



Christ Church CE Primary School

The Christian faith is at the heart of our school community.



Newsletter Issue 2 – 18th September

Head Teacher's Award

Ethan – Willow Class



Attendance Award

Holly and Sycamore Class - 100%



Upcoming dates for your diary

Monday 21st September

3:30pm-4:30pm – Muay Thai Club – Year 4, 5 and 6
2:30pm-3:30pm – SEND Coffee Afternoon

Tuesday 22nd September

3:30pm-4:30pm – Band Club – Year 1, 2 and 3

Wednesday 23rd September

3:30pm-4:30pm – Coding Club – Year 1, 2 and 3
3:40pm-4:15pm – Preloved Uniform Sale in the hall. (50p per item)

Thursday 24th September

3:30pm-4:30pm – Multi-Sports Clubs – Year 1, 2 and 3 with Coach Rae
3:30pm-4:30pm – Multi-Sports Clubs – Year 4, 5 and 6 with Jhamel

Friday 25th September

Advance dates for your diary

Thursday 8th October

9:00am – 1:30pm – Reception visit to London Transport Museum.

Friday 9th October

8:50am-9:10am – Stay and Read – EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2

Friday 23rd October

9:00am – 10:00am - EYFS Stay, Play and Learn

Home-School Agreement

The school has produced a new home-school agreement to outline commitments and expectations in our partnership with parents. It can be found on our school website at:

Reception to Year 6:

<https://www.cchurchnw1.camden.sch.uk/attachments/download.asp?file=659&type=pdf>

Nursery:

<https://www.cchurchnw1.camden.sch.uk/attachments/download.asp?file=660&type=pdf>

Your child will have brought a copy of this home today. Please sign it and return it to school.

Prayer

Dear God

Thank you for the lovely toys that you make for us.

Thank you for all the learning we have done this week.

Sorry for not always listening to the rules.

Please help us to learn lots.

Amen

Prayer written by Sycamore Class

Our Christian Value this half-term is:

Creation



Christ Church Portrait Gallery

Last week, every class from Nursery to Year 6 created a self-portrait, with each year group exploring a different artistic style and technique. Nursery used paper plates, Reception painted their portraits, Year 1 used oil pastels, and Year 2 completed the missing half of their face. Year 3 created monochromatic portraits, Year 4 produced Frida Kahlo-inspired artwork, Year 5 explored Pop Art, and Year 6 used pencil to draw themselves wearing sunglasses, with the lenses reflecting their hopes and ambitions for the future. The artwork turned out amazingly well and it has been wonderful to see the children's creativity and individuality shining through. Here are some examples below!



Online Safety Tip of the Week

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Healthy Screen Time and Bedtime Routines

Screens are now a normal part of everyday life, but it is important for children to have regular breaks from phones, tablets, televisions and games consoles.

Using screens close to bedtime can make it harder for children to relax and settle to sleep. A helpful routine is to **switch devices off at least an hour before bedtime** and keep bedrooms as screen-free as possible overnight.

Parents and carers can support healthy habits by setting clear routines around when and where devices are used, encouraging regular breaks, and making time for other activities such as reading, playing, talking together or spending time outdoors.

Small changes to screen-time routines can help children switch off, sleep well and develop healthier digital habits.

Stay and Read

We had a fantastic first Stay and Read session of the year, with lots of parents and carers joining us to enjoy books with their children. It was lovely to see so many families, from Nursery through to Year 2, sitting together, sharing stories and helping to foster a love of reading. Thank you to everyone who came along and made the session such a success. We are already looking forward to welcoming you back for our next Stay and Read on Friday 9th October!



Preloved Uniform Sale!

On **Wednesday**, we will be holding a **Preloved Uniform Sale** in the school hall from **3:40–4:15pm**. All items will be priced at just **50p each**, while stocks last. This is a great opportunity to pick up some spare school uniform at a fantastic price!



SEND COFFEE AFTERNOON

Parents and carers — you're invited!



Monday 21st September

2:45pm • Christ Church C.E. Primary School

Come in, have a coffee and chat

A relaxed and welcoming afternoon for parents and carers to meet, ask questions and share ideas.



Meet the SENDCo

Find out about SEND support in school and ask any questions you may have.



Meet our EP

Meet our Educational Psychologist and hear how Educational Psychology can support children and families.



Share your ideas

Tell us what you would like future SEND sessions to cover or what help and advice would be useful.

You don't need to prepare anything — just come along, grab a drink and have a chat!

We would love to see you there