

News from school...

We have had a very busy few weeks in school in the run up to the summer holidays.

Last week we ran a great induction day for year 6 students. They seemed very much at home here, largely due to the fantastic attendance at transition club over the last few weeks

Following that on Tuesday evening we had a successful drama showcase, allowing our year 10 drama students to show off their performance skills to an audience. We will be advertising tickets to our annual school musical early next term, keep your eyes peeled for details in the new school year.

For the first time in a while, the High Peak weather was reasonable enough (just) for us to run sports day as advertised. All the events were completed with some great athletic performances from students. The result is a closely guarded secret until the last day of term!

Over the last two weeks our year 10 students have been participating in a variety of Post-16 activities and visits, they have now joined their year 11 tutor groups and will spend time over the next half term perfecting their personal statements for their college applications. If your year 10 child would now like a follow up appointment with our Careers Advisor, please get in touch with Mrs Brannelly at gbrannelly@chapelhigh.org.uk

We're looking forward to...

We are all most definitely looking forward to the summer holidays.

School trips

We are offering two school trips to London next year.

The drama department are offering a trip, including seeing a West End show. This trip is open only to members of drama club and those who are taking drama as a GCSE. Written details of this trip are available from Mrs Bramwell.

The English department are offering a trip to see a Shakespeare play at the Globe Theatre. A letter with details of this trip has been e-mailed to you separately.

Students will only be able to go on one of the trips.

See the written details of each trip for details of how to secure a place.

Remember school finishes at 2pm on Friday 19th July.

Some families may be interested in some holiday courses that the local Whitehall centre is running. Please see the attached flier for details.

Making school work...

The school term starts again on **Thursday 5th September** for all year groups.

If you are buying new uniform for your child over the holiday, please take a moment to remind yourself of our uniform policy, which can be found [here](#).

Dates for your diary...

- Friday 19th July School closes at **2pm** for the summer holiday
- Thursday 5th September School opens for all pupils

Best wishes,

**Simon Grieves,
Headteacher**