

High Aspirations
Strong Relationships
Exceptional Experiences

THE CHURCHILL SCHOOL



PROSPECTUS

The ART of Being Our Best
Adaptability
Resilience
Togetherness





Welcome to **The Churchill School**

Choosing the right primary school is one of the most important decisions you will make for your child, and we are delighted that you are considering The Churchill School.

At The Churchill School, we believe every child deserves an education that inspires them to achieve their very best. We combine high aspirations with genuine care, creating a school where children feel valued, challenged and supported to flourish.

Everything we do is guided by our values of Adaptability, Resilience and Togetherness. These values shape our curriculum, our relationships and the opportunities we provide every child.

We have high aspirations for every pupil, whatever their starting point. Through excellent teaching, meaningful experiences and strong partnerships with families, we prepare children not only for success during their primary years but also for a confident transition to secondary school and beyond.

We are incredibly proud of our school community and look forward to welcoming you and your family to #teamchurchill.

Mrs Zoe Stone

Headteacher





Why Families Choose The Churchill School

At The Churchill School, we believe childhood should be filled with curiosity, challenge, friendship and opportunity.

We are proud to be a school where every child is known as an individual and encouraged to achieve their full potential.

Our experienced staff build strong relationships with children and families, creating a welcoming environment where everyone feels they belong.

Alongside our ambitious curriculum, children benefit from exceptional experiences that help them develop confidence, independence and resilience. From the classroom to the playground, from educational visits to leadership opportunities, every aspect of school life has been carefully designed to help children thrive.

We are proud of our strong academic outcomes, our caring ethos and the many opportunities that enrich children's lives every day.

At The Churchill School, children don't simply attend school.

They become part of a community.



*Every child is known
Every child is valued
Every child can succeed*



The ART of Being Our Best

Everything we do at The Churchill School is built upon three simple values that prepare our children not only for success in school, but for life beyond it.



Adaptability

We encourage children to embrace new challenges, think creatively and approach change with confidence. By learning to adapt, our pupils become resourceful problem-solvers who are ready to thrive in an ever-changing world.



Resilience

We believe mistakes are an essential part of learning. Children are encouraged to persevere, reflect and keep striving to improve, developing the confidence and determination needed to overcome challenges.



Togetherness

Strong relationships are at the heart of The Churchill School. We foster kindness, empathy, respect and teamwork, ensuring every child feels safe, included and proud to belong to our school community.

Together, these values shape our culture, inspire our learning and help every child become the very best version of themselves.

The ART of Being Our Best is more than our vision — it is the way we learn, grow and succeed together.



High Aspirations

At The Churchill School, we believe every child deserves an ambitious education.

Our carefully planned curriculum is designed to inspire curiosity, develop deep knowledge and prepare children for lifelong success. Learning is carefully sequenced so that children build understanding over time, enabling them to know more, remember more and apply their learning with confidence.

Excellent teaching, high expectations and a love of learning underpin everything we do. We encourage children to think critically, ask questions, solve problems and take pride in their achievements.

From the very start of their journey with us, children thrive. Our Early Years children consistently achieve a Good Level of Development (GLD) above the national average, giving them a strong foundation for future learning. As children move through the school, this success continues. We are proud that our phonics outcomes are consistently above the national average, and that around half of our Year 6 pupils secure places at grammar schools, with many others joining their preferred secondary school. Most importantly, every child leaves The Churchill School confident, resilient and fully prepared for the next stage of their education, ensuring all of our pupils are ready for secondary school.

Most importantly, we believe success looks different for every child. Whatever their starting point, we work in partnership with families to ensure every pupil leaves The Churchill School with the knowledge, confidence and character to flourish at the next stage of their education.

The Churchill School at a Glance



- ★ High aspirations for every child
- ★ Ambitious, knowledge-rich curriculum
- ★ Early Years children consistently achieve a Good Level of Development (GLD) above the national average
- ★ Phonics outcomes consistently above the national average
- ★ Around 40% of Year 6 pupils move on to grammar schools
- ★ Preparing children for a successful transition to secondary school and beyond



The ART of Playing

Play is an essential part of childhood and an important part of learning.

At The Churchill School, we are proud to be an OPAL (Outdoor Play and Learning) Platinum School, placing us in the top 1% of schools worldwide for the quality of our outdoor play provision. This prestigious recognition reflects our commitment to providing every child with high-quality outdoor play every day.

Our playground and large field have been carefully developed to provide rich opportunities for children to explore, imagine, create and collaborate. Whether building dens, performing on our outdoor stage, creating imaginary worlds, investigating nature, riding scooters or solving problems together, children develop skills that support learning in every classroom.

Through play, our children learn to:

- Communicate effectively
- Work collaboratively
- Solve problems creatively
- Take managed risks
- Build resilience
- Develop confidence
- Show leadership
- Make lasting friendships



At The Churchill School, play isn't separate from learning—it is an essential part of it, helping children become confident, capable and resilient learners who are ready to succeed both in school and beyond.

Childhood should be filled with curiosity, creativity and adventure.
We believe every child deserves the opportunity to experience all three.

Every child is known
Every child is supported
Every child belongs



Strong Relationships

Children achieve their very best when they feel safe, valued and supported.

Strong relationships are at the heart of everything we do at The Churchill School. Our dedicated staff take the time to know every child as an individual, building trust, encouraging confidence and celebrating success.

We believe that every child should feel that they belong.

Working closely with parents and carers, we create a caring and inclusive environment where children feel happy, confident and ready to learn.

