

CHAFYN CHALLENGES

Each child at Chafyn Grove is encouraged to enjoy challenge. We have enshrined this in our 'Chafyn Challenges' – a series of tasks designed to help the children immerse themselves in our core values, learning who they can be in the process. The following is from the booklet which records their progress:

When George Mallory was asked why (on earth) he wanted to climb Everest, he memorably replied: 'Because it's there.'

The unspoken challenge of an unattained feat was urgent enough to draw him into an extraordinary feat of endeavour. That spirit, to be intrigued by possibility and impelled to see where that might lead, is at the heart of everything good at Chafyn Grove.

The enjoyment of challenge on its own, however, is not enough. Our motto challenges us to be mindful of how our actions affect others. Therefore, Compassion should be exercised alongside Courage and Curiosity.

These Chafyn Challenges are constructed to help you get the most out of school. The virtues they are built upon are our school colours. The completion of all of them by the time you leave will be a remarkable achievement, but each one tackled is a worthwhile step towards the summit.

I hope that you enjoy these challenges, they will help you to face others.

THE CHAFYN CHALLENGES



	CURIOSITY	COURAGE	COMPASSION			
Α	Visit Salisbury Cathedral*	Swim outdoors in October	Say 'Hello' and your name in Sign Language			
	Visit Stonehenge*	Swim in a river, lake and sea*	Learn 10 phrases in sign language			
	Climb the cathedral spire*	Swim a length under water & tow someone	Learn the alphabet in sign language			
		back				
В	Sew on a button	Run the school Cross-Country	Look after caterpillars until they're			
	Weave a friendship bracelet	Run to Paradise (Laverstock Downs rope swings)	butterflies*			
	Knit ExpedTed a scarf	Run 3 miles	Look after somebody else's pet for a week*			
			Look after younger children for an hour*			
С	C Make a paper boat Feature in a match report		Review an Away match tea			
	Make a napkin animal	Feature in a match report	Help clear up match tea			
	Fly a kite you've made	Feature in a match report	Help serve Parents' match tea			
D	Type a story	Camp out*	Raise funds and awareness for charity*			
	Touch-type at 10 words per minute	Camp out in a shelter*	Raise funds and awareness for charity*			
	Touch-type at 20 words per minute	Camp out in a shelter you've built*	Raise funds and awareness for charity*			
Е	Tie a bowline	Climb a tree*	Cheer up someone who's unhappy			
	Tie a bowline one-handed	Complete the Chafyn ropes course	Cheer up someone who's ill			
	Tie a bow-tie	Go abseiling*	Help someone stop being unhappy			
F	Ride a bike	Perform a solo / write & read match report	Get a 10 merit certificate*			
	Put the chain back on a bicycle	Perform a solo / write & read match report	Get a 10 merit certificate*			
	Repair a puncture	Perform a solo / write & read match report	Get a 10 merit certificate*			
G	Light a fire you've made	Be in a play				
	Light a fire with one match	Be in a play	Haggle at a French market*			
	Light a fire without a match	Be in a play				
Н	Play conkers	Memorise a poem and read to class	Help clear up Sunday lunch*			
	Identify all the trees at Chafyn Grove	Memorise a poem and read to class	Help prepare Sunday lunch*			
	Identify all the trees at CG by their leaves	Memorise a poem and read to class	Cook or clear up Sunday lunch*			
- 1	Pass Mr. Lewis's OS map test	Navigate a car/minibus journey without SatNav	Pick up litter			
	Know how to use a map and compass	Navigate with a map and compass on foot*	Help with lost property			
	Use the sun as a compass	Plan and lead a walk*	Help with recycling			
J	Learn basic phrases in a new language	Treat a nosebleed	Write a good letter			
	Learn basic phrases in a language not taught	Know how to do CPR	Write a good letter			
	here	Know how to use a defibrillator	Write a good letter			
	Learn phrases in 2 languages not taught here	- "				
K	Help with a DIY task at home	Talk about your interests	Live the School motto			
	Complete a DT project successfully at school	Talk about something in the News	Live the School motto			
	Complete your own DIY/DT task	Write a letter to a newspaper or MP	Live the School motto			
L	Complete a route in the Reading passport	Try something new	Be good company at the table			
	Complete a continent in the Reading passport	See a difficulty through	Be good company at the table			
D 4	Complete 2 continents in the Reading passport	Turn a weakness into a strength	Be good company at the table			
M	Buy and prepare a meal from supermarket	Ask for help	Clean the car*			
	Buy and prepare a meal from the market	Help someone to ask for help	Clean the car – inside and out*			
N.	Buy and prepare meals for a week.	Talk to class about asking for help	Do the laundry and ironing for a week*			
N	Join a choir	Overcome a fear	Help in the garden*			
	Perform and help at a concert	Ask for help with a fear	Eat something you've grown* Mow the lawn or weed for a month*			
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0		Sleepover Try boarding for a night*				
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P	OWN CHOICE	Try boarding for more than a night* OWN CHOICE	OWN CHOICE			
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	OWIN CHOICE	OWIN CHOICE	OWIN CHOICE			

