



CLOTHING COVENTRY DONATION DRIVE

On Friday 26th January, we will be holding a non-uniform day and asking families to donate a pair of school socks or tights for other children in Coventry.

The socks and tights can be black, grey or white.

We are also requesting a range of sizes so if possible, we would appreciate if donations could be from the age range of the child. That way we can create a collection of donations from age 3 – 11years.

Thank you for your support, your donation will support many school children across Coventry.



PARKING



Since the start of the school term, I have received several complaints from our neighbour's and other parents with regards to how some adults are choosing to park near school. Please can I ask that everyone shows consideration for others, and that you do not park over people's driveways or block a car in when they are displaying a blue badge.

Since September, several parents have reported that when they have tried to address a parking issue with other adults, they have received verbal abuse. Please be aware that this behaviour is not acceptable and will not be tolerated.

SCHOOL MASS

School mass on
Tuesday 23rd January 2024
will be attended by all pupils in Reception– Year 6 and led by pupils in: **Year 1 and Year 6**

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 28th January 9am-
Year 3 Commitment Mass and
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.

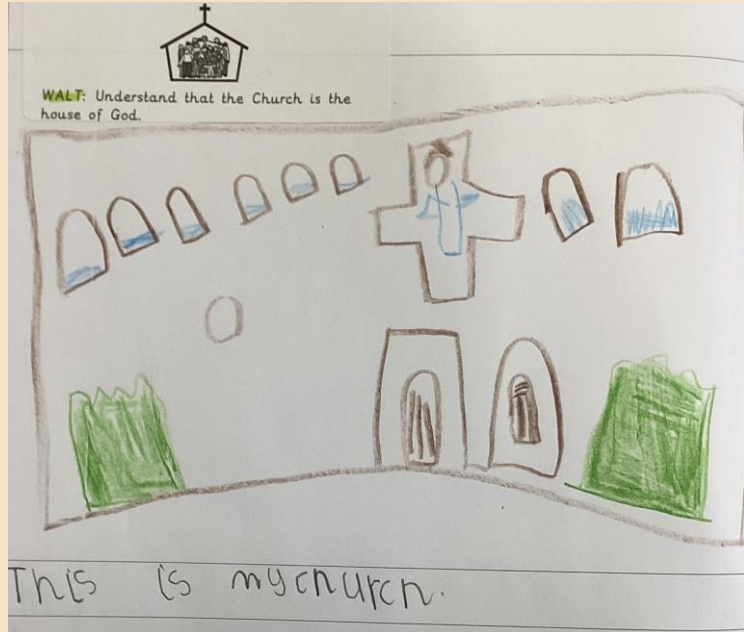
OUR MISSION THIS WEEK





Check out our RE 'piece of the week' from each key stage!

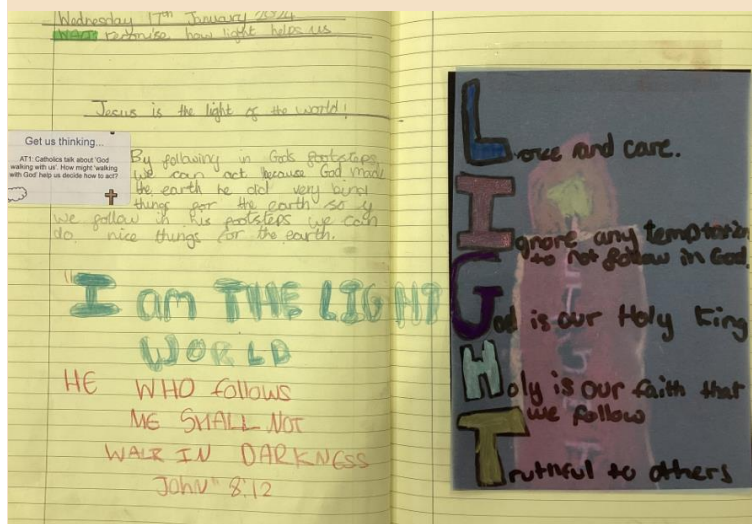
EYFS - CLASS 2 - KRISTIN



KS1 - CLASS 6 - EVA



LKS2 - CLASS 10 - ERIN B



UKS2 - CLASS 14 - DAVID

WALT: hear, read and explore Gospel accounts of key events in the life of Jesus: The Nativity.

