

CHESSWOOD JUNIOR SCHOOL

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Open Evening 2020

Dear Parent,

On behalf of the Chesswood School Community I would like to extend a warm invitation to our 'Open Evening' virtual event for Year 2 families. On Wednesday 11th November, we will host the following:

Open Evening Virtual Event

Wednesday 11th November 5:30p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Please note – this is a suggested schedule to help you make the most of what is on offer. The website will be accessible to all from 5:30p.m. The only 'live' portion of the evening is the Q+A with the head teacher from 7:30p.m.

5:30 – 6:15 p.m. - School Tours, Learning Demonstrations & Games: Parents are invited to take a virtual tour of the school. Whilst this isn't quite the same as being here in person, the safety of our community is our priority and so we have put together a number of videos which show you what Chesswood school and site is like. Our videos are narrated by our School Ambassadors (eloquent chatty children!) from a range of year groups. These promise to be far more entertaining than any narrated by adults! To help you get a flavour of what life is like at Chesswood when it is in full swing, we also have videos from each year group – following the day in the life of a child at Chesswood.

Parents and children will have the opportunity to experience different aspects of the Chesswood Junior Curriculum and Life in Y3. There will be videos for learning in Y3 & a number of subjects across the school including computing, PE, science, music, DT and maths. In addition, children will be signposted to some fun online, interactive activities which they may wish to sample!

6:15 – 6:30 p.m. – Frequently Asked Questions: You and your child may have already submitted questions, which you will find answered in our frequently asked questions documents on the open events page. Please do familiarise yourself with this as we want you to make as informed a choice as possible about your child's schooling and we have received some particularly pertinent questions.

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https://www.chesswood.w-sussex.sch.uk/page/?title=Autumn+Open+Events+%28November%29&pid=183

6:30 – 7:30 p.m. Formal Presentation: The Head Teacher will share key information about the ethos; achievement; learning and teaching; the curriculum; behaviour; outcomes for children; and what children and parents think of the school.

7:30 – 8:00 p.m. Q+A with Mr Jolley (Head Teacher): There will be an opportunity for parents to ask me general questions that may still exist after reading the school brochure and listening to the



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online presentation before the open evening closes at 8:00 p.m. I hope to answer any questions that may arise on the evening but may need to check some detail and respond in the days after the event in relation to any question I am not able to answer with confidence on the evening.

Please pre-book following this link to be able to participate in the Q+A:

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/chesswood-junior-school-open-evening-ga-tickets-126055781235



Further Information:

Visit the Chesswood website www.chesswood.w-sussex.sch.uk to view a wide range of information available to our school community. The document we would ask all prospective parents to read is our school brochure, it provides the single best overview to life at Chesswood Junior School.

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https://www.chesswood.w-

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- Having read the school brochure families are welcome to explore our website in more detail, the curriculum area within the learning section provides a great guide to the learning experience your child can expect when they join Chesswood Junior School.
- You may also follow us on Twitter @chesswoodschool or Facebook.
 We very much look forward to 'welcoming' you to Chesswood on Wednesday 11th November.

Yours sincerely,

Judren Jolling