



CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY



WEEKLY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER – Friday 16th October 2026

FATHER HUDSON

This week, we were delighted to welcome Adele from Father Hudson's Caritas to Christ the King. Children from Reception to Year 6 took part in a thoughtful and engaging assembly focused on the important issue of homelessness.

Following the assembly, pupils in Years 3 to 6 participated in a workshop where they explored the challenges faced by people experiencing homelessness and discussed how we can show compassion, kindness and support to those in need. The sessions encouraged our children to reflect on Catholic Social Teaching and the importance of human dignity, helping them to understand how small acts of kindness can make a big difference in the lives of others. We would like to thank Adele for her inspiring visit and for helping our pupils deepen their understanding of this important topic.

SCHOOL MASS

All children will attend whole school Mass
Tuesday 20th October at 9:30am

The readings will be led by children in
Year 3 and Year 4



SUNDAY MASS



Sunday 8th November at 9am
Readings will be led by children
in Year 5

Children in Years 2 – 6 are welcome
to join staff in the choir loft.

Non-Uniform & Crazy Hair Day
Friday 23rd October

We are encouraging all children to wear non-uniform and get creative with their hair for a fun day at school!

£1 per child please

We are raising money for **Father Hudson's Appeal**

All money raised will support Father Hudson's Appeal and the important work it helps to fund.

OUR MISSION THIS WEEK

MISSION
WHEN HEAVEN TOUCHES EARTH

"Your Mark 10 Mission is to invite someone to go to Mass with you. If you go to Mass each week, invite someone who doesn't. If you rarely go to Mass, ask an adult if they can take you."

MARK 10 MISSION



Happy Birthday to

Oliver B	Roman S
Stevie C	Spencer E
Heidi W-D	Isaac G
George B	Vandora U
Zakary E	Tommy W
	Derry P





PARENTS' REMINDER!

WINTER UNIFORM AFTER OCTOBER HALF TERM



From Autumn Term 2 until Easter,
all children must wear CTK winter uniform.

ALL PUPILS IN RECEPTION – YEAR 6:

**WHITE SHIRT +
CTK SCHOOL TIE**



Plain navy jumper, cardigan
or tank top.



Charcoal-grey trousers, skirt,
pinafore or culottes.



Sensible black leather school shoes
(no trainers or boots).



Please label all uniform and keep
shirts tucked in.



NURSERY:

There is no change to Nursery uniform.
Children continue to wear the CTK Nursery
jumper or cardigan with the school logo.



Thank you for your support!





CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

EXTRA CURRICULAR CLUBS



DIARY DATES FOR AUTUMN TERM 2026



Westhill Road Site	Scots Lane Site
Monday 19 October	Monday 19 October
	8:00am – 8.40am Blooket Club 3.30pm – 4.30pm Blooket Club 3.30pm – 4.30pm Cooking club ~~3.30pm – 4.15pm Hi 5~~ no training due match 3:30pm – 4.30pm Young Voices Choir
Tuesday 20 October	Tuesday 20 October
3.15pm – 4.15pm Chill Out Club	8:00am– 8:45am Yr 3/4 Tennis Club ~~3.30pm – 4.30pm Boys Football~~ no training due to fixture
Wednesday 21 October	Wednesday 21 October
3:15 pm– 4:15pm Language Club	8:00am– 8:45am Yr 5/6 Tennis Club 12:30pm - Swimming Class 12 3.30pm – 4.30pm Girls football club 3.30pm – 4.30pm Chat Club
Thursday 22 October	Thursday 22 October
	~~3.30pm – 4.30pm Girls Football team training Y5&6~~ no training due to conflicting fixture
Friday 23 October	Friday 23 October
	3.30pm – 4.30pm Boys football club





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IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE TERM AHEAD



October 2026

Monday 19th October – Young Voices to sing at Care Home

Monday 19th – Tuesday 20th October - Bikeability for Class 12 pupils

Wednesday 21st – Thursday 22nd October - Bikeability for Class 11 pupils

Thursday 22nd October – Year 3 Dance show at 2:15pm

Thursday 22nd October – PTA Disco – Please refer to the email

Friday 23rd October - Non-Uniform Day – Crazy Hair Day – Donate £1 to Father Hudsons please

Friday 23rd October - Last day of half term

November 2026

Monday 2nd November – Friday 6th November – Year 6 pupils at Dol-y-Moch.