CRUNCHY						
Q) Light a fire using only wood and string*	R) Run 10k for charity*	S) Swim a mile*	T) Cook <u>and</u> clear up Sunday lunch*	U) Climb a mountain*	AA) Project*	
V) Volunteer your free time to help others*	W) Catch, prepare and cook a fish*	X) Navigate with the stars*	Y) Give First aid to someone in need*	Z) Deliver a lamb*	BB) OWN CHOICE*	

Crunchy challenges can be used to supplement any list and count as 2 each.

Bronze = 30 Silver = 40 Gold = 50

CHAFYN 'MINI' CHALLENGES (PRE-PREP)

Chafyn Challenges are a way to be more creative, be more curious and be more courageous.

In Pre-Prep we have some mini challenges for you to have a go at and as you move into the Prep school, there are even more!

In the Early Years you can earn your bronze award for completing all the challenges. In Year 1 you have a chance to be rewarded with a silver award and as the challenges become a little more difficult in Year 2, a gold award is on offer.

Life is full of challenges!

Are you up for a challenge?

USE YOUR HANDS	USE YOUR HEART	USE YOUR HEAD			
(Doing)	(Being Kind)	(Being Curious)			
EARLY YEARS - BRONZE					
Hold a knife and fork properly	Say 'hello' in 3 languages	Learn a song			
Blow your own nose	Cheer someone up who's unhappy	Memorise a poem			
Take part in a play	Raise money for charity	Know the date of your birthday			
To zip up own coat	Be good company at the table	Attend a free session in After School Club			
Make some jewellery	Be awarded 2 golden leaves	Find out about something and tell us			
Get yourself dressed	Help someone who needs it	Count to 20			
YEAR 1 - SILVER					
Take part in a play	Receive 2 golden leaves	Talk to the class			
Swim in the sea	Raise money for charity	Know what the school motto means			
Camp out in a tent/shelter	Say 'My name is' in 3 languages	Memorise a poem			
Hold your knife and fork properly	Help someone out of school	Have a sleep over			
Eat something you've grown	Look after a new child or a visitor to the	Make a phone call			
	school				
Sew and stitch	Write and send a thank you note	Know your home phone number			
YEAR 2 – GOLD					
Knit something	Perform a solo	Know your address			
Ride a bike without stabilisers	Raise money for charity	Write and memorise own poem			
Wash a car	Have a short conversation in another	Sleep in a tent			
	language				
Type up a story	Help a child to matron	Tell the class about a story from the news			
Tie your shoe laces	Receive 2 golden leaves	Find out about the area you live in			
Learning sign-language	Help someone outside of the school	Ask questions in class			
	community				