Gospel of Matthew	Gospel of Luke	In both accounts
What is not included?	What is not included?	
The Inn keeper ✓	Joseph's dream ✓	Jesus had visitors
The stable or animals ✓	King Herod ✓	Jesus was born
Journey to Bethlehem ✓	The star ✓	Jesus was born in Bethlehem
The census and Emperor Augustus ✓	The stable of animals ✓	There were angels in both
Choir of Angels ✓	The inn keeper ✓	Joseph was mentioned as a descendant of David
Mary being weary and tired ✓	The gifts and three kings ✓	There was a shelter
The shepherds ✓		
Extension: Why are there differences?		
Matthew's emphasis is on Jesus' ancestry and his Jewish roots.		
Luke's emphasis is on showing how Jesus is different from John the Baptist		





Well done to Reggie for achieving player of the Match last Saturday. We are very proud of you!



Well done to Lottie for achieving a Ballet certificate and trophy this week. We are very proud of you!

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)





CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

CARDINAL NEWMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL - NEW BUILD



The Department for Education, Holy Cross Catholic Multi-Academy Company and BAM Construction are pleased to share details of their proposals for the redevelopment of Cardinal Newman Catholic School, Sandpits Lane.

The current school is designed for 1361 pupil places for ages 11-18 years old with 208 sixth form places, including provision for 15 additional resourced pupil places for pupils with EHCP.

The proposed development will provide a new two-storey teaching building, sports hall and sixth form centre to replace the existing buildings (with the exception of the Caretaker's cottages and the recently built dining hall). The relocated playing fields will be accessed via Sandpits Lane and Bennetts Road, with enhanced pedestrian and cycle access proposed to connect to improvements already planned in conjunction with the major residential development at Watery Lane.

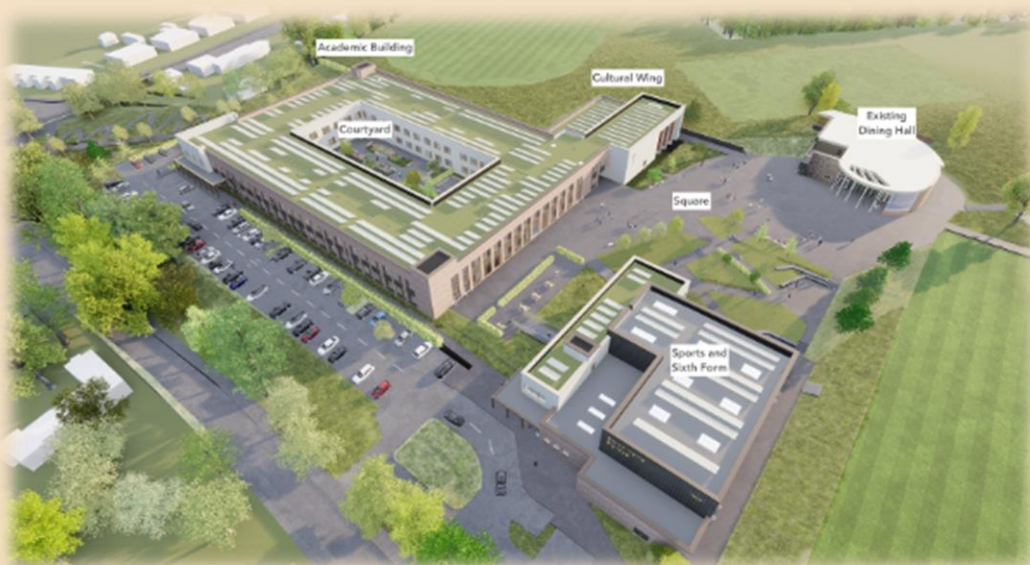
The proposals have been carefully considered to put the ethos of practical learning alongside socialising, sports, activity and faith spaces, which will lie at the heart of the new school campus.

If you would like to read more please visit <https://www.cncs.school/newbuild>

The Cardinal Newman new build school planning consultation is now live at:

<https://www.research.net/r/97D2JYP>

Please feel free to leave feedback as it all helps with the planning process





MOVIES & MUNCHIES



WED **3:15 PM - 5PM WEST HILL RD SITE**
24TH JAN **3:30PM - 5:15PM SCOTS LANE SITE**

*Price includes popcorn, drink and sweets

Wednesday 24th January will see the return of this popular event. Please use the link to book your child on before the deadline of 11am on Wednesday. <https://forms.gle/y4b3snnEJ8AMszoD9...>

(NO BOOKINGS Can be ACCEPTED AFTER THIS)





PTA NEWS

CTK PTA EVENTS SCHEDULE

2023/
2024

MOVIES & MUNCHIES

3:30 - 5:30pm

WED
24TH
JAN

THURS
8TH
FEB

VALENTINES DISCO

6-7pm (WHR Children) /
7:30-8:30pm (SL Children) WHR Site

WONKA BARS

Details TBC

TBC

WED
12TH
JUN

MOVIES & MUNCHIES

3:30 - 5:15/5:30pm

SUMMER FETE

Date Subject to change

FRI
5TH
JUL

CONTACT INFO:

CHRISTTHEKINGPTA@GMAIL.COM



The total raised from the Festive Friday event was **£1,344.25**.