Whether celebrating achievements, supporting children through challenges or simply greeting every child with a smile each morning, relationships are what make The Churchill School such a special place.

Supporting Every Child

Every child follows their own unique journey.

Our experienced staff work closely with families and external professionals to ensure that every pupil receives the support, encouragement and challenge they need to flourish.

Alongside excellent teaching, we provide:

- Pastoral support
- SEND provision
- Family support
- Wellbeing support
- Breakfast and After School Club
- School dog sessions
- Nurture and intervention programmes



When children feel happy, they are ready to learn.



Together We Are #teamchurchill

The Churchill School is more than a school—it is a community.

We are incredibly proud of the partnerships we have built with our families, local businesses and the wider community. Together, we create opportunities that enrich children's lives and make our school a truly special place to learn.

Our commitment to working in partnership with parents has been recognised through achieving the Parentkind Gold Award, celebrating the strong relationships, communication and collaboration we have with our families. Parents are valued partners in their child's education, and we believe that by working together we can help every child achieve their very best.

Our OPAL journey has been transformed through the generosity of families, volunteers and local organisations. Donations of loose parts, toys, waterproof clothing, wellies and everyday resources help us provide exciting opportunities for imaginative play every day.

Community volunteers have helped us create inspiring outdoor spaces, while local businesses continue to support projects that enhance our playground and wider learning environment. Every contribution—large or small—helps make a lasting difference, enabling our children to thrive both inside and outside the classroom.

How You Can Help

We are always grateful for donations of:



Toys and role-play resources
Wellies

Waterproof clothing

Loose parts



Plants and gardening equipment

Sports equipment

Skills and volunteer time

Together, we are #teamchurchill





Preparing Children for Life

Our aim is simple.

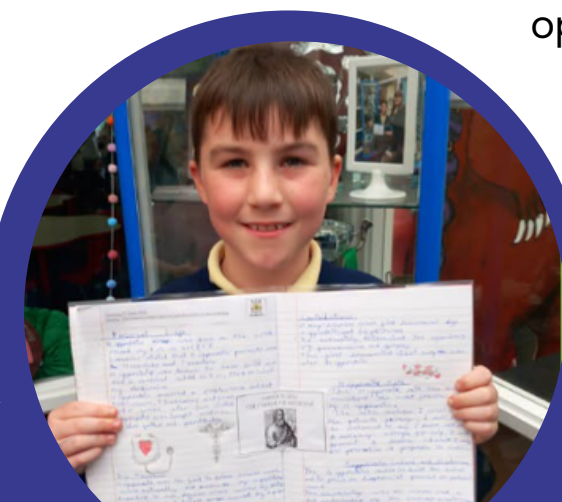
We want every child to leave The Churchill School as a confident, resilient and respectful young person who is ready for the next stage of their education and prepared for life beyond primary school.

Through our ambitious curriculum, exceptional experiences and strong relationships, children develop the knowledge, skills and character they need to thrive.

By the time they leave The Churchill School, our pupils have developed:

- Confidence
- Independence
- Leadership
- Creativity
- Resilience
- Curiosity
- Respect
- A lifelong love of learning

These qualities prepare them not only for secondary school but for the exciting opportunities that lie ahead.





Meet Team Churchill

Behind every successful school is a dedicated team of teachers, teaching assistants, office staff, site staff and support professionals who work together every day to ensure every child thrives.



Mrs Zoe Stone
Headteacher



Mrs Sarah Weaver
Deputy Headteacher



Mrs Jodie Wilson
SENCO



Mrs Karen Abbott
Family & Child Inclusion



Mrs Gail Clifton
Office Manager



Mrs Sharon West
Admissions & Attendance



Winston
Bear



Iski
School Dog

Supporting Families

- ✓ Breakfast Club from **7:30am**
- ✓ After School Club until **6:00pm**
- ✓ Freshly prepared school lunches
- ✓ Wraparound care with familiar staff
- ✓ Online booking and payment



Life at The Churchill School

Uniform

Uniform can be purchased from Channel Uniforms in Folkestone or from www.supreme-sports.co.uk

Winter

- Wellies and waterproof clothing – waterproof trousers/puddle suit
- Grey trousers/skirt + black or grey tights
- Yellow polo shirt
- Navy sweatshirt/fleece/cardigan with school logo
- All black shoes with black soles



Summer

- Grey shorts/skirt
- Any coloured -unbranded
- Polo shirt/gingham dress
- Navy sweatshirt/fleece/ cardigan with school logo
- All black shoes with black soles

PE

- Tracksuit – navy/black only
- White Polo
- No big logos
- Trainers



Classes



EYFS – Red & Ruby Class



Year 1 – Orange & Amber Class



Year 2 – Yellow & Gold Class



Year 3 – Green & Emerald Class



Year 4 – Blue & Sapphire Class



Year 5 – Indigo & Jet Class



Year 6 – Violet & Amethyst Class



We'd Love to Welcome You

The best way to experience The Churchill School is to visit us.

Come and see our classrooms in action.

Explore our wonderful grounds.

Watch our children learning.

Experience our exceptional play provision.

Meet our dedicated staff.

Feel the warm, welcoming atmosphere that makes The Churchill School such a special place.

We would be delighted to show you around and answer any questions you may have.

**We look forward to welcoming your family to
#teamchurchill.**

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'The love and care and time you give to every individual child is incredible!' 'They treat my daughter amazingly and are so lovely to her and she always comes home with a smile on her face. Couldn't be happier with all the help and support she gets at school.' – Year R Parent

