



MEASLES OUTBREAK

There has been an increase in measles cases in Coventry. Most of the measles cases are children who have not had the measles, mumps, and rubella (MMR) vaccine.

Measles is a disease which spreads very quickly and easily in communities such as schools and nurseries where people have not had two doses of the MMR vaccine.

The **first signs of measles** are:

- High temperature (fever)
- Cold like symptoms such as runny or blocked nose, coughing, sneezing
- Red, sore, watery eyes
- A non-itchy, blotchy red brown rash. This usually appears a few days after cold-like symptoms (sometimes starts around the ears before spreading to the rest of the body). The rash can be harder to see on darker skin tones.
- Small white spots appearing inside the cheeks and on the back of lips (for a few days)

A measles case is infectious for four days before any rash appears and for at least four days after the start of the rash.

Anyone with measles symptoms is advised to stay at home and phone their GP practice or NHS 111 for advice. After contacting the GP or NHS111, you should try to rest and stay at home.

If you do need to visit a GP or hospital, you must call ahead to let them know that it could be measles. The staff will make special arrangements to see you and/or your child so that, if they have measles, they won't pass it to others.

If your child has measles, they cannot attend nursery/school or group activities for 4 days after the start of the rash.

SCHOOL MASS

School mass on
Tuesday 6th February 2024
will be attended by all pupils in
Reception– Year 6 and led by
pupils in: **Year 2 and Year 5**

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 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





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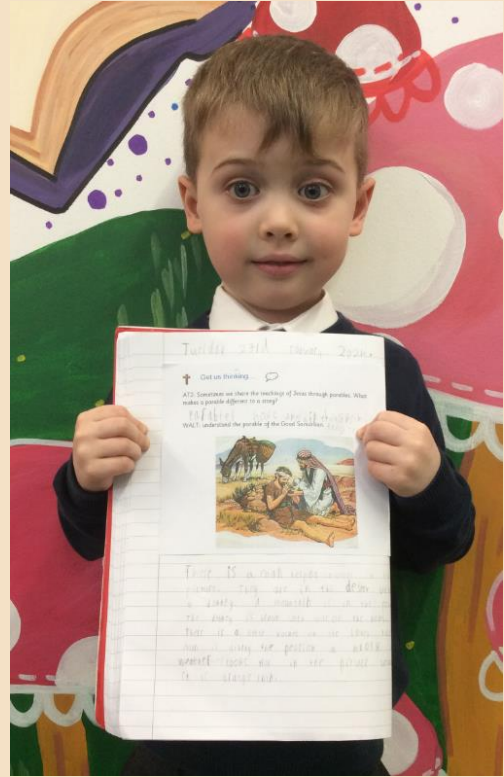


Check out our RE 'piece of the week' from each key stage!

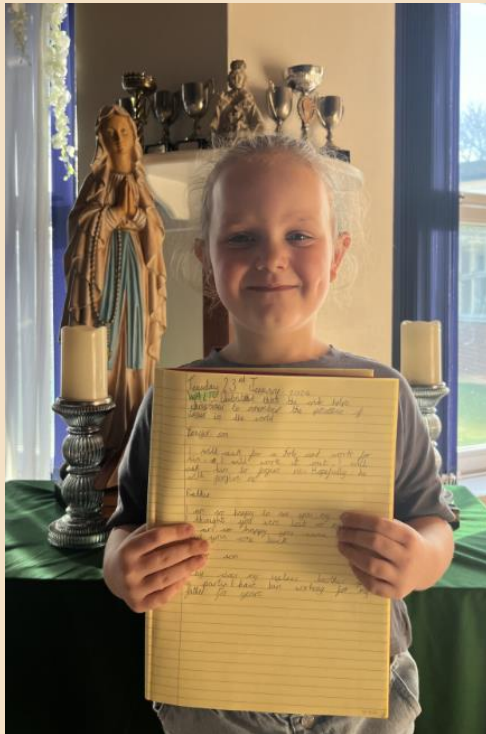
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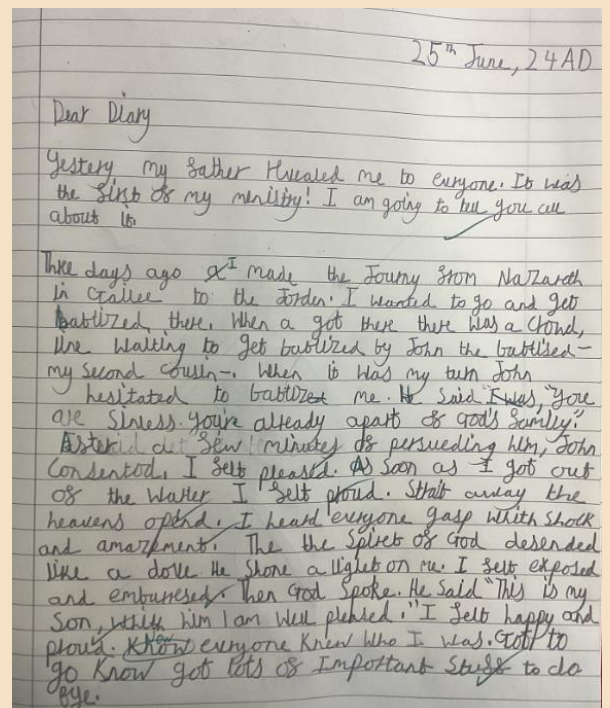
KS1 - CLASS 3 - CHARLIE



