

CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER - MARCH 2026



Dear Parents/Carers, welcome to our Easter newsletter! Once again, it has been a busy term and you can read all about it in our newsletter. Thank you for your continued communication with us and it has been lovely to see so many of you at our parents' evenings during the term. Year 7 parents' evening is the 5th May so we look forward to seeing you then as well. Don't forget to follow our Facebook page for more updates!

HIGHLIGHTS FROM THIS HALF TERM

PEACE GARDEN

Former student, now Councillor Suleman Sarwar has helped to provide a skip for our Laudato Si club to begin clearing a space behind school in preparation for the peace garden they are creating. It is set to be a calm space, welcoming for students, staff and hopefully lots of local wildlife to enjoy. We can't wait to see the fruits of their labour!



FIT FRIDAY 2

Students and staff have been getting active in their usual lessons. Students were involved in activities such as find the quote in English, throwing the ball for answers in lessons and engaging in races on the yard. At breaktime we were treated to free fruit, which was enjoyed by all. Even the staff participated in an inter house game during their morning briefing!



LENTERN CLUSTER SERVICE

The term ended with a Lentern Service at St. Joseph's church. We joined with the primary schools in our cluster and told the first part of the Easter story including the Jesus entering Jerusalem, The Last Supper, The garden of Gethsemane, the trail and the crucifixion. The students involved participated in singing, prayer and reflection and their interpretation of the events was wonderful. Don't forget that there are many opportunities to go to Mass throughout the Easter season.



KEY DATES

Monday 13th April - school opens after Easter break

Friday 24th April - Year 11 Trip to Blackpool

Monday 4th May - School closed for Bank Holiday

Tuesday 5th May - Year 7 Parents' Evening

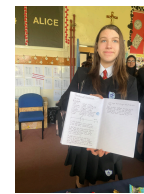
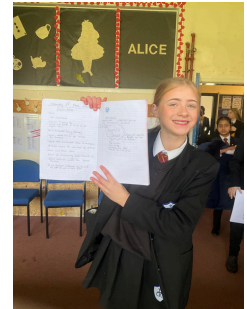
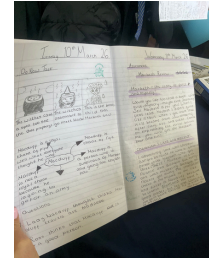
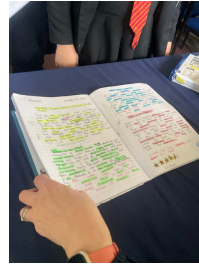
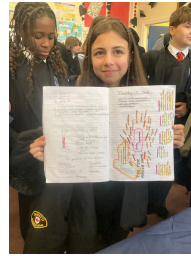
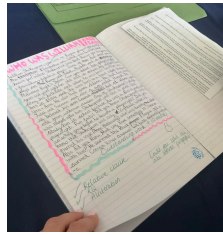
Thursday 7th May - GCSE examinations begin

Friday 22nd May - school closes at 3pm for half-term

Monday 1st June - school reopens at 8.40am for all students

SHINE TABLE WORK!

We continue to be amazed by the continuous outstanding work that is brought to the Shine table. The work shows that students are able to recall previous knowledge through their Do Now activities, self-assessment is completed in red pen, work is presented to a very high standard and green sheets are used to show how the students need to improve their work. The Shine Table is open every Friday break time and stocked with some wonderful prizes - we hope to see lots of students there next term!



YEAR 11, IT'S THE FINAL COUNTDOWN!

We are really proud of Year 11 and the results that have received for their final round of PPE's. As they head into the final stretch, we encourage the students to continue with their revision, including attending study support, completing past papers and engaging with their online revision sources. At home, you can support by encouraging good sleeping and eating patterns, providing a quiet space for them to revise and lots of praise when they attend revision sessions. Attendance to school is vital on this final stretch, be in school and get the expert help and support from your teachers. Keep going Year 11, you've got this!



A MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

Dear Parents/Carers,

As you can see there has been a lot going on both in and out of school. A special mention to our Year 11 students who have remained focused on their studies during this crucial time. We look forward to seeing some of them over the Easter break for their study sessions.

Thanks to the staff who continue to provide wonderful opportunities for all of our students.

We look forward to longer (and warmer!) days as the clocks change and wish you all a very Happy & Holy Easter!

Kind regards, Mrs C Jones

Easter Blessings

As we celebrate Easter, we are reminded of the joy and hope found in the resurrection of Christ.

May this holy season fill our school community with peace, faith, and love.

May our students continue to grow in kindness and reflect God's light in all they do.

Wishing all our families a blessed and joyful Easter.

Christ is risen, Alleluia!