Together with the wreath making, we made almost **£2000** from Christmas events, which is amazing!

Thank you to all who attended, and a special thanks to all of the PTA, parents and teachers who helped to organise and deliver such a wonderful event, without you all these things wouldn't be possible.





ECO FRIENDLY Eco REPORT Written by Daisy and Erin

Last Friday, class 3 took part in a Forest school session. They had great fun making bird biscuits with seeds on top. They also took the time to really think about how they could help our environment



Two of our Eco Heroes also helped class 3 as they made their biscuits. The feedback from our ECO Heroes was that CLASS 3 ARE AMAZING THINKERS!

Forest School and Enrichment Day Planner

Spring Term

Please note – dates may be subject to change

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

HEALTHY SNACKS

Please be reminded that at break time, children should be eating healthy snacks such as fruit or chopped vegetables.

Cakes, crisps, sweets and other unhealthy snacks are not permitted at break time and should be kept to a minimum at lunch time.

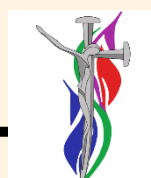
Thank you for your support!





CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE TERM AHEAD



January

Monday 22nd January – Black Hole Planetarium for Year 5

Wednesday 24th January – Year 3 FHC meeting for parents in church - 6pm

Sunday 28th January - Year 3 Mass in church - 9am.

Wednesday 31st January - Year 6 meeting for parents in church - 6pm

IT'S **SHOWTIME**
CTK PERFORMANCE PLANNER 2023-24

Who?	What?	When?
Year 1	Ricky's Dance Show	Thursday 8 th February 2:15pm – WHR site
Year 3	Easter Performance	Thursday 21 st March at 6pm SL site Friday 22 nd March at 9:15am SL site

Class Assemblies

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

February

Sunday 4th February - Year 6 Commitment Mass 9am

Tuesday 6th February – Reception Vision screening check

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

Friday 9th February – Year 4 Family Faith Day 9am at SL school hall (1 adult per child)

Monday 19th February – Additional Teacher Training Day – school closed to all pupils

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"> Year 2 Year 6 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 4 Year 6 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nursery Year 5
Thursday	Friday	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reception Year 1 Year 3 Year 4 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 3 Year 5 	<p>CTK PE Uniform (Reception – Year 6)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CTK Navy Sports T-shirt Navy / Black sport shorts (not cycling shorts 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)

B&A CLUB

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 15/01/2024 – 19/01/2024		Class Name	Weekly Attendance 15/01/2024 – 19/01/2024	
Nursery	95.2%		Class 7	97.8%	
Class 1	95.2%		Class 8	97.8%	
Class 2	97.4%		Class 9	97.8%	
Class 3	96.7%		Class 10	95.0%	
Class 4	95.2%		Class 11	98.5%	
Class 5	95.9%		Class 12	94.0%	
Class 6	95.6%		Class 13	95.4%	
			Class 14	99.6%	

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>





CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



DIARY DATES FOR SPRING TERM 2024

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

Scots Lane:

Monday 22 January

3:30pm Chess Club

3:30pm BoxFit Club

Tuesday 23 January

8.00am Tennis Yr3 &4

3:30pm Hi5 Training

3:30pm Boys Football Team

Wednesday 24 January

8.00am Tennis - Yr 5 & 6

12.30pm CL12 Swimming

3.30pm Girl's Football Club

Thursday 25 January

3:30pm Girls Football Team Training

- cancelled

3:30pm Dance Club

Friday 26 January

3.30pm Boys Football Club

Westhill Road Site

Tuesday 23 January

3:15pm Chill Out Club with Mrs Hagyard

TEACHER TRAINING DAYS FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 23-24

Monday 19th February 2024

Monday 3rd 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

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ...

Dinura D
Amelia D



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)





Are you worried about a child's hearing?



South Warwickshire
University
NHS Foundation Trust

The School Nursing team offers hearing screening for all Reception class pupils. These are carried out as clinics at different locations in the city. Parents/carers can get in touch with the School Nursing team on one of our contact numbers or email addresses below to book a test.

