



## CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES

Over the last two weeks we have been treated to a range of performances from the children.

Well done to Year 5, who last Thursday performed an amazing pantomime called 'Rockerfella' to their families. Their performance was filled with lots of wonderful singing, terrific acting and some terrible jokes! Thanks to everyone that came along to support.



This week, Nursery and Reception performed 'Shine Star Shine', a beautiful Nativity story. All of the children sang like true stars. They all looked beautiful in their costumes, and it was the best way to start the countdown to Christmas.



On Thursday, children in Reception- Year 6 performed in the annual Christmas Carol Service for the Parish. This was a wonderful opportunity for us to gather together at such a special time of year. The staff were incredibly proud of all the children who sang beautifully. Thank you to everyone that was able to come along and support the event. It always feels like the perfect way to end the school term.

## SCHOOL MASS

School mass on  
**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2024**  
will be attended by all pupils in Reception–  
Year 6 and led by  
pupils in: **Year 3 and Year 4**

Parents/ Grandparents are welcome to join us if they wish to do so.

For those who cannot attend, please join us online:

<https://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/christ-the-king-church-coventry>.



## SUNDAY MASS



**Sunday 14th January 9am-**  
**Year 6 pupils will be reading**

Children in Years 3 – 6 are welcome to join staff in the choir loft

Children in Reception – Year 2 are welcome to participate in children's liturgy.

## OUR MISSION THIS WEEK

### Joy of Advent *Mission*

Celebrate Christmas with Jesus in mind.  
Enjoy the presents, songs, food and games.  
As you do, remember that the true reason for happiness and joy is that Jesus came at Christmas to be close to you.





# CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

## LOOK WHAT WE HAVE BEEN UP TO...



On Tuesday, Year 5 enjoyed their Christmas treat of a movie and a chocolate lolly. They watched the film Holes after studying it.



On Wednesday, Year 4 had a Christmas party. Thanks to all of the families who donated a yummy treat for the event!



This week, The McClean family generously donated 10 boxes, each filled with a complete Christmas meal for a family. We were blown away by their kindness and generosity.



On Wednesday, Nursery enjoyed their Christmas party. A huge thank you to Lucie's Mummy who donated a beautiful Christmas cake to share with all of the children.

The gorgeous cake was from **Maria's Bakery**, which is located in **Coventry Market**.

They do a range of delicious treats such as filled rolls, cakes packs of batches and bread.

<https://www.facebook.com/mariasbakery1977>







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## LOOK WHAT WE HAVE BEEN UP TO...



On Wednesday, Class 4 had a wonderful, festive Enrichment Day. They spent the morning making snowmen and tree decorations in Forest School with Mr Hadlum, before decorating gingerbread with Miss Sidwell and Mrs Murphy in the afternoon.



On Wednesday, children in Year 2 were out and about in the local community delivering their handmade Christmas cards. They all had a great time, received some lovely comments from our neighbours and even received some treats along the way!



This week, Year 4 have been busy baking their own bread rolls as part of their cooking and nutrition topic. They smelt and tasted delicious!



Last Friday, Year 5 participated in a [OneDayCreative](#) workshop linked to their topic about the Greeks. They all had a great day!







## LOOK AT WHAT WE HAVE BEEN DOING THIS WEEK...



On Thursday, Y5 and Y6 were out delivering hand made cards in the local community - we have had lots of emails from residents telling us that we have made their day!



On Wednesday, Oliver and Joshua were lucky enough to meet some of the football players from Aston Villa



Remember to follow us on 'X', previously known as Twitter, to keep up to date with what has been happening in the world of CTK - [@CTKPrimaryCov](https://twitter.com/CTKPrimaryCov)







We would like to remind you that we are now only collecting plastic bottle lids. We no longer need plastic milk cartons bringing into school.

## A SPECIAL SHOUT OUT

Thank you to Olivia Morris for giving our ECO Heroes a special book all about how to protect the planet.







# CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

AT CTK WE ARE CHARITABLE AND CARING...



