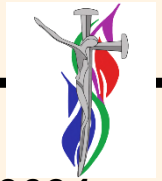




# CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



WEEKLY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER – Friday 9th February 2024

## GOOD LUCK

During the half term, Ms Cruz will be hearing wedding bells as she has a very special celebration to prepare for.

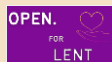
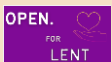
We would like to wish her and Mr Stout all the very best for their Wedding day. We can't wait to see the photographs and hear all about Mr and Mrs Cruz-Stout's special day



This week, Claire the Art Lady has been busy in school. She has painted the most beautiful murals on the windows in the hall at WHR site. Each window links to one of our four house groups. Here is Our Lady of Lourdes. Thanks to the PTA for funding this wonderful artwork. It has made a huge difference to the children's environment.



To begin Lent, we invite you to watch these Daily Retreats from the OneLife Music – Open for Lent series. The children are used to watching these in school and will continue watching these daily videos throughout Lent.



Ash Wednesday: <https://youtu.be/Lk1G9u3QowI>

Thursday: <https://youtu.be/UqSAil64eBI>

Friday: <https://youtu.be/IBMFXCES3Ps>

## SCHOOL MASS

School mass on

**Tuesday 20th February 2024**

will be attended by all pupils in Reception– Year 6 and led by pupils in: **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 25th February**

**9am- Mass Year 6 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.



**REMINDER**

School will be closed to all pupils on **Monday 19th February** due to an additional Teacher Training Day.

## OUR MISSION THIS WEEK

### The Presentation Mission

Be aware of any time this week, when you feel worried or upset.

In those moments, turn to Jesus and invite him to fill you with his peace. You can ask him to take care of everything.





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

## EYFS - CLASS 1

Children in Reception have been learning about Chinese New Year, this is linked to our Multi Cultural, Multi Faith curriculum.



CTK Primary School @CTKPrimaryCov · 1h

Class 1 have been learning about China and the Chinese Lunar New Year.



## KS1 - CLASS 5 - LEON

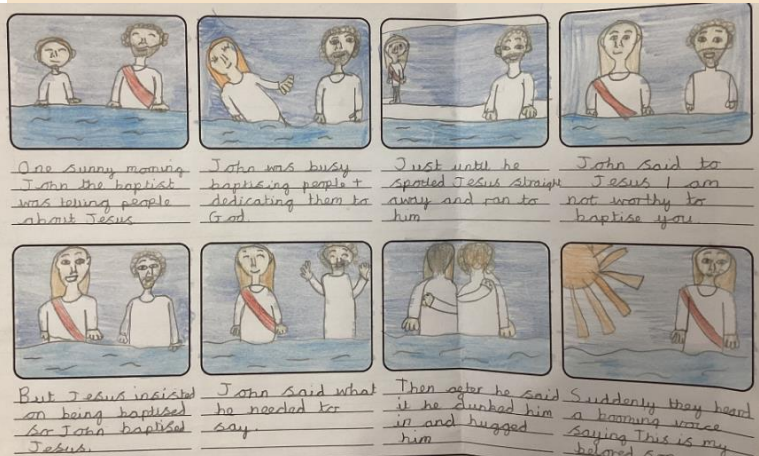
WALT: retell the parable of The Prodigal Son



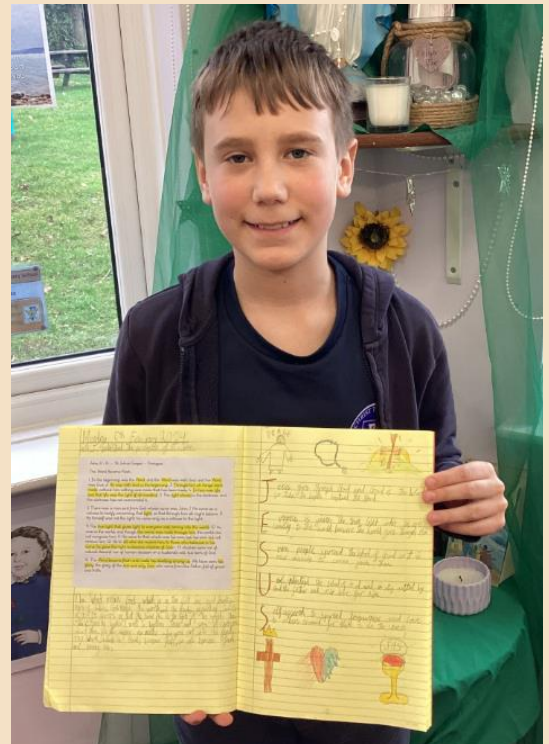
What is Jesus' message in this parable?

