



CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL



WEEKLY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER – Friday 3rd May 2024

FUNDRAISING AT CTK

Thank you to the children and their families who supported today's non school uniform event by donating £1 towards Father Hudson's Care and Myton Hospice.

Well done to the children in Year 4 who organised and led their own stall to raise further funds for the two charities.



There's still time to donate - please send your child in with their donation by Wednesday 8th May.

Across Coventry, more and more people are feeling the pressure from the increasing cost of living. If you're struggling financially or concerned about the future, getting help early can make a big difference.

Lots of support is available from many different organisations to help you manage the cost of living pressures. Please visit

[Cost of living and wellbeing support – Coventry City Council](#)

REMINDER



School will be **closed to all pupils** and staff on **Monday 6th May** due to it being a Bank Holiday

SCHOOL MASS

School mass on **Thursday 7th May 2024 – Ascension Day** will be attended by all pupils in Reception – Year 6 and the readings will be 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 12th May

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.

OUR MISSION THIS WEEK



I Am The Vine Mission

There are many powerful ways for you to connect with Jesus. You can speak to him from your heart, read a part of the Gospels or encounter him in the Sacraments of Reconciliation and the Eucharist. Choose at least one of these ways to stay connected to Jesus, the true vine.





Cardinal Newman are taking 19 students (many of whom are past CTK pupils) to Lourdes in May at the cost of £1000 per student.

All students are making a personal contribution, but they have been fundraising to try and subsidise the cost too.

The students will be visiting Christ the King to talk to the children about their upcoming pilgrimage w/b 13th May.

The students will also be leading a tuck shop on the playground to help raise funds.

We would suggest that children bring in small change and a maximum of £2 each if they would like to buy some treats from the Tuck Shop.

Westhill Road site – Tuck Shop – Wednesday 15th May at 3:15pm

Scots Lane site – Tuck Shop – Thursday 16th May at 3:30pm

(children may also have the opportunity to visit the tuck shop during the school day)

Cardinal Newman have set up a Just Giving page if you would like to donate – please see the link below

Any support you could give would be incredible to help get these students to the Grotto. Whilst in Lourdes, the students will be working in the hospital helping the pilgrims from the Birmingham diocese to get to masses and services, helping with personal care, at mealtimes and taking them for a coffee or to the shops. For some of these pilgrims it's the most interaction they have all year!

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/carmel-keane-3?utm_term=XAMzqGp3x



Carmel Keane

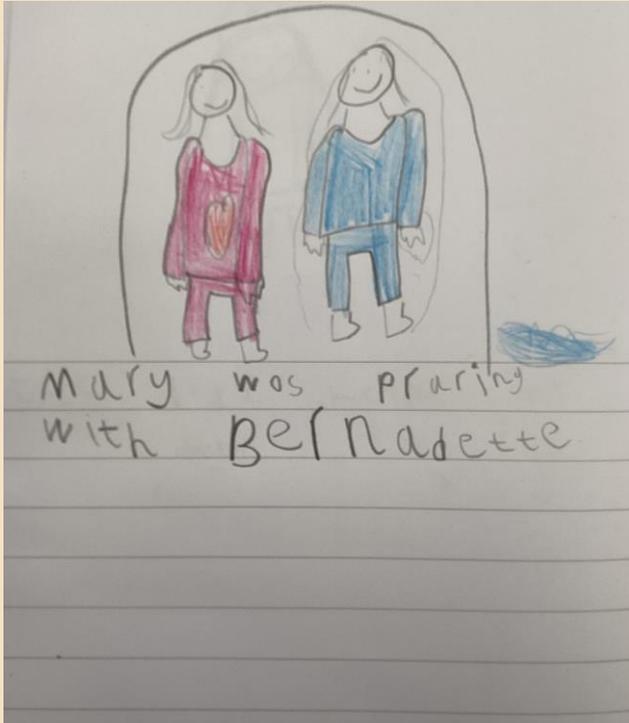
We're raising £1,000 to help students in Year 12 attend a Pilgrimage to Lourdes where they will serve the sick and disabled pilgrims.