LKS2 - CLASS 7 - IMOGEN



UKS2 - CLASS 12 - EMILIA





Congratulations to Rohan for achieving star of the week in Tykwondo. We are very proud of you!



This week, Year 5 travelled to Space through a visit from the Planetarium. What a great start to their Space topic!



This term we have welcomed a new staff member to the After School Club team, Miss Bennett. She has already settled in well and has loved getting to know the children.

During the spring term, we will also be welcoming two new staff members to be part of our fantastic Admin team. Mrs Cole and Miss Bridgett will be joining us very soon!



Well done to Arthur who was awarded a certificate this week for swimming 15 metres without arm bands or rubber ring. We are very proud of you!

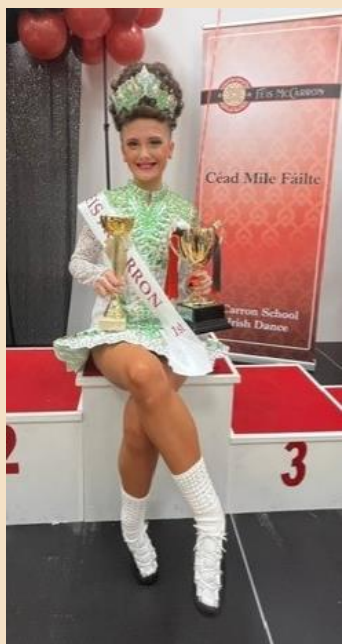


On Tuesday, EYFS pupils explored different emotions in Drama Tots.



Due to being the weekly raffle ticket winners Class 5 wore their slippers to school for the day on Friday. What a great end to a busy week!





Last weekend, Orlagh competed at the McCarron feis in Birmingham. Orlagh was extremely successful and gained 1st place, what a way to start the year! Orlagh gained lots of amazing marks and was thrilled to be top of the podium. I know it has been Orlagh's goal to achieve 1st place, I am so pleased her hard work has paid off for her.



Orlagh and Darcy's first competition of 2024



Darcy, also completed at the McCarron feis in Birmingham. She gained lots of trophies within her grades and overall 4th in her championship out of 15 dancers.

Well done Darcy, we are so proud of all you have achieved

What a successful weekend for both!



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)





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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.

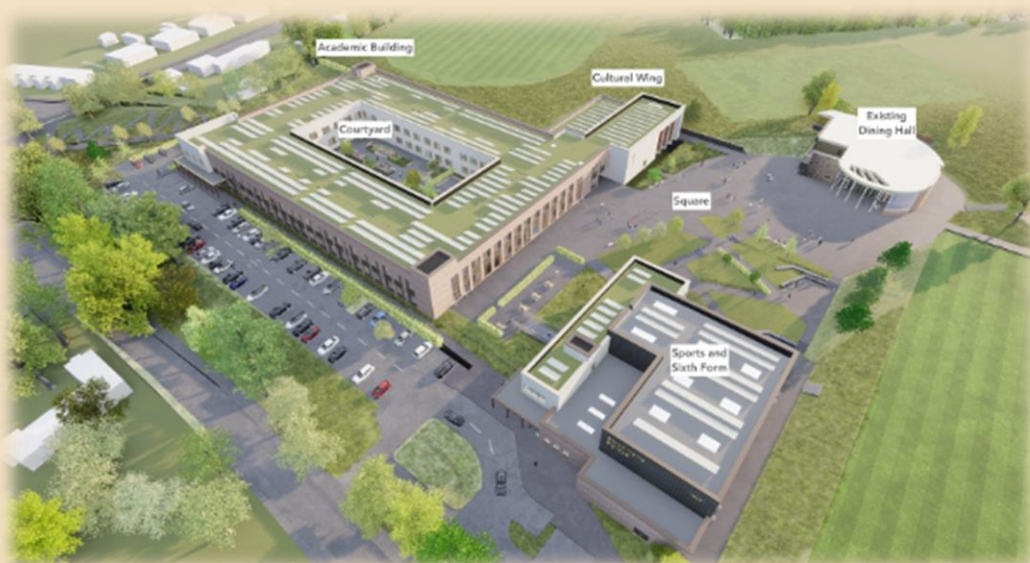
The proposed development will provide a new two-storey teaching building, sports hall and sixth form centre to replace the existing buildings (with the exception of the Caretaker's cottages and the recently built dining hall). The relocated playing fields will be accessed via Sandpits Lane and Bennetts 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





