic tables on the playground should not be climbed on as they are used for eating and working. We are asking parents to take children off the playground as soon as they are collected after school so that any after school activities can start promptly within a safe environment.

eSafety reminders: TikTok

TikTok has been hitting the headlines again recently and there have been a lot of concerns regarding TikTok over the last few months which, given the popularity of the app, that's no surprise. The latest concern is where children are being exploited to part with cash or 'digital gifts'. This is not just due to the owners of the app but is more to do with the 'influencers' using the app and exploiting their fans. For example, a 12 year old gifted £48.99 to show her appreciation of his videos. Influencers can also ask for gifts in turn for their phone number to talk - and don't pick up! TikTok has said it will strengthen its policies and guidelines but in the meantime please be vigilant! You can read more [here](#).

Change of date!

You may well have heard in the news that a decision has been made to change the May Bank Holiday from Monday 4th May to Friday 8th May 2020 in honour of VE day. Therefore school will be OPEN on Monday 4th May and any unexplained absence will be unauthorised. We will be holding a whole school celebration to mark the VE day celebrations during the week of the 4th. More details will follow next year.

Free Art Trail

Stockport Council have been working in partnership with local businesses and schools to create an art trail around the town. The idea is to locate 19 giant frogs which are dotted about the town. Each frog has a letter which has to be put into a phrase and a prize can be won. You can find out more by visiting www.stockportgiantleap.co.uk It is a great opportunity to get out and about in Stockport and have a free, fun day out. Please email or tweet (@CHPSchool) any photos of the frogs you discover.

Summer Library Challenge

Last week the children heard the librarian from Edgeley Library reveal the details of this year's Summer Reading Challenge. For those of you new to the challenge, the idea is to keep our children in the reading habit through the holidays. The theme of the challenge this year is an out-of-this-world adventure celebrating the 50th anniversary of the first moon landing. This is what you have to do:

- Sign up for the challenge at your local library
- Collect your special mission folder to keep a record of reading
- Read at least six library books and collect stickers and rewards
- Receive a certificate when finished and a special award in assembly.

Bookmarks were sent home last week with the Reading Challenge information or you can visit spacechase.org.uk to find out more.

End of year reports

Annual reports will be distributed on Friday. Well done to all our pupils on their effort & hard work this year; it has been a pleasure reading so many positive teacher comments. We ask you to add your comments and bring them to the Open Evening on Thursday 18th July between 4.30 – 6pm where we will make a photocopy for our records and return to you. For pupils in Y1 – 6 we have identified teacher assessment, progress and attitudes to learning (effort) on the reports. We would expect most children to make **expected progress** but progress does not relate to their **attainment** so please read the codes so you can interpret the report accurately. Children in Year 6 received their SATs results, a 'raw score' and a 'scaled score' for each subject.

At 6pm, at the end of the Open Evening, we are holding our end of year KS2 music concert when children who have been learning a musical instrument, will perform in the school hall. No tickets are needed for this event.

Baby news

Congratulations to Miss Vallance (Reception) on the birth of her son, Ezra, who was born on Friday 5th July weighing 7lb 2oz. We send the family lots of love and many congratulations.

Best wishes,

Christine Meekley & the staff at CHPS

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Summer Term 2019 diary dates

Please put these dates in your diary! Any additions, changes or amendments are indicated in red so that they are easy to identify.

Date	Event	Who for
Easter Holidays: Monday 8th April – Monday 22nd April		
Thursday 11 th July	End of year D – I – S – C – O!	
Friday 12 th July	Year 6 market day (linked to £10 business enterprise)	Everyone
Friday 12 th July	Years 1 – 5 reports out	
Friday 12 th July	Year 3 visit to Edgeley library	Y3 pupils
Monday 15 th July	Governing Board: Full Governors summer term meeting @ 4pm	Governors
Tuesday 16 th July	Selected musicians to RNCM	
Wednesday 17 th July	Pre loved uniform giveaway	
Wednesday 17 th July	Cheadle Heath Voice Meeting 9 – 10am. Focus: Poverty Proofing the School Day	All welcome
Wednesday 17 th July	Children informed of classes for next academic year	
Thursday 18 th July	Open Evening 4.30 – 6pm followed by summer concert at 6pm	
Monday 22 nd July	Moving Up session	
Wednesday 24 th July	EYFS Teddy Bears Picnic and Activity Day with parents: 11.30am – 2pm	
Thursday 25 th July	Leavers Assembly @ 9.10am	
Friday 26 th July	Schools out for summer. Finish at 2pm	All pupils
29 th July & 30 th July	INSET 4 / 5: Staff only in school	Staff only

School Terms & Holidays

These calendar dates can also be found on our website [here](#).

Term dates 2019 – 20

	School starts on the morning of:	School finishes at the end of the day on:
Autumn 1	Tuesday 3 rd September 2019	Thursday 17 th October 2019
Autumn 2	Monday 28 th October 2019	Friday 20 th December 2019 at 2pm
Spring 1	Tuesday 7 th January 2020	Friday 14 th February 2020
Spring 2	Monday 24 th February 2020	Friday 3 rd April 2020 at 2pm
Summer 1	Monday 20 th April 2020	Thursday 21 st May 2020
Summer 2	Monday 8 th June 2020	Friday 24 th July 2020 at 2pm
INSET days	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Monday 2nd September 2019 Friday 18th October 2019 Monday 6th January 2020 Friday 22nd May 2020 Monday 27th July 2020 	