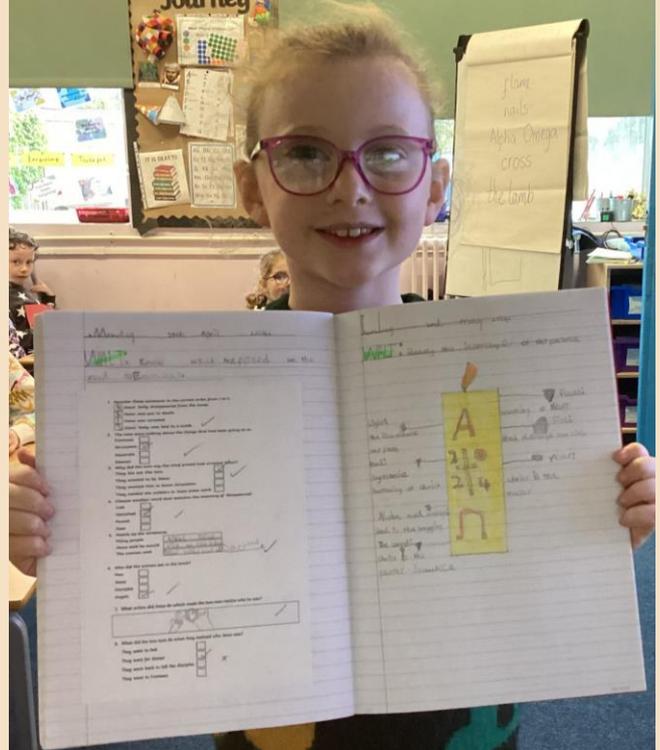


Check out our RE 'piece of the week' from each key stage!

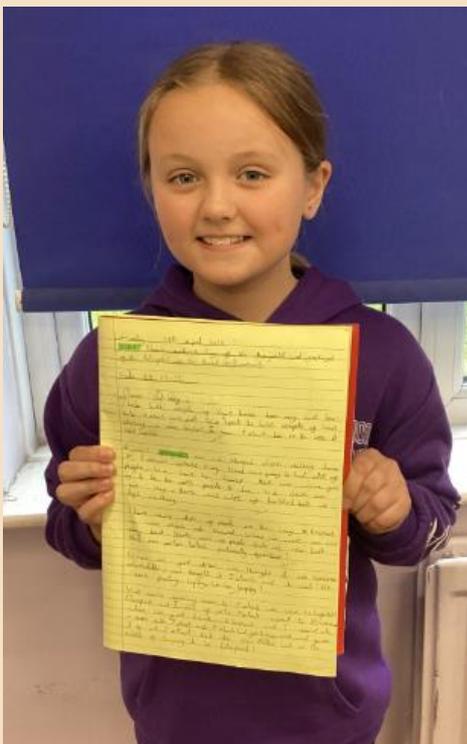
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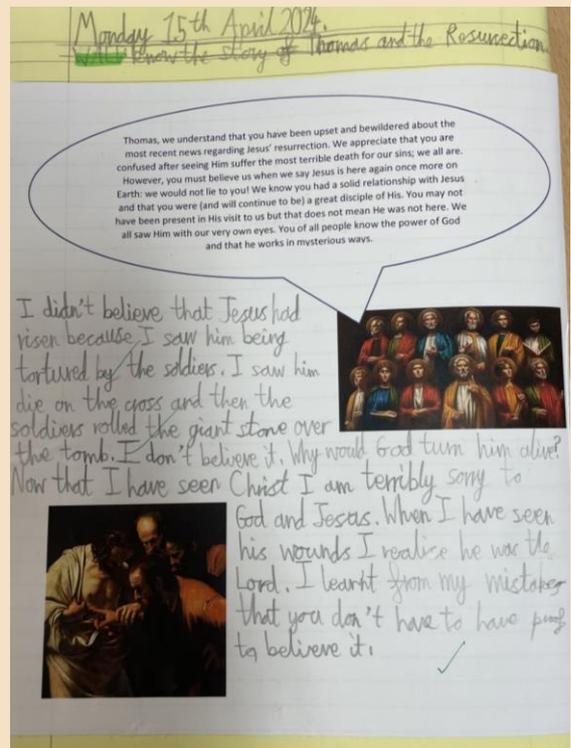
KS1 - CLASS 6 - HARRIET



LKS2 - CLASS 10 - HOPE



UKS2 - CLASS 14 - OLIVIER





Maths at CTK!