When you call or email please provide the following details:

**Full name of child
D.O.B of child
School child attends
Preferred clinic location and date**

Our upcoming spring term dates and locations are:

Thursday 4th January 2024 - Wood Side Family Hub, Upper Ride, Willenhall Wood, Coventry, CV3 3GL

Friday 5th January 2024 - Pathways Family Hub, Lawrence Saunders Road, Coventry, CV6 1HD

Wednesday 14th February 2024 - Families For All Hub, 454 Foleshill Road, Foleshill, Coventry, CV6 5LB

Friday 16th February 2024 - Aspire Family Hub, Humber Avenue, Coventry, CV1 2SF

Tuesday 5th March 2024 - Mosaic Family Hub, Jardine Crescent, Tile Hill, Coventry, CV4 9PL

Tuesday 26th March 2024 - The Moat Family Hub, Deedmore Road, Coventry, CV2 1EQ

Please note: If you have concerns about an older child/ren's hearing, parents/carers can call the Central Booking number to make an appointment with the Audiology department on: 0300 200 0011.

Charter Avenue base:

Tel: 01926 495321 Ext 7417

Email:

Swg-tr.CharterAvenueSchoolNursing@nhs.net

Moat House base:

Tel: 01926 495321 Ext 7494

Email:

Swg-tr.MoatHouseSchoolNursing@nhs.net





Sleep Tight Workshop for parents/carers of children
aged 1 year and over

Tuesday 9th January 1-2:30p.m.

Monday 4th March 1-2:30p.m.

This session will be delivered virtually on Microsoft Teams



**NEW DATES
JUST ADDED!**

Sleep issues are common for children and young people and can have a huge impact on the quality of family life. This two-hour workshop looks at the importance of sleep, understanding sleep cycles, causes of sleep issues and what you can do to support your child to sleep better.

This session will be delivered by a parenting practitioner who has been trained by The National Sleep Charity.

For further information or to book your place on the workshop please email:

parenting@coventry.gov.uk

Please include the following details in your email:

Preferred workshop date, Your name, address, postcode, parents email

age of child and child's name





The newest research shows that the period of adolescence can begin around 10 years and may continue up to 25 years! So, if you think your 10-year-old already acts like a teenager that's probably because the changes in the brain that take place during adolescence may have already started!

It also tells us that this is the 2nd most complex period of development in our child's life. If you would like to know more about this and how to best support your teenager; book a place on the new 4-week programme delivered by trained practitioners by completing the request form on our website:

<https://www.coventry.gov.uk/parenting>

THE TEENAGE BRAIN

COMMUNICATION

Talking Teens:
your Guide to
Understanding
Teenagers

MAINTAINING
RELATIONSHIPS



MANAGING CONFLICT



DIFFICULT ISSUES

New 4-week programme available for ALL parents and carers of teenagers in Coventry

Beginning Wednesday 10th January 2024

Weekly 9:30-11:30

Aspire Family Hub

Humber Avenue, Coventry

To book visit: <https://www.coventry.gov.uk/parenting>





Coventry **SEND**
Support Service



Complex
Communication



Coventry Complex Communication Team free workshop sessions for parents and carers of children and young people on the Autism spectrum or with complex communication needs

Each session will be delivered virtually through Microsoft Teams and presented by a specialist practitioner in the field of Autism and complex communication needs. There will be a series of sessions focusing on a range of topics, which include:

- **Week 1: Understanding your child and their Autism**
- **Week 2: Supporting your child with self-care and independence**
- **Week 3: Supporting your child and their sensory processing differences**
- **Week 4: Supporting your child and their behaviours**
- **Week 5: Supporting your child with their learning**
- **Week 6: Supporting your child with transitions**

The aim of each session will be to:

- To raise an awareness of how Autism/CCN affect your child
- To develop a shared understanding of some of the challenges that our children face, and the strengths they can bring
- To increase your confidence in understanding and supporting your child
- To build up a bank of ideas and strategies that can be used to support your child

All sessions are 4.30pm-5.45pm and run half termly. There are also weekly advice clinics that accompany each session, where time slots are allocated to ask specific questions relating to your child.

Please email BSCLimbrickWoodCentre@coventry.gov.uk if you wish to attend these sessions.

Whilst we appreciate you may not be able to attend every session due to work/family commitments; the expectation is that you **must** attend week 1 as this provides the foundation for the remaining sessions, and that you are able to commit to at least three of the following sessions