Is forgive people.

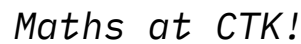
## LKS2 - CLASS 10 - OLIVIA



## UKS2 - CLASS 13 - DOMINIK



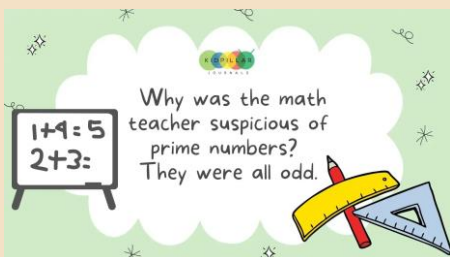
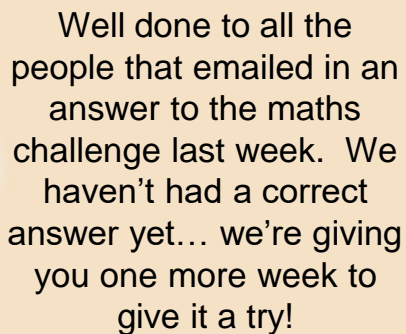




# #CANYOU WORK OUT?

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9	10						

### WHAT IS THE LOWEST NUMBER OF ROLLS THAT COULD GET YOU FROM START TO FINISH?



# Congratulations Year 6!

A huge congratulations to our top 10 players:

## Curtis (Y6)

Catherine M (Y5)

Chloe (Y5)

## Olivier (Y6)

Olivia(Y4)

David (Y6)

Sean (Y6)

Aoife (Y5)

Erin DC (Y5)

Chloe (Y3)



# HALF TERM YEAR GROUP COMPETITION

The competition closes on Monday 19th February at 6pm.

Any points earned between the hours of 7am and 7pm will count.

A maximum of 60mins playing time per day.

## Which year group will win?

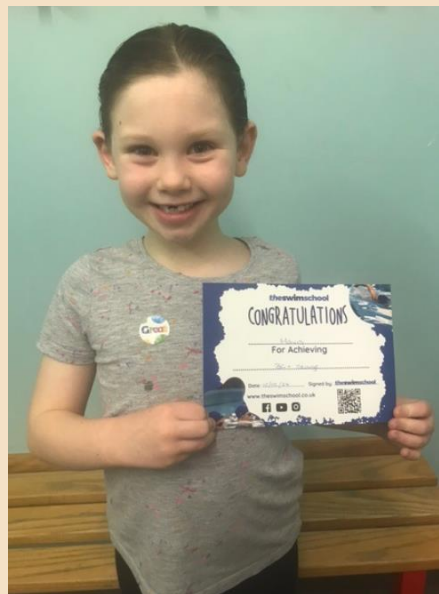
The Prize: An extra playtime!



Year 1 have been playing the mirror game in Maths. We have been exploring doubles and number bonds to 20.







Well done to Mavis for all she has achieved in her swimming lessons. Last week she was awarded a certificate for confidently swimming without arm bands and has also moved up to the next group. Well done Mavis, we are so 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)



Last Saturday, Erin went to see the Ministry of Science live at The Albany Theatre, Erin said that it was ace! Erin was also picked from the audience to participate in a science experiment. What an exciting opportunity!