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

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

- Class 7 – Patrick
- Class 8 – Arthur
- Class 9 – Bella
- Class 10 – Cillian

Congratulations to:

George C in Class 4

who has completed the Doodle Maths Spring Challenge!



Congratulations to:

Class 1

43% of pupils in the green zone!

DOODLE MATHS MOST STARS EARNED THIS WEEK

- Class 1 – Noah R
- Class 2 – Lola
- Class 3 – Isla-Rose
- Class 4 – Daniel
- Class 5 – Aoife-Mai
- Class 6 – Henry





A huge congratulations to Jack H, who completed the Wolf Run last Sunday raising money for MS Duchenne UK, a charity that supports his friends! Jack ran 6km in torrential rain and tackled 15 obstacles. He has raised a total of £175. Well done Jack, we are very proud of you!



During whole school mass this week, we had a range of children from Year 1 to 5 who participated in the mass. Children contributed by reading beautifully, altar serving and presenting the offertory.



As the sun has been shining this week, some children, along with Mrs Nicol, have used their break or lunchtime time for some gardening

On Monday, we were lucky enough to welcome some volunteers from JLR who helped clear the gardening area. In just one day, they achieved so much! We are still continuing to develop this area, Mrs Nicol and Mr Hadlum have been a huge support in driving this project forward. The PTA have also very kindly agreed to purchase the materials for some new planters which are being hand made for us by some volunteers at the local Scouts group.



Here are some before and after picture – we can't wait to see how this area develops!



After

Before



After

Before



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Before





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LOOK WHAT WE HAVE BEEN UP TO...

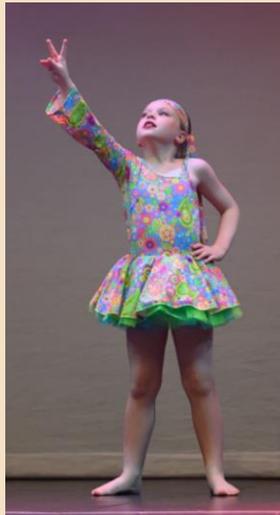


Odin and Moses are extremely proud of their big sister Esmé who is now a World Champion, she won at the ICU Cheerleading All-Girl division with Team England. Esme's team also beat the USA to the title – this is something that has never happened before.

This week, year 5 and 6 started their summer term dance sessions with Ricky! Get ready to see some new dance moves at home!



This week, class 10 were very busy during their book talk session – sharing their favourite book and why!



Last Friday and Saturday some of the children performed in the Chloe Academy of Dance Show, Enchanted.

Miss Riach and Mrs Jackson were lucky enough to be invited to watch the children perform on Friday. The children were amazing, and the costumes were beautiful. It was also lovely to see so many past pupils perform too.





LOOK WHAT WE HAVE BEEN UP TO...



CTK Sports News



Tuesday-

Hi 5 team in action against St Osburgs school in the league.



Tuesday -

School Football team in action against Sacred Heart school in the cup.



CTK Sports News



Wednesday-

A number of children from year 6 were selected to represent the school in the School Games Hado competition. The children had a fab time.





CTK Sports News



Upcoming CTK Sports Events

Catholic Schools Events

-Boys Football team

& Girls Football team league fixtures still be played

-Hi 5 fixture Vs St John Vianney

-Hi 5 fixture Vs Our Lady Of Assumption

-Catholic Schools Football Rally

-Catholic Schools Year 5 Cricket Competition

-Catholic Schools Athletics Competition

-Catholic Schools Girls Football Rally (Hosted at CTK)

School Games Events

-School Games Year 5 Tag Rugby

-School Games OAA Competition.