Monday 2nd November – Reception – Year 5 Nasal Flu Vaccination

Friday 6th November– Remembrance Service in church at 2pm. Tea/ Coffee served in WHR hall until 3:15pm

Monday 9th November – Year 6 Nasal Flu Vaccination

Thursday 12th November – PTA Movies and Munchies Event – more information to follow

Friday 13th November - Year 6 Coventry Cathedral visit.

Friday 13th November - Year 4 – Yellow Fish Workshop day in school

Monday 16th November - Individual and Sibling photo day

Wednesday 18th November – Student Chaplaincy Meeting at Bishop Ullathorne 12pm - 2pm

Thursday 19th November – Year 3 parent meeting in church 6pm

Friday 20th November – Reception Family Faith Day

Please see PE days for Autumn term two!

CLASS PE TIMETABLE Autumn TERM Two- 2026		
CHILDREN ARE TO WEAR THEIR PE KIT TO SCHOOL ON THE DAY OF THEIR LESSON.		
Monday Year 4	Tuesday Year 6	Wednesday - Nursery - Year 5 (Class 12 swimming)
Thursday - Year 1 – Dance with Ricky - Year 2 - Year 3 - Year 6 – Dance with Ricky	Friday - Reception - Year 3 - Year 4 - Year 5	CTK PE Uniform - CTK Navy Sports T-shirt - Navy / black sport shorts (not tight/ cycling shorts or leggings please) - CTK Hoodie or Navy/ black plain tracksuit (No branded sports labels please such as Nike or Adidas) - Sports trainers (not converse/fashion trainers please)



Christ the King
Catholic Primary School
Part of Holy Cross Catholic MAC

We have a vacancy for a cleaner role. Please visit our school website for more information.

EDV/2026/CKCPS/78486

Located in Coventry, Christ the King Catholic School is a warm and caring two-form entry primary school committed to providing an excellent, Christ-centred education for all. We are proud of our...

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🕒 Fixed Term/Term Time Only | Part-Time

£ £24,796.00 Annually (FTE)



PRAYER SERVICES AND FAMILY FAITH DAYS

Dear Parents/Carers,

Following the positive feedback, we are delighted to be able to continue offering Family Faith Days and Class Prayer Services this year.

Prayer Services: Each class will prepare and lead a prayer service which parents/carers will be invited to. These will be held in classrooms for an intimate window into prayer and liturgy at Christ the King Catholic Primary School. Prayer Services will begin at 9:00 and will last between 20-30 minutes. We ask that only one parent/carer attends per child due to space restraints in our classrooms.

Family Faith Days: Each year group will gather in the school hall, where parents/carers will be invited to learn alongside their children. Each year group will spend a short time learning a little bit of information around a certain area of our faith or liturgical season, they will then work with their parents/carers to complete a craft activity linked to the learning. Family Faith Days will begin at 9:00am and finish at approximately 10am. We ask that only one parent/carer attends per child. We can't wait to share these fantastic experiences with you all!

Year Group	Prayer Service 9:00am start	Family Faith Day 9:00am start
Nursery		Friday 23 rd April 2027
Reception		Friday 20 th November 2026
Year 1	Wednesday 24 th March 2027	Friday 18 th June 2027
Year 2	Thursday 11 th February 2027	Friday 9 th October 2026
Year 3	Friday 26 th February 2027	Friday 15 th January 2027
Year 4	Thursday 15 th October 2026	Friday 5 th February 2027
Year 5	Tuesday 2 nd March 2027	Friday 2 nd October 2026
Year 6	Friday 11 th December 2026	Friday 11 th June 2027

Please note, these dates are subject to change, but we will do our best to stick to them. Communication will be sent in good time if the dates do need to be changed.





SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION



Year 3 - First Holy Communion

Thursday 19 th November at 6pm	Parents meeting on Prayer in church
Sunday 22 nd November	Year 3 Mass at 9am (Children receive Rosary Beads)
Thursday 4 th February at 6pm	Parents meeting on Word of God in church
Sunday 7 th February	Year 3 Mass at 9am (Children receive Red Bibles)
Thursday 25 th February at 6pm	Parents meeting on Reconciliation
Thursday 4 th March at 6pm	First Confession for children, parents and staff
Thursday 15 th April at 6pm	Parents meeting First Holy Communion
Saturday 8 th May	First Holy Communion (class 7 :10am & class 8 :12noon)
Sunday 9 th May at 12noon	Crowning of our Lady in church

Year 6- Confirmation

Thursday 28 th January at 6pm	Parents meeting in church
Thursday 22 nd April 6pm	Parents meeting in church
Sunday 31 st January 9am	Year 6 Commitment Mass in church
Thursday 27 th May at 6pm	Parents meeting in church
Saturday 19 th June	Confirmation (class 13 :10am & class 14 :12noon)





YEAR GROUP FAMILY MASSES AT CTK

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are delighted to share that this academic year with support from Father Tom, we are continuing Year Group Masses as part of our commitment to deepening the Catholic life of our school and parish community.

These Masses are a special opportunity for children and their families to come together in worship, play an active role in the spiritual life of the school, and strengthen their connection with our parish. As you have chosen for your child to be a part of the CTK community, we warmly invite and encourage you to attend these Masses with your child, as your presence and participation as a family are a valued part of your child's faith journey.

For children in Year 3 and Year 6, their Year Group Masses are linked to their Sacramental Preparation.

Please find below the schedule of Year Group Masses which will all take place at
Christ the King Church at 9am Mass.

We truly appreciate your support in helping your child attend and participate in these Masses. Together, we can continue to nurture a strong, faith-filled community here at Christ the King.

Date	Year Group
Sunday 22 nd November	Year 3 - Sacramental preparation Children making their FHC must attend please.
Sunday 22 nd November	Year 1
Sunday 24 th January	Year 2
Sunday 31 st January	Year 6 - Sacramental preparation Children making their Confirmation must attend please.
Sunday 7 th February	Year 3 - Sacramental preparation Children making their FHC must attend please.
Sunday 25 th April	Year 4
Sunday 13 th June	Year 5
Sunday 12 th July	Nursery





CTK PTA

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HALLOWEEN DISCO

Westhill road site

Thursday 22nd October 2026

Nursery and Reception
3.30pm - 4.30pm

£5 per ticket - Includes a drink, sweets and a halloween glow gift

Booking closes Friday 16th October 2026
christthekingpta@gmail.com

CTK PTA

HALLOWEEN DISCO

Westhill road site

Thursday 22nd October 2026

Year 1, 2 and 3 - 5pm - 6pm
Year 4, 5 and 6 - 6.30 - 7.30pm

Additional items will be sold on tuck shop and Halloween loot stall. Cash only

Booking closes Friday 16th October 2026
christthekingpta@gmail.com

Thank you for supporting our next event.

Children in Year 1 – Year 6 will receive their disco tickets closer to the event.

Nursery and Reception – Staff will be given a list from the PTA of who is attending the event.



Upcoming Enrichment Days at Christ the King Autumn Term 2026

We're excited to announce our upcoming enrichment days, where children will take part in a carousel of engaging, hands-on activities in small groups. These will focus on

- Forest School and Gardening,
- Cooking and Nutrition, and
- Art Skills.

Forest School and Enrichment Day Planner

Autumn Term 2026

Please note – dates may be subject to change

When?	Who?
Friday 4 th September 2026	Class 13
Friday 11 th September 2026	PTA Colour Run
Friday 18 th September 2026	Class 14
Friday 25 th September 2026	Class 10
Friday 2 nd October 2026	Class 9
Friday 9 th October 2026	Class 12
Friday 16 th October 2026	Class 11
Friday 23 rd October 2026	Class 7
HALF TERM	
Friday 6 th November 2026	Class 8
Friday 13 th November 2026	Class 5 and 6
Friday 20 th November 2026	Class 3 and Class 4
Friday 27 th November 2026	Advent Day
Friday 4 th December 2026	PTA Christmas FUN Day in school
Friday 11 th December 2026	Class 13 and 14
Friday 18 th December 2026	Last Day of Term
SCHOOL HOLIDAY	

Children should come to school in their usual school uniform, but we kindly ask that they bring a change of clothes suitable for outdoor activities.