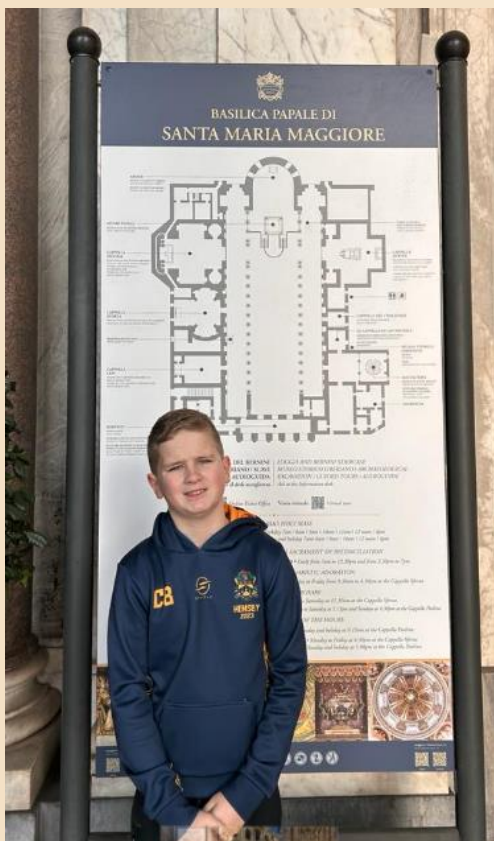


Well done to Odin who had a very successful weekend last Saturday. Odin was awarded player of the tournament at the rugby festival.

He represented Barkers Butts u10s and showcased some excellent rugby skills and great teamwork. Well done Odin, we are very proud of you!



Well done to Harriet who was awarded Managers player at the weekend in her football team. Keep up the hard work Harriet!



Last weekend, Conor had a very exciting experience where he was lucky enough to watch England V Italy at the Six Nations Rugby Tournament in Rome! While in Rome, Conor also had the opportunity to attend 9 am mass, where they had 9 priests serving. What an unbelievable experience, that I am sure Conor will never forget.







# READING NEWS



## Spring term 2024

### Coventry Library - Book quiz

Over the last term, four pupils from Year 6 have been tasked with reading three new books: Tyger, The House of Shells and Moonflight. After February half term they will be working together to compete against other schools to answer questions on the three books. We wish them all lots of luck!

### Book Bank - can you help?

Mrs Walsh, former teacher and now Reading Doctor, has been working hard to gather books for children across the city for those less fortunate. If you have any books at home which are in decent condition and are no longer needed or being read, please could you help out by donating these to school.

### Children's Choice:



Dylan, Y6:

### The Hobbit by J.R.R Tolkien

I really like this book as it is an adventure story. This is a prequel to three other stories within the Lord of the Rings series. My favourite character is Ballin because he was the first dwarf that was kind to Bilbo. If you like mythical creatures then you will most likely enjoy this read.



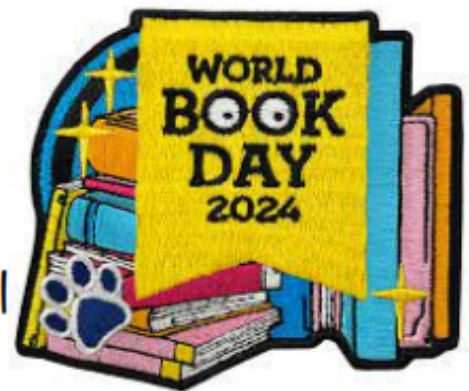


# READING NEWS: WORLD BOOK DAY

## Spring term 2024

This year, World Book day falls on Thursday 7th March.

We are asking all pupils to come to school this day dressed up as a word.



We are excited to see what word they choose to dress up as. Not only is this great for enriching their vocabulary, but is also cost effective and lots of fun can be had. Please see over the page for ideas.

Children at Scots Lane will have an author visit on this day from Lorraine Gregory and children at West Hill Road will take part in workshops on Friday 15th March from illustrator, Steve Smallman. More information will be shared after the half term break.