Coventry Primary Schools

-Coventry Primary Schools Hockey Competition

-Coventry Primary Schools Netball Rally

-Coventry Primary Schools Boys and Girls Football
Fixtures

-Coventry Primary Schools Cross Country
Competition.

Sky Blues In The Community Day

Children to be invited to play on the pitch at the CBS
Arena.



#PEatCTK



Schools Tennis Kit Competition!



West Midlands Police are holding a Schools Tennis Kit Competition.



The school are looking for pupils to design a poster or produce any form of artwork,
photo/video/drawing/model to highlight: Benefits of Sport/Benefits of Tennis.

The winning school/entry will win a Tennis kit that includes balls, rackets, nets, discs and tape
markings.

Entries to be sent in to Mr Hadlum by Tuesday 28th May 2024



#PEatCTK





May

- Monday 6th May** – Bank Holiday- School Closed
- Monday 13th May** – SATS week begins for Year 6 pupils
- Friday 17th May** – Reception - Class 1 and 2 prayer services (1 adult per child to attend please)
- Saturday 18th May** –First Holy Communion CTK church.
Class 7 – 10am / lass 8 – 12noon
- Sunday 19th May** – Crowning of Our Lady – 12noon
- Tuesday 21st May** – Guitar and Drum concert 2:30pm at SL site
- Wednesday 22nd May** – Visiting Theatre company (WHR and SL site)
- Friday 24th May** – Year 6 Family Faith Day 9am in SL Hall
- Friday 24th May** – Last day of Half term

June

- Tuesday 4th June – Thursday 6th June** - First Aid workshop for children. (Funded by the PTA)
- Thursday 6th June**– CTK receive the Flame of Friendship
- Friday 7th June** – Year 1 Family Faith Day
- Saturday 8th June** – Year 6 Confirmation CTK Church
- W/B Monday 10th June** – Statutory Year 1 Phonics Screening to commence
- Friday 14th June** – Year 2 Class Trip
- Friday 14th June** – Year 6 Class Trip
- Tuesday 18th June** – Class Photo Day
- Wednesday 19th June** – Year 4 Class Trip
- Tuesday 25th June** – Year 6 School Nurse Visit
- Friday 28th June** – Year 3 Class Trip

CLASS PE TIMETABLE

Summer 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 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 4 Year 6 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nursery Year 5 Year 4 (swimming)
Thursday	Friday	CTK PE Uniform (Reception – Year 6)
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reception Year 1 (Dance weeks 1-2 only) Year 2 (Dance weeks 1-3 only) Year 3 Year 5 Year 6 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year 1 Year 3 	<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)

IT'S SHOWTIME

CTK PERFORMANCE PLANNER 2023-24

Who?	What?	When?
Music Concert Year 3 – 6	Guitar and Drum Concert	Tuesday 21 st May 2:30pm - SL site
Year 5	Dance Show	Thursday 4 th July SL site 2:15pm
Year 6	Musical	Wednesday 10 th July SL site 2pm and 6pm

Class Assemblies

Who?	When?	Where?
Class 7	Thursday 23 rd May at 2:30pm	Scots Lane site
Class 8	Wednesday 12 th June at 2:30pm	Scots Lane site
Class 10	Wednesday 26 th June at 2:30pm	Scots Lane site
Class 9	Friday 5 th July at 2:15pm	Scots Lane site





Forest School and Enrichment Day Planner

Summer Term

Please note – dates may be subject to change

When?	Who?
Friday 12 th April	Class 8
Friday 19 th April	Class 7
Friday 26 th April	Class 5
Friday 3 rd May	Class 6
Friday 10 th May	Class 4
Friday 17 th May	Class 3
Friday 24 th May	Class 2
HALF TERM	
Friday 7 th June	Class 1
Friday 14 th June	Class N
Friday 21 st June	Class 5 Transition sessions
Friday 28 th June	Class 6 Transition sessions
Friday 5 th July	Class 5 Transition sessions
Friday 12 th July	Class 6 Transition sessions
Friday 19 th July	-
SUMMER HOLIDAY	





