

9nd October 2020



Dear Chagford families,

Thank you for the very generous harvest offerings. I took this photo on Wednesday morning and by Friday we had almost double this amount, including an enormous pumpkin!



The food has been boxed up and will be taken to the Okehampton Food Bank.

Parent / Teacher Meetings

If you have not signed up for a meeting with your child's class teacher, please do contact us. This is a ten minute phone call to discuss how they are getting on at home and at school, share learning targets and talk about anything else you wish to raise.

Bingo

Save the date for Lucy Loveday's Virtual Bingo [on the 23rd October at 8.30pm](#)

Welfare Support Fund

Please have a look at this link. You may be eligible for financial support

The COVID-19 Welfare Support Fund can provide small emergency payments to help with basic essentials including: household essentials such as sanitary products or nappies or electricity key and gas card top ups, etc. to help people in financial difficulties. The fund is not available for the purchase of food where a food parcel is available. The fund is available if:

- They run their own business, and cannot currently trade, or their business has been drastically reduced because of the pandemic.
- Their employment situation has changed and their income now no longer covers needs.
- They have lost their job due to the coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak.
- They have still not received expected government funding (i.e self-employed).

If you are a resident and have been affected financially by coronavirus (COVID-19), and can demonstrate a need for immediate short-term financial help, you can apply for a grant by clicking the button below and your application will be considered.

Please be aware that repeat applications will not be considered other than in exceptional circumstances

https://www.devon.gov.uk/coronavirus-advice-in-devon/document/grant-and-funding-support/#indiv_fam

Parents and School Leaders Forum

Following the parents and school leaders meeting on 10th September, we will have a follow up meeting on Tuesday 10th November at 6pm. This will be held online – more details to follow.

Don't forget to look at the website for school information, including class blogs (we are learning how to add pictures!) <https://www.chagford-primarieschool.org/>

We also now have a Facebook page, search Chagford School and it will come up.

Wishing you all a very happy weekend

All the very best

Tara Penny

Head of School