## READING NEWS: WORLD BOOK DAY

Spring term 2024



Word	Costume idea	Word	Costume idea
Hurl	Athlete with pretend shot putt, hammer or javelin	Secretive	Question marks
Mysterious	Fortune teller	Miserable	Sad face make-up
Courageous	Florence Nightingale, Gandhi, Martin Luther King, Nelson Mandela	Peer	Binoculars
Disguise	Mask, wigs, glasses	Fiery	Red hair and clothes
Swoop	Eagle	Monochrome	Black and white clothing
Occasion	Formal attire	Unkempt	Untidy hair, face and clothing
Irresistible	Cake	Haphazard	Clothes in a random style
Scavenge	Fox, pigeon, seagull, hyena	Fluorescent	Bright clothes
Vanish	Magician	Rhythmic	Drums
Twinkling	Star	Insulated	Coat, gloves and hat
Furious	Miss Trunchbull (from 'Matilda')	Protected	Skating helmet, knee and elbow pads
Ancient	Pyramid	Cuboid	Cardboard box
Squeal	Piglet	Scruffy	Tattered clothes
Stern	A teacher (I)	Dull	Grey clothing
Rundown	Bags under eyes and tired	Blend	Coloured clothing blending together



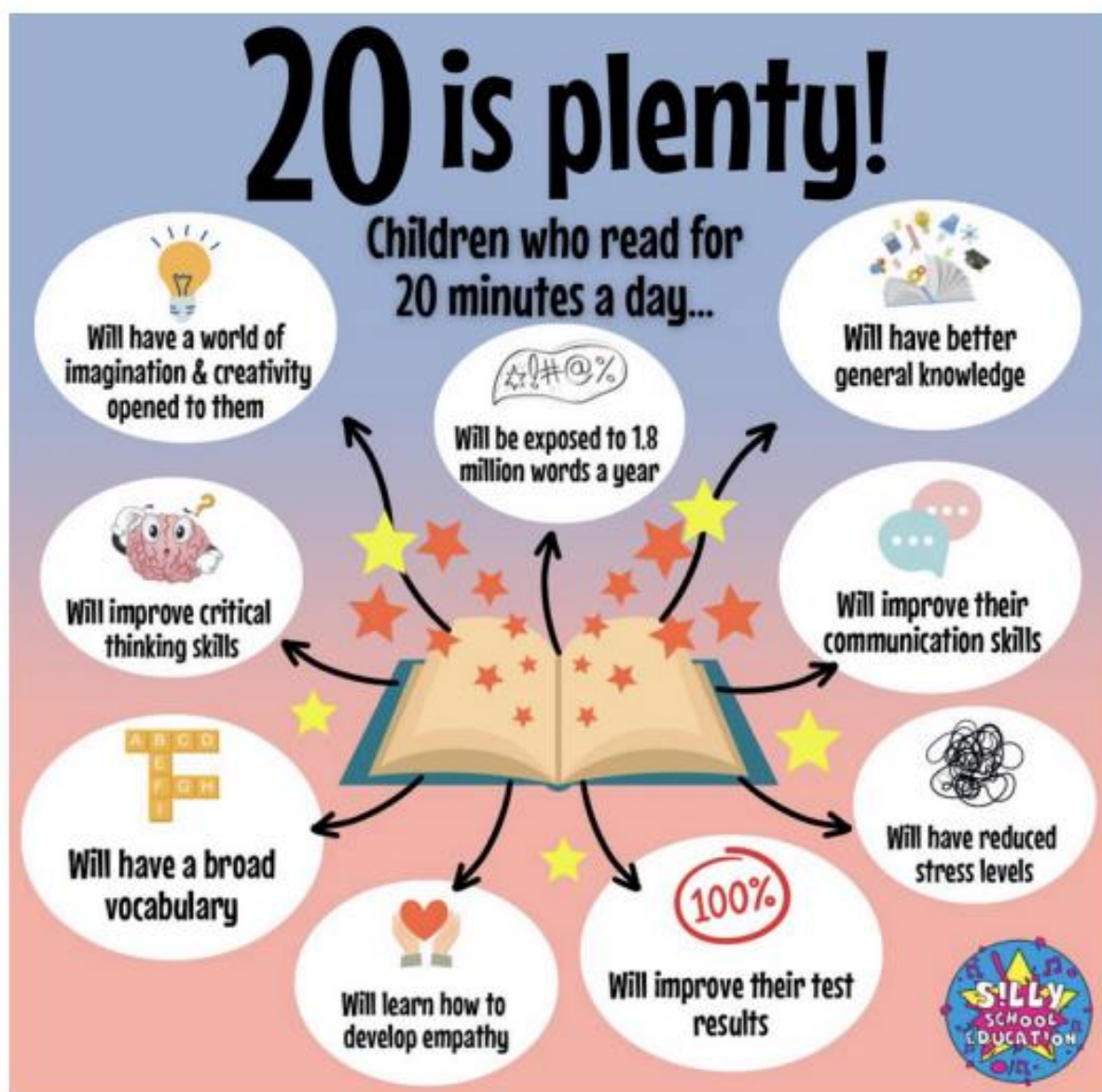




# READING NEWS



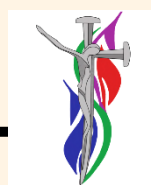
Spring term 2024





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## IMPORTANT DATES FOR THE TERM AHEAD



### February

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February** – Additional Teacher Training Day – school closed to all pupils

### March

**Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March** – Reception and Year 6 – Heights and weights.

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March** – Year 3 Reconciliation – 6pm in church

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March** – World Book Day - more information to follow

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

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March** – Year 5 trip to the Space Centre

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March** – Spring Pupil Progress reports shared with parents via Arbor

### IT'S SHOWTIME

#### CTK PERFORMANCE PLANNER 2023-24

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

#### Class Assemblies

Who?	When?	Where?
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
Nursery	Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> March at 9:15am and 2:30pm	Westhill Road