Tuesday -  
12 children from year 4  
had the opportunity to  
represent the school in  
the School Games  
Dodgeball Festival.  
All the children had  
fantastic afternoon  
with the school placing  
2nd overall. Well done  
team.



## CTK Sporting News



#PEatCTK





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## AT CTK WE ARE CHARITABLE AND CARING...



## How many hearts can CTK build?

Build a heart and share the joy with LEGO®  
#BuildToGive

What comes around every year, helps heaps of children and is possibly our favorite thing ever? Yep, it's Build To Give. This year, we're on a mission to bring the superpower of play to children who need it most. Are you in? Grab your bricks, we're building hearts!

Helping is as easy as 1, 2, 3



1) Build a heart

Use as many bricks and colors as you like. Everything's a heart when it comes from the heart.



2) Share it

Take a picture of your heart and post it on social media with the hashtag #BuildToGive.



3) You're done!

Now it's our turn... For each heart you build and share, we'll donate a LEGO® set to a child in need of play this holiday season.

Don't forget - Tag:  
#BuildToGive @CTKPrimaryCov

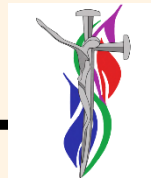






# CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

## IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE TERM AHEAD



### January

**Monday 8<sup>th</sup> January** – All children back to school for the new term.

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January**– Year 3 Family Faith Day at SL site school hall (1 adult per child).

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January** – Black Hole Planetarium for Year 5

**Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> January** – Year 3 FHC meeting for parents in church - 6pm

**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> January** - Year 3 Mass in church - 9am.

**Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> January** - Year 6 meeting for parents in church - 6pm

### February

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> February** - Year 6 Commitment Mass 9am

**Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February** – Reception Vision screening check

**Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> February** – Year 2 Prayer service, 9am in classrooms (1 adult per child)

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> February** – Year 4 Family Faith Day 9am at SL school hall (1 adult per child)

### IT'S SHOWTIME

#### CTK PERFORMANCE PLANNER 2023-24

Who?	What?	When?
Year 3	Easter Performance	TBC – Spring term 2

#### Class Assemblies

Who?	When?	Where?
Class 14	Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> January at 2:30pm	Scots Lane
Class 13	Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> February at 9:00am	Scots Lane
Class 11	Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> February at 2:30pm	Scots Lane
Class 12	Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> February at 2:30pm	Scots Lane

### CLASS PE TIMETABLE

#### Spring TERM one - 2024

CHILDREN ARE TO WEAR THEIR PE KIT TO SCHOOL ON THE DAY OF THEIR LESSON.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Year 2</li> <li>Year 6</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Year 4</li> <li>Year 6</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Nursery</li> <li>Year 5</li> </ul>
Thursday	Friday	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reception</li> <li>Year 1</li> <li>Year 3</li> <li>Year 4</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Year 3</li> <li>Year 5</li> </ul>	<p><b>CTK PE Uniform (Reception – Year 6)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CTK Navy Sports T-shirt</li> <li>Navy / black sport shorts / (not cycling shorts please)</li> <li>CTK Hoodie or Navy/ black plain tracksuit (No branded sports labels please such as Nike or Adidas)</li> <li>Sports trainers (not converse/fashion trainers please)</li> </ul>



If you have a child that attends the B&A club please remember to call the B&A club or email Parent Link if your child will not be attending the after school session.









Please also be aware that the latest collection time is 5.20pm, any late collection may face a late collection fee.







## ATTENDANCE AT CTK

WHR site		SL site	
Class Name	Weekly Attendance 18/12/2023 – 22/12/2023	Class Name	Weekly Attendance 18/12/2023 – 22/12/2023
Nursery	98.7% 	Class 7	86.5%
Class 1	95.7% 	Class 8	96% 
Class 2	96% 	Class 9	88.7%
Class 3	97% 	Class 10	87.7%
Class 4	92.3%	Class 11	94%
Class 5	97.3% 	Class 12	97.3% 
Class 6	91.3%	Class 13	93.3%
		Class 14	95% 

### Reporting your child's absence

Please ensure you phone school before **8.30am** to inform us of your child's absence if they are not going to be in or you are running late.

