

# Barthol Chapel School



## Welcome Back

Welcome back to the new session. We hope you all had an enjoyable summer! We would like to say a big welcome to our new P1's and their families. James, Seth, Niah, Noah, Duncan and Libby confidently started this morning and already are settling into the swing of things. The school roll is currently 32 pupils.

## Uniforms

It is wonderful to see so many children wearing our uniform. We will continue with our uniform swap shop this session. We would be grateful if you could donate any old uniforms to the school. The swap shop will be available to view during our coffee afternoons or by contacting the school to arrange a convenient time.

## School Attendance

We are continually working hard to ensure our attendance rate at Barthol Chapel School is good. Please remember to contact the school before 9:30am to notify us if your child is to be absent.

If your child's end of day arrangements (collected by an adult or on school bus) are to change, please remember to contact the school so we are aware of this change. This will ensure your child is in the correct line when leaving the school building. Thank you for your cooperation with this.

## Term Dates for Session 2019/20

Please find attached a school calendar for next session. These dates are subject to change. Should any alteration be made, you will be advised through the school.

<http://bartholchapel.aberdeenshire.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/School-Calendar-2019-2020.pdf>

## School Improvement Plan

A copy of our School Improvement Plan and Standards and Quality Report can be found on our School Website. This document outlines the priorities the school will be addressing this session. I will provide an update on progress throughout the session.

<http://bartholchapel.aberdeenshire.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/Standards-Quality-Report-and-School-Improvement-Plan-MASTER.pdf>

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## School Website

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## Tempest Photos

Tempest Photography will be at Barthol Chapel School on Tuesday 24th September to take individual/family photos. If you would like your child/ren to have their photo with a sibling who is not a pupil at Barthol Chapel School, please inform the school office and we will be able to accommodate this.

## Data Check Forms

We will be issuing our annual data check forms in the coming weeks to allow you to check that the details we hold in school are up to date. Please take the time to complete these forms and return to the school as soon as possible. To see how we handle and use your information, please refer to the Whole School Privacy Notice in the link below.

<http://bartholchapel.aberdeenshire.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/Privacy-Notice-Whole-School-1.pdf>

## Open Evening

We are holding an Open Evening on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> October from 6pm – 7pm. This is a reporting opportunity where you will have the chance to explore your children's work this term. We encourage the children to come along so they can lead their learning and show you all the different things they have been involved in. Mr Anderson, Mrs Macdonald and Mrs Rodgers will be available on the evening to share what has been happening this term.

## PGDE Student Teacher

We will shortly be welcoming Mr Craig McCutcheon to Barthol Chapel School from the University of Aberdeen. Mr McCutcheon will be based at Barthol Chapel School for his school experience as part of his training to become a Primary School Teacher. I am sure he will have a fantastic experience in our wonderful school.

## Garioch Recorders

Mrs Steed will return to Barthol Chapel School to provide recorder tuition. The day and time have changed to a Monday afternoon. The first lesson will start on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> August.

## Medicine in School

If your child requires medication during the school day, we require a completed **Request for School to Administer Medication** form. We cannot administer any medication, including pain relief medication, without a completed form. We now also need **medicine to be in its original packaging**, with the **pharmacy dispensing label still attached** if your child is on prescription medication.

<http://bartholchapel.aberdeenshire.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/Request-for-School-to-Administer-Medication.pdf>

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