This could include:

- Wellies or old trainers (that you don't mind getting muddy)
- Old trousers or jogging bottoms
- Waterproof clothing, if available

Your child's class teacher will be in touch closer to the time to let you know if any specific clothing or items are needed for their group's activities.

We're really looking forward to these enrichment days – they're a fantastic opportunity for children to explore new skills, enjoy creative learning, and make lasting memories.

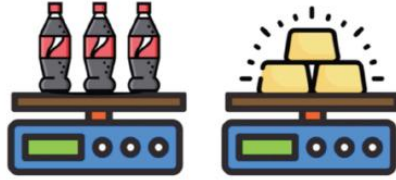
Thank you for your continued support!





Maths at CTK!

MATHS PUZZLE OF THE WEEK



Which weighs more:
sixteen ounces of soda or a pound of solid gold?

Answer from last week =
A decimal point



Congratulations to:
Class 6
44% of pupils are in
the green zone!



Your Top Doodling Classes this week!



DOODLE MATHS MOST STARS EARNED THIS WEEK

Class 1 – Coming soon ☺
Class 2 – Coming soon ☺
Class 3 – Angelene
Class 4 – Dolly
Class 5 – Nellie
Class 6 – Liam
Class 7 – Rosie-Lee
Class 8 – Kenzo
Class 9 – Edward
Class 10 – Charlie
Class 11 – Harriet
Class 12 – Cole
Class 13 – Andre
Class 14 – Jack

TIMES TABLE ROCK STARS (TTRS) MOST IMPROVED PLAYERS OF THE WEEK

Class 7 – Billy-John
Class 8 – Liam
Class 9 – Reggie
Class 10 – Emily G
Class 11 – Zakary
Class 12 – Moses
Class 13 – Arthur
Class 14 – Lauren



These children now
have a trophy which
they can proudly
display on their desk
at school for the
week!





SAFEGUARDING AT CTK

Healthy Smiles at Home and at School

We support the government's oral health programme and are committed to helping our children develop healthy habits for life.

Brush Twice a Day

- ✓ Brush in the morning and before bed.
- ✓ Use a fluoride toothpaste (pea-sized amount).
- ✓ Brush for 2 minutes.
- ✓ Try to spit, not rinse, to keep the fluoride working.



Choose Healthy Drinks



Water and milk help keep teeth healthy and strong and are the best drinks for children.



Avoid squash and fizzy drinks

These drinks are high in sugar, which can cause tooth decay.

Choose Tooth-Friendly Snacks

Pick healthy snacks such as fruit, vegetables, cheese and plain yoghurt.



Try to limit sugary snacks and sweets, especially between meals.

Visit the Dentist Regularly

Take your child to the dentist regularly, even if there are no problems.



We can all help to keep our children's smiles healthy!

Our school supports the government's oral health programme, working in partnership with dental professionals and our local community. By encouraging good oral hygiene at home and at school, we can help our children enjoy healthy teeth and brighter futures.



The safety and wellbeing of all our children remains our highest priority. If you ever have a safeguarding concern, please speak to a member of our safeguarding team.

Designated Safeguarding lead: Miss J Riach (Head teacher)

Deputy Designated Safeguarding leads: Mrs S Horrocks, Mrs S Kailey and Mrs T Haggard

If you have any concerns about the safety or welfare of a child, please contact the school immediately.

Working together, we can ensure that all children are safe, happy and supported.

Attendance - Reporting Absences

A polite reminder to all parents and carers: when informing the school of your child's absence, please include specific details of their symptoms if they are unwell. Messages such as "not well" or "feeling poorly" do not give us enough information to record the absence accurately.