### CLASS PE TIMETABLE

#### Spring TERM Two - 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> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Year 3</li> <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 2 (Dance)</li> <li>Year 3</li> <li>Year 4</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Year 1</li> <li>Year 5</li> <li>Year 6</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>







## 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	





**Monday**  
Year 6 Rowing  
team in action  
at the School Games  
Rowing competition.



**Monday**  
Nerf Battle breakfast  
club.



## CTK Sports News



**Monday**  
Girls Football team  
in action against  
Holy Family.



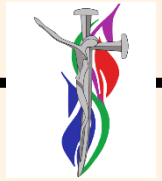
**Wednesday**  
Year 6 Rowing  
4U  
team in action  
at the School  
Games Rowing  
competition.



#PEatCTK







## ENRICHMENT CLUBS BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL



### DIARY DATES FOR SPRING TERM 2024

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

#### Westhill Road Site

##### Monday 19 February

Teacher Training Day

3:15pm – 4:00pm Musical Theatre

##### Tuesday 20 February

3:15pm Chill Out Club with Mrs Hagyard

##### Wednesday 21 February

3:15pm – 4:15pm Language Club

##### Thursday 22 February

3:15pm – 4:00pm Musical Theatre

##### Friday 23 February

#### Scots Lane:

##### Monday 19 February

Teacher Training Day

8:00am Nerf Battle

3:30pm Chess Club

3:30pm BoxFit Club

##### Tuesday 20 February

8.00am Tennis Yr3 & 4 **not on this week**

3:30pm Hi5 Training **cancelled due to match**

3:30pm Boys Football Team

##### Wednesday 21 February

8.00am Tennis – Yr 5 & 6 **not on this week**

12.30pm CL12 Swimming

3.30pm Girl's Football Club

##### Thursday 22 February

3:30pm Girls Football Team Training

3:30pm Dance Club

##### Friday 23 February

3.30pm Boys Football Club





# CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



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)

**This weeks Focus – You Tube**

## TEACHER TRAINING DAYS FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 23-24

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February 2024**

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2024**

## Advice for Parents & Carers

### APPLY RESTRICTED MODE

Restricted Mode is an optional setting that prevents YouTube from showing inappropriate content (such as drug and alcohol abuse, graphic violence and sexual situations) to underage viewers. To prevent your child from chancing across age-inappropriate content on the platform, we would recommend enabling Restricted Mode on each device that your child uses to access YouTube.

