



# CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

ONE BODY, MANY PARTS

2021-2022 Newsletter 21 (18th February 2022)

## Catholic Life of the School

### Virtues to Live By



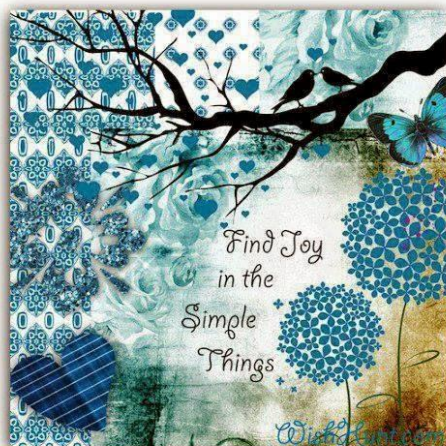
#### Our 'Virtue to Live by' - Simplicity

Our 'Virtues to Live By' for the Spring term are Faith, **Simplicity**, Love/Charity and Forgiveness. For the next few weeks, we will be focusing on the virtue of **Simplicity which means appreciating the little things in life.**

#### Simplicity

**To live this virtue in our daily lives, we need to**

- Appreciate the beauty of creation and understand we are responsible for caring for the world God has created for us.
- Be thankful for what God has provided and be happy with what we have.
- Know that possessions do not lead to lasting happiness.
- Understand that there is enough for everyone and share what we have with others.



#### Key Dates for your diary

**Monday  
February 28th**  
School reopens

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup>  
March**  
Shrove Tuesday  
(Pancake Day)  
Groundwork  
Geography Field  
Trip

**Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup>  
March**  
Ash Wednesday  
- Lent begins

**Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup>  
March**  
World Book Day  
Lunch

**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March-**  
World Book Day  
at Corpus Christi  
Primary

**Monday 21<sup>st</sup>-  
Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup>  
March 2022**  
Travelling Book  
Fair



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## Simplicity- appreciating the little things

**“For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.**


(Matthew 6:21)



Simplicity is the  
key to brilliance.

**Signs we are appreciating the simple things in life.**

- ❖ I know what really matters in life.
- ❖ I can give time to think of others, do good and care for our world- God's creation.
- ❖ Living simply helps me put more trust in God



May we never stop loving all  
the simple things in life. Like  
flowers, the country and  
animal kisses.

-April Peerless-

Spiritual Quotes Meditations  
Beautiful Photographs



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To celebrate World Book Day on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2022, we have planned some fun-filled activities and events which will be held in school to promote the love of reading books

**Fancy Dress Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March**- This year, each class has selected an author. Please come to school dressed as a character from one of the books of the author allocated to your child's class. This can be found on the letter they brought home.

## £1 Book Tokens

Thanks to National Book Tokens, every child in school will receive a £1 book token. This can be swapped for one of the exclusive World Book Day books available at participating booksellers. You can also use it to get £1 off a full price book.

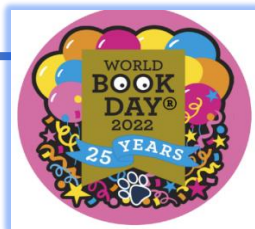
## Competition Time

Join our World Book Day Competition And win a £10 Book Voucher! Make your favourite book character using a potato. To enter, bring your design into school on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March.



Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March - World Book Day themed lunch menu in school.

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**BOOK FAIR** On **Monday 21<sup>st</sup> Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> and Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> March** the Travelling Book Company will be in school with a Spring Book Fair bursting with top quality children's books for you and your child(ren) to enjoy together. You will need **cash** to pay for the books.

Please visit our fair, which will be open for three days from 3:25pm, in the school hall.

**We look forward to seeing you there!**



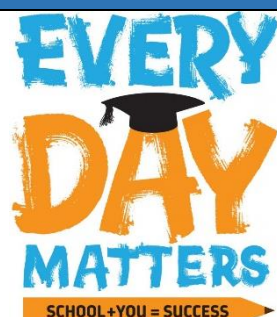




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## Attendance

### Attendance Matters



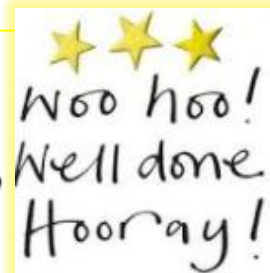
Our school target is <b>97%</b> . 	Class	This week	Last week		Class	This week	Last week
	Reception 1	93.3%	98.2%		Year 3	93%	98.6%
	Reception 2	100%	100%		Year 4	100%	99.7%
	Year 1	98.3%	98%		Year 5	96.5%	98.6%
	Year 1/2	87.6%	97.7%		Year 5/6	100%	100%
	Year 2/3	96.4%	98.6%		Year 6	98.4%	98.1%
		This week's whole school attendance					<b>96.5%</b>

This week our attendance has dropped significantly from last week and is just below our target! The best we can do this week is **96.5%** so well done to all the children who helped us to achieve this and then let us hope everyone is well and returns on the 28<sup>th</sup> determined to achieve full attendance.



A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who always get their children in to school each day and on time.

You are all amazing and we appreciate your support!





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Year 6 held a raffle for Key Stage 2 to raise money for their class charity, Emmaus. There were 3 fabulous prizes- a Leeds United voucher, a Leeds Rhinos shirt and a Chocolate Brownie Traybake. Year 6 managed to raise an amazing amount of £100! Thank you for your generosity to everyone whose child bought tickets and helped to raise this amazing amount.

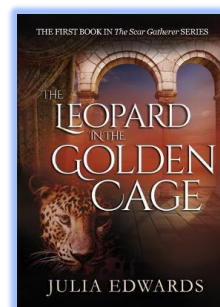
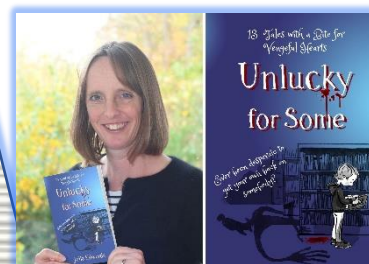
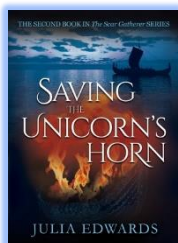






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Julia Edwards, the author of a series of seven children's adventure books about time travel, came to visit Key Stage 2.

She spoke about the main character Joe Hopkins who goes on time travel adventures through history. Julia was very impressed at how 'fantastically engaged' the children were and their knowledge about subjects such as the Great Fire of London, The Vikings and The Tudors.







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Year 6 photos from their visit to Rico's Restaurant last week. They enjoyed finding out about the foods of the Mediterranean as well as making pizzas from Italy and even better – eating them!



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**Have a wonderful half term holiday and remember to**



**God Bless**

**From Mrs Walsh and the team at Corpus Christi Catholic  
Primary School**