PTA NEWS

Thank you to everyone who supported our Movies and Munchies Event this week, As the parents of WHR children may be aware we had a number of technical issues. The children got to watch some of a film with their friends, enjoyed their snacks and had a bit of disco. We hope that they still had fun! Please accept our apologies. We are working with the school to find some time for the children to have some film time during the school day. We will share the profits made in next weeks newsletter.

VALENTINE'S DISCO

Our next event is the Valentines Disco on Thursday 8th Feb, Tickets cost £2.50 and you can book using the link below, then make payment directly into the PTA account using your Childs name as reference. You must correctly complete and submit the booking form and make payment before tickets can be issued.

Please note that only Children in Nursery are to be accompanied by parents (any exceptions need to be discussed with and agreed by Miss Riach prior to the Event) only Children who are with PTA members who are supporting the Disco are permitted to attend both Discos/a disco not for the relevant age range as we are unable to supervise Children who are not registered to be in attendance.

Please note bookings will close 11am Wednesday 7th Feb and we are unable to accept any bookings after this time.

PTA MEETING

Our next PTA meeting will be held Wednesday 21st February in the CTK Club at 7:00pm and we would love it if you could join us and have some input into the CTK PTA.





School Lottery - This is a great way to support the school.

For £1 a ticket every week there is a cash winner from our school (the more people playing the bigger the prize pot) and also the chance for someone to win the jackpot of up to £25k

<https://yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/christ-the-king-catholic-primary-school>





ECO REPORT

RECYCLING AT CTK

Please remember we are recycling:

- Batteries
- Bottle tops of any description

In school we are also collecting crisps packets and lunchtime and pens.

We are all trying to do a little bit to save the world.

Last Friday, class 1 took part in a Forest school session with Mr Hadlum. They had so much fun exploring ice, looking for signs of winter and making amazing wooden people.



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!





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IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE TERM AHEAD



January

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

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

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

March

Monday 4th March – Reception and Year 6 – Height sand weights.

Wednesday 6th March – Year 3 Reconciliation – 6pm in church

Thursday 7th March – World Book Day - more information to follow

Friday 8th March – Year 5 prayer service - 9am in the classroom (1 adult per child please)

Monday 18th March – Year 5 trip to the Space Centre

Thursday 21st March – Spring Pupil Progress reports shared with parents via Arbor

CLASS PE TIMETABLE Spring TERM one - 2024

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

Monday

- Year 2
- Year 6

Tuesday

- Year 4
- Year 6

Wednesday

- Nursery
- Year 5

Thursday

- Reception
- Year 1
- Year 3
- Year 4

Friday

- Year 3
- Year 5

CTK PE Uniform (Reception – Year 6)

- 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)

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





ATTENDANCE AT CTK

WHR site		SL site	
Class Name	Weekly Attendance 22/01/2024 – 26/01/2024	Class Name	Weekly Attendance 22/01/2024 – 26/01/2024
Nursery	96.5% 	Class 7	95.2% 
Class 1	94.5%	Class 8	98.7% 
Class 2	97.3% 	Class 9	97.7% 
Class 3	96.0% 	Class 10	94.5%
Class 4	96.7% 	Class 11	98.7% 
Class 5	96.3% 	Class 12	99.7% 
Class 6	98.7% 	Class 13	95.3% 
		Class 14	98.3% 

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.**

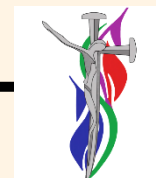
Please click on the link below to see you if would qualify from a free travel pass for your child

<https://www.coventry.gov.uk/schools-schooling/school-travel-passes/2>





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DIARY DATES FOR SPRING TERM 2024

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

Scots Lane:

Monday 29 January

3:30pm Chess Club

3:30pm BoxFit Club

Tuesday 30 January

8.00am Tennis Yr3 &4

3:30pm Hi5 Training

3:30pm ~~Boys Football Team~~ **cancelled**

Wednesday 31 January

8.00am Tennis - Yr 5 & 6

12.30pm CL12 Swimming

3.30pm Girl's Football Club

Thursday 1 February

3:30pm Girls Football Team Training

3:30pm Dance Club

Friday 2 February

3.30pm Boys Football Club

Westhill Road Site

Tuesday 30 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

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY

TO ...



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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

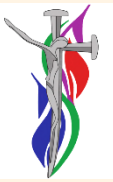
Moat House base:

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