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CENSORED

### CHECK OTHER PLATFORMS

Influential content creators usually have other social media accounts which they encourage their fans to follow. Having an open discussion about this with your child makes it easier to find out how else they might be following a particular creator online. It also opens up avenues for you to check out that creator's other channels to see what type of content your child is being exposed to.

### TRY GOOGLE FAMILY

Creating a Google Family account allows you to monitor what your child is watching, uploading and sharing with other users. It will also display their recently watched videos, searches and recommended videos. In general, a Google Family account gives you an oversight of how your child is using sites like YouTube and helps you ensure they are only accessing appropriate content.

### MONITOR ENGAGEMENT

YouTube is the online viewing platform of choice for billions of people, many of them children. Younger children will watch different content to older ones, of course, and react to content differently. You may want to keep an eye on how your child interacts with content on YouTube – and, if applicable, with content creators – to understand the types of videos they are interested in.

## 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)

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**  
**TO ...**

Madison McL

Annie W

Rory C

Isabella W

James C

Thomas N

Freya J

Aidan J

Emily McG

James K

Evie T

Arlo W



Darcey T

Ella-Rose M

Lola S

Ivy A

Enya D









Harriet H







## ATTENDANCE AT CTK

WHR site		SL site	
Class Name	Weekly Attendance 05/01/2024 – 09/02/2024	Class Name	Weekly Attendance 05/01/2024 – 09/02/2024
Nursery	98.5% 	Class 7	92.3%
Class 1	96.8% 	Class 8	98.0% 
Class 2	93.0%	Class 9	92.7%
Class 3	96.0% 	Class 10	90.0%
Class 4	94.0%	Class 11	98.0% 
Class 5	94.0%	Class 12	94.3%
Class 6	96.0% 	Class 13	96.0% 
		Class 14	98.7% 

### 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>





## SYMPTOMS

Rash



High temperature



Runny nose



Sore red eyes



Cough



## Measles: Protect yourself and your family

- Measles, mumps and rubella (MMR) vaccination is the safest protection against measles.
- Two doses of MMR offers the best protection against measles and is free.
- If you have not had two doses of MMR, you can ask to get them from your GP surgery.
- Check to see whether your child has had their two doses just after their 1st birthday and again before starting school.
- For people who do not touch any pork products, there is a version of the MMR vaccine which does not use porcine gelatin in its production.
- Know the symptoms and keep people with symptoms away from others.  
Visit [www.nhs.uk/conditions/measles](http://www.nhs.uk/conditions/measles) for more measles information.

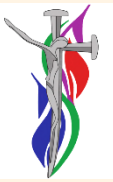
### SPEAK TO YOUR GP IF:

- Your child or someone in your family has missed their first or second dose of the MMR vaccine.
- You or someone in your family show symptoms of measles.

This leaflet has been created in collaboration with Coventry community organisations and champions  
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Runny nose



Cough



Sore red eyes



Rash



NHS

# Measles is circulating

- Measles is extremely infectious and can be serious
- Unvaccinated young children, pregnant women and people with weak immune systems are at greatest risk of severe health complications if they catch measles.
- Symptoms include:
  - high temperature (fever)
  - cold like symptoms such as runny or blocked nose, sneezing or coughing
  - sore, red, watery eyes
  - a blotchy red brown rash, which usually appears a few days after cold like symptoms (sometimes starts on the face before spreading to the rest of the body). The rash may be harder to see on darker skin tones.
  - small white spots inside cheeks and the back of lips (may appear for a few days)
- If you or your child have symptoms of measles, stay at home and phone your GP or NHS 111 for advice – as you could easily spread the virus to others
- If you need to visit your GP or hospital, call ahead to let them know that it could be measles – they will make special arrangements for your arrival to help keep other patients and staff safe.

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## 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:

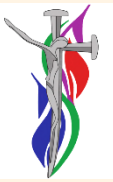
**Tel: 01926 495321 Ext 7494**

**Email:**

**Swg-tr.MoatHouseSchoolNursing@nhs.net**







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

Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> January 1-2:30p.m.

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto: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