Reasons such as 'unwell' or 'poorly' are not valid, we need to know what the symptoms are. Thank you for your co-operation.

### 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>







# HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ...

Charlie C  
James C  
Grace F  
Noah K  
Alexander W  
Ina G  
Lena K  
Aoife-Mai B  
Iria U  
Viaan A  
Ayda P  
Aaliyah W  
Aaradhya A  
Dakota B



Elisa Q  
Mila M  
Jack C  
Louis S  
Erin T  
Kevin O'K  
Katie C  
Lemuel P  
Lily W  
Naysa Y  
Connor H  
Elizabeth E  
Finn E  
Oliver W  
Odhran K







## DIARY DATES FOR SPRING TERM 2024

All Clubs start at 3.30pm and finish at 4.30pm (unless otherwise specified)

### Scots Lane:

#### Monday 8 January

#### Tuesday 9 January

8.00am Tennis Yr3 &4  
3:30pm Hi5 Training  
3:30pm Boys Football Team

#### Wednesday 10 January

8.00am Tennis - Yr 5 & 6  
12.30pm CL12 Swimming  
3.30pm Girl's Football Club

#### Thursday 11 January

3:30pm Girls Football Team Training  
3:30pm Dance Club

#### Friday 12 January

3.30pm Boys Football Club  
(Autumn Term group)

## Westhill Road Site

#### Tuesday 9 January

3:15pm Chill Out Club with Mrs Hagyard

## TEACHER TRAINING DAYS FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 23-24

Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2024  
Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2024

## CTK PTA CONTACT DETAILS

Follow us on Facebook  
**@ChristTheKingPTA**

X previously known as Twitter  
**@CTKPTACOV**  
or contact us via e-mail:  
[christthekingpta@gmail.com](mailto:christthekingpta@gmail.com)

## BACK TO SCHOOL: MONDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY



The National College

## SAFEGUARDING AT CTK!

To create your account, please follow:  
[https://nationalcollege.com/enrol/christ-the-king\[1\]catholic-primary-school-7](https://nationalcollege.com/enrol/christ-the-king[1]catholic-primary-school-7)







## IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE TERM AHEAD

### Forest School and Enrichment Day Planner

#### Spring Term

Please note – dates may be subject to change

When?	Who?
Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> January	Class 3
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> January	Class 2
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> January	Class 1
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> February	Class N
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February	Class 14
HALF TERM	
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February	Class 13
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> March	Class 12
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> March	Class 10
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> March	Class 11
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March	Class 9
EASTER BREAK	





During the Spring term, our Learning Mentor, Mrs Hagyard will be delivering the NSPCC's PANTS programme content to all year groups. The programme helps children understand that their body belongs to them and encourages them to speak to a trusted adult if anything makes them feel upset or worried.

Further details can be found via the following link.

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/support-for-parents/pants-underwear-rule/>

If you have any questions, please contact Mrs Hagyard via Parent Link [parentlink@ctk.coventry.sch.uk](mailto:parentlink@ctk.coventry.sch.uk) or phone 024 7633 5790.







It's Christmas Time – Parents guide to help keep children safe online

## It's Christmas Time!



**A Parent's Guide to Social Media**



**A Parent's Guide to Sharing Pictures**



**A Parent's Guide to Gaming**



**A Parent's Guide to Online Grooming**



scan the QR code with your phone's camera to see the guides on our website



**A Parent's Guide to Live Streaming**



**A Parent's Guide to Online Influencers**



**A Parent's Guide to Fake News**



**A Parent's Guide to Privacy Settings**

### It's always best to be prepared

Many parents may be planning to give electronic gadgets to their children this festive period.

Our guide is designed to help parents take a realistic approach to help keep their children safe when using the internet, social media and playing online games.

**Scan the QR code to find out more.**

**Online safety is when young people know who they can tell if they feel upset by something that has happened online.**

**Parents** please contact your school to enquire attending their next e-safety workshop or have any concerns.

Working with Home Office 'PREVENT', The Police and Crime Commissioner and Children's Safeguarding Partnerships to help keep children safe online.

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