ENRICHMENT CLUBS BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL



DIARY DATES FOR SUMMER TERM 2024

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

Westhill Road Site

Monday 6 May - **May Day**

3:15pm – 4:00pm Musical Theatre

Tuesday 7 May

3:15pm Chill Out Club with Mrs Hagyard

Wednesday 8 May

3:15pm – 4:15pm Language Club
(Spanish)

Thursday 9 May

3:15pm – 4:00pm Musical Theatre
3.20pm – 4.20pm Magical Maths

Friday 10 May

Scots Lane:

Monday 6 May - **May Day**

8:00am Nerf Battle (Yr 3/4)

3:30pm Chess Club

3:30pm Cooking Club

3:30pm Girls Football Club

3:30pm Nerf Battle (Yr 5/6)

Tuesday 7 May

8.00am Tennis Yr3 &4

3:30pm High 5 Training **cancelled due to match**

3:30pm Boys and Girls Football Team Training

Wednesday 8 May

8.00am Tennis - Yr 5&6

12.30pm CL9 Swimming

3.30pm Girls Football Club

Thursday 9 May

3:30pm Girls Football Team Training – **moved to Tuesday for four weeks**

3:30pm Dance Club

3:30pm Flag Football Training (NEW!)
(finish at 4:45)

3.30pm Magical Maths

Friday 10 May

3.30pm Boys Football Club





The National College

SAFEGUARDING AT CTK!

The National College

To create your account, please follow:

[https://nationalcollege.com/enroll/christ-the-king\[1\]catholic-primary-school-7](https://nationalcollege.com/enroll/christ-the-king[1]catholic-primary-school-7)

This weeks focus – social media

This safety guide focuses on social media and mental health. It highlights a number of tips such as how to hide content, setting daily limits and discussing what children have seen online.

6. MONITOR THEIR ACTIVITY

Keeping a discreet eye on how your child is using social media can help ensure they're not entering potentially dangerous situations. As they grow up, of course, children need space to exercise their independence – but you can still occasionally ask to see what they're looking at. Be transparent about your own social media use and try not to sound judgemental about your child's.



7. TURN OFF PUSH NOTIFICATIONS



Even for adults, it's tempting to check an email or message as soon as the alert sound pings. Push notifications encourage people to open their apps and spend time on their device, so turning them off will help your child to practise mindful use of tech. Most of us have other things that we need to focus on as a priority – and those notifications will still be there later, when we have more time.

8. USE DEVICES TOGETHER

Giving children internet-enabled devices and complete freedom to explore platforms on their own can result in exposure to hugely damaging content. You could consider making a particular area at home a designated space to use phones, tablets and so on – making it much easier to monitor what content your child is viewing and (if necessary) steer them away from any potentially harmful paths.



TEACHER TRAINING DAYS FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 23-24

Monday 3rd June 2024

CTK PTA CONTACT DETAILS

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X previously known as Twitter

@CTKPTACOV

or contact us via e-mail:

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ...

Oliwia B

Clara H

Kendall C

Joshua F

Rosie-Lee H

Thea R

Lochlan L

Lucie C

Orla-Mai O'C

Lance L

Dawid P

Yara T

Joseph F



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ATTENDANCE AT CTK

WHR site		SL site	
Class Name	Weekly Attendance 29/04/2024 – 03/05/2024	Class Name	Weekly Attendance 29/04/2024 – 03/05/2024
Nursery	96.9% 	Class 7	97.1% 
Class 1	95.3% 	Class 8	94%
Class 2	92.3%	Class 9	94%
Class 3	96% 	Class 10	92.9%
Class 4	99.3% 	Class 11	99% 
Class 5	92.6%	Class 12	95.6% 
Class 6	98.3% 	Class 13	97.7% 
		Class 14	94.7%

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>

