



CAPENHURST CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

# NEWSLETTER

9th February 2026

*'Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see.' Hebrews 11:1*

*Christian Value - Faith*



A polite reminder about the wearing of correct school uniform. On Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursday, children are expected to wear the correct school uniform, including shoes. There has been an increase in the wearing of trainers on these days, some as a short-term measure to address specific reasons but this is not always the case. Please use the half term break to ensure that all children have the correct uniform, including footwear, for the correct days when we return after the break.

If you have any queries or questions, please raise them via email to [contact@capenhurstcep.cheshire.sch.uk](mailto:contact@capenhurstcep.cheshire.sch.uk)  
Mrs Green

## Celebrations!

### **Stars of the week**

C1 – Morena for her great improvements in reading.

C2 – Connie for always trying her very best in everything she does.

C3 – Elise for demonstrating fantastic maths whilst adding and subtracting across a 10 and 100.

C4 – Ella for writing a character description that included expanded noun phrases and relative clauses.

**Infant cup** - Frankie for always trying to include everyone in play in the classroom.

**Junior cup** - Joshua for consistently following our golden rules and for being a great friend to all.

Chester FC tickets - Jake for being a kind and caring friend to everyone.

The winning house was AIR! Congratulations to everyone in Air for their teamwork in earning the most house points during last week.



## Dates and events - a few things for the calendar!

**Tuesday 3rd Feb - Class 3 Swimming; coach leaves school at 9am!**

**Wednesday 11th Feb - Year 3 Family Lunch**

**Thursday 12th Feb - Class 4 Farm Visit**

**Monday 16th - Friday 20th Feb - School closed for half term break**

**Monday 23rd Feb - INSET day (school closed for pupils)**

Wednesday 25th Feb - Parents' Evening, 4-7pm (please see ParentMail for further details)

Thursday 26th Feb - Early Help Parent Drop-In Session, 8.30-9.30am in the outdoor classroom (see overleaf)

Thursday 26th Feb - Parents' Evening 4-7pm (please see ParentMail for further details)

Wednesday 4th - Friday 6th March - KS2 Conway Centre residential

Wednesday 11th March - Year 2 Family Lunch

Thursday 12th March - Class 1 Farm Visit

Monday 16th March - KS1 Dance Festival - further details will follow closer to the time

Thursday 19th March - Class 2 Farm Visit

Tuesday 24th March - STEM Workshop for Class 4

Wednesday 25th March - Year 1 Family Lunch

Thursday 26th March - Class 3 Farm Visit

Friday 27th March - Fundraising Bunny Hop for The Hospice (further details will follow closer to the time)

Wednesday 1st April - Class 4 Farm Visit

Wednesday 1st April - School closes at 3.15pm for Easter and the Spring Break

Monday 20th April - School reopens at 8.40am for the Summer Term

There will be more details sent home for the events as they become available and closer to taking place. Other dates will be added as they are set in the diary.

## Holiday requests

Thank you to those families who have followed our attendance policy and completed holiday request forms when taking their child out of school for a holiday. It is much appreciated and helps with record keeping and knowing where children are when they are not in school. Please ensure you submit your request form as soon as possible after booking a holiday so that school can respond in a timely manner. Thank you for your cooperation with this matter.

Our school Attendance Policy can be found on our website [here](#).



## In worship this week...

...we have been thinking about the importance of faith and trust. The shared story during worship talked about taking a leap of faith from a place of danger to a place of safety. In the story it was a physical leap but often, in life, it can be an emotional leap. People of faith place their trust in God and regularly take a leap of faith in reaching out and knowing that He will be there when they need Him. At school, we place our faith in our Christian vision knowing that we are here to nurture and nourish each other, something invaluable in an increasingly challenging world.

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## Swimming Lessons for Class 3

Swimming lessons continue for children in Class 3 on Tuesdays this term. The remaining payment of £33 towards the coach is due on or before Tuesday 24th February. Thank you.

## Selfless Shelves supporting the West Cheshire Foodbank - **All in, bring a tin!**

We think that Capenhurst is a welcoming community that includes everyone irrespective of race, gender or religion. The 'Selfless Shelves' is a project where children can earn a token as a reward for a good deed in school. This token can then be exchanged for a food item from the 'Selfless Shelves' which can then be placed in the Foodbank. Everyone is encouraged to bring items for the shelves - the children see this as a 'Circle of Kindness'. **We encourage families to help out by bringing in things for the Selfless Shelves. All in, bring a tin!**

The Foodbank will then use these items to support local families struggling to provide food for themselves. We will continue to support the West Cheshire Foodbank in our traditional way and food items can be brought in and placed on the 'Selfless Shelves' or directly into the collection box. The Foodbank is particularly in need of **jam, cuppa soup, pasta in sauce (microwave), long life juice and custard.**



## Parent drop-in with Mental Health Support Team, Early Help Navigators and ChAPS (Cheshire Autism Practical Support)

On Thursday 26th February 2026, the above services are holding a parent drop-in session in the outdoor classroom from 8.30 to 9.30am. This is an opportunity for any parent to speak with any of the service representatives about the support available from each of them. You are strongly encouraged to make the most of this opportunity to speak with these professionals and see what support is out there for you, your children and family.

## Friends of Capenhurst Facebook Page

Just a reminder, and for our new families, that Friends of Capenhurst has a Facebook page, '**Friends of Capenhurst School (PTA)**'. This is a closed group for **current parents/carers only**; please request to join the group if you have not already done so, answer the security questions, and you will be added. **Requests made without answering the security questions will be declined automatically.** The group provides fundraising updates and general school reminders.

## Birthday Celebrations

The following children celebrate a birthday this week: (9th - 15th Feb)

None



## X (Twitter)

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**@CapenhurstCEPS**