Please ensure that all absences are reported before 9:00am by leaving a voicemail or emailing us at:

 ctk_parentlink@hccmac.co.uk

Thank you for your cooperation in helping us keep our records clear and accurate.





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OCTOBER HALF TERM FOOTBALL CAMP

BOYS & GIRLS AGE 4 TO 12

AVAILABLE TO BOOK EVERY DAY OF THE OCTOBER HALF TERM!

£15.00 HALF DAY 09:00 - 12:00 12:00 - 15:00	£20.00 FULL DAY 09:00 - 15:00	£90.00 5 DAY WEEK! 09:00 - 15:00
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BABLAKE PLAYING FIELDS
HOLLYFAST RD, COUNDON

LE COACHING ACADEMY

TO BOOK SCAN CODE
OR CONTACT LLOYD 07712 687534

FUN GAMES **SKILLS DEVELOPMENT** **EVERYONE WELCOME** **ALL ABILITIES**

HALLOWEEN SPOOKTACULAR FOOTBALL CAMP DAY

BOYS & GIRLS AGE 4 TO 12

HALLOWEEN FANCY DRESS **BEST COSTUME PRIZES** **FUN & SPOOKY GAMES**

£15.00 HALF DAY 09:00 - 12:00 12:00 - 15:00	£20.00 FULL DAY 09:00 - 15:00
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FRIDAY 30TH OCTOBER

BABLAKE PLAYING FIELDS
HOLLYFAST RD, COUNDON

TO BOOK SCAN CODE
OR CONTACT LLOYD 07712 687534

TRICKS, TREATS & FOOTBALL!

FUN GAMES **SKILLS DEVELOPMENT** **EVERYONE WELCOME** **ALL ABILITIES**





ATTENDANCE AT CTK

WHR site		SL site	
Class Name	Weekly Attendance 12/10/2026 – 16/10/2026	Class Name	Weekly Attendance 12/10/2026 – 16/10/2026
Nursery	95%	Class 7	96.9% 
Class 1	98.3% 	Class 8	99.3% 
Class 2	97% 	Class 9	98.3%
Class 3	98.7% 	Class 10	95.3% 
Class 4	95.3%	Class 11	92.4% 
Class 5	95.7% 	Class 12	91.3%
Class 6	97.3% 	Class 13	99.3% 
		Class 14	98.3% 

Children arriving late to school

Please be advised that if your child is late to school at WHR or SL site, children must be signed in by a parent/carers. Children are not permitted to sign themselves in for safeguarding reasons. Thank you for your understanding.

Reporting your child's absence

Please can parents/carers remember to call the school on 02476 335790 before 9am if your child is going to be absent and leave a message. You can also e-mail ctk_parentlink@hccmac.co.uk to report an absence. Reasons such as 'unwell' or 'poorly' are not valid, please explain the symptoms of your child's illness and the reason they cannot attend school.

Ongoing attendance percentage At CTK we carefully monitor your child's attendance and punctuality percentage on a daily, weekly and monthly basis to ensure that pupils are attending school for 95% or more of the time in line with the DfE expectations.

Please click on the link below to see you if would qualify from a free travel pass for your child
<https://www.coventry.gov.uk/schools-schooling/school-travel-passes/2>





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School will be closed to all pupils on the following Five INSET Days

Tuesday 1 September 2026

Friday 12th February 2027

Friday 2 July 2027

Monday 19th July 2027

Tuesday 20th July 2027

Wednesday 21st July 2027

 School term dates 2026-2027						
September 2026						
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
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28	29	30				
October 2026						
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November 2026						
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December 2026						
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January 2027						
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February 2027						
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March 2027						
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April 2027						
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May 2027						
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June 2027						
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July 2027						
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August 2027						
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30	31					
Christmas Day 25 December 2026 Boxing Day (substitute) 28 December 2026 New Year bank holiday 1 January 2027 Good Friday 26 March 2027 Easter Monday 29 March 2027 May Day holiday 3 May 2027 Spring Bank holiday 31 May 2027 Summer Bank holiday 30 August 2027						
Term time  Holiday  Bank holiday  Weekend  LA set training day  + 4 set by the school						

