



CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

ONE BODY, MANY PARTS

2021-2022 Newsletter 29 (29th April 2022)

Catholic Life of the School

Our 'Virtues to Live By' for the summer term are

- Perseverance and Resilience
- Kindness
- Honesty
- Service

'Virtue to Live by' Perseverance and Resilience



Perseverance is the ability to keep going when things are tough. Perseverance means "not giving up".

'O God, put a steadfast spirit within me.'
(Psalm 50:12)

Resilience is the ability to 'bounce back' after challenges and tough times.

"The Lord is my strength and my song."
(Psalm 118:14)

Dates for your Diary

3rd May-20th May
Year 2 tests

9th-12th May
Year 6 test week

Friday May 20th
School closes for mid-term break on

Monday 6th June
School reopens

Wednesday June 15th
Year 4 visit to Nell Bank

**Wednesday 15th-
Friday 17th June**
Year 6 Residential

Perseverance & Resilience



We persevere.

We are resilient.

*We will not give up
as we have faith and hope,
even when things are difficult.*

**PERSEVERANCE
+
HARD WORK
=
SUCCESS**

*Resilience is knowing that **you**
are the only one that has the
power and the responsibility
to pick yourself up.*





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Attendance

Every Day Counts



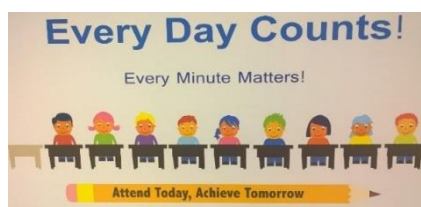
| Our school target is 97% .  | Class | This week | So far this year | Class | This week | So far this year |
|---|-------------|-----------|------------------|----------|-----------|------------------|
| | Reception 1 | 93.9% | 96.1% | Year 3 | 100% | 97.8% |
| | Reception 2 | 98.2% | 97.7% | Year 4 | 97.4% | 97.3% |
| | Year 1 | 89% | 95.1% | Year 5 | 97.2% | 96.2% |
| | Year 1/2 | 97% | 95% | Year 5/6 | 100% | 98.7% |
| | Year 2/3 | 97.5% | 97.4% | Year 6 | 95.5% | 96.5% |
|  This week's whole school attendance | | | | | | 96.6% |

This week is our first full week back after Easter and attendance overall is below our school target. You can also see in our attendance chart your child's class attendance so far since the start of the school year. The total figure from September to now is 96.89% which is just below our school target of 97%.

So, we need to up our game slightly and get above 97% for the coming weeks.

There will be attendance meetings for some pupils.

Remember there are 2 sessions to every day so if you sleep in you should still bring you child into school even if it is later.



A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who constantly bring their children into school each day and on time.





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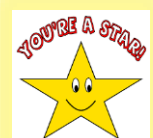
Our wonderful 'Stars of the Week'



| 29th April 2022 | | |
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| Class | Star of the week | Reason for the award |
| Reception 1 | Ronnie-May | For being a kind friend to everyone |
| Reception 2 | Khadija | For always being a good friend. |
| Year 1 | Lucas | For working hard and having a positive attitude to his learning |
| | Maya | For working hard and always trying her best. |
| Year 1/2 | Isaac | For focusing on his work and making improvements to his writing |
| | Bakary | For his interesting story about The Queen's Hat. |
| Year 2/3 | Temidayo | For the improved effort in his learning. |
| | Faith | For always having a positive attitude. |
| Year 3 | Jeremy | For his high level of focus and work, when doing his writing. |
| | George | For going above and beyond to understand fractions. |
| Year 4 | Riley C | For a phenomenal improvement in his skipping skills and confidence. |
| | Evie P | For a phenomenal improvement in her skipping skills and confidence. |
| Year 5 | Jayden | For having a fantastic attitude towards his learning and showing enthusiasm in every lesson. |
| | Elise | For showing great enthusiasm in maths and producing excellent maths work. |
| Year 5/6 | Chisom | For always having a fantastic attitude to learning. |
| | Daniel | For working extremely hard throughout practice SATs week. |
| Year 6 | Luiza | For improving attitude to her learning. |
| | Layton | For improving attitude to his learning. |



**Congratulations to all our
superstars this week!**





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Skills Builder Award

This year we are awarding a Skills Builder Award to one child in each class each week.

Research shows that building essential skills supports:



Social and emotional wellbeing




Learning and academic outcomes



Careers and opportunities

28 April 2022

| Class | Skills Builder Awards | <p>Our focus for this half-term is</p>  <p>Creativity is the ability to think about a task or a problem in a new or different way, or the ability to use the imagination to generate new ideas.</p> <p>Creativity enables us to solve complex problems or find interesting ways to approach tasks. If we are creative, we can look at things from a unique perspective.</p> |
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| Reception 1 | Luca | |
| Reception 2 | Jeshua | |
| Year 1 | Maizie | |
| Year 1/2 | Lola | |
| Year 2/3 | Sonny | |
| Year 3 | Archie | |
| Year 4 | Liam | |
| Year 5 | Talent | |
| Year 5/6 | Nasiya | |
| Year 6 | Sawiyya | |





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What's happening in school

Dear Parent/Carer,

We are delighted to inform you that our pupil led School Council have decided to host the following celebrations for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. We will be having a day of exciting activities on Friday 20th May where children will have the opportunity to learn all about our monarch and the royal family.



Non-Uniform Day, pupils can come to school wearing red, white and blue.

A Jubilee picnic lunch will be provided on this day, please note a hot meal will be served on this day. A variety of traditional games will be available for throughout the day, plus a puppet show.



Crown Making, as part of our Skills Builder challenge of creativity, we would like pupils to design and make their own crown at home which they can bring to school on Friday 20th May TO take part in a procession.



We will end the day with an afternoon tea.

We would ask for a voluntary contribution of **£1.00** to support this event.

We hope this will be a wonderful learning and memorable experience for the children as well as an opportunity to celebrate this momentous occasion.

Yours sincerely,

The School Council- representing pupils' view



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Reception had a wonderful day celebrating Easter. They brought their teddies from home to have a picnic and to raise money as part of our Lenten fundraising. Then Miss Kemp hid the Easter eggs left by the Easter Bunny in the outside area for the children to find. They had such fun finding the eggs!





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A fantastic day was had by Year 1 and Year 4 on Monday, putting their team building skills to the test with The Den Man. Thankfully the weather stayed dry and they thoroughly enjoyed the day. There were some excellent examples of dens by both classes by the end of the day.





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As part of their Geography Topic about rivers, Year 3 visited Nell Bank in Ilkley. There, they explored the woods, went pond dipping and learnt about how a river begins and ends as well as linking it to the water cycle.

The Rangers were very impressed with their listening skills and their knowledge and commented on how beautifully behaved the children were. Well done Year 3!



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CLASSROOM
KITCHEN

Amazing cooking skills were demonstrated this week by Year 5 pupils who prepared their own 'Dutch Apple Crumble'.



Year 5 pupils
prepared their
own apple
crumble.



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Leeds CAMHS Crisis Call
0800 953 0505

A helpline for under 18s
Every day 8am-8pm

NHS
Leeds Community
Healthcare
NHS Trust

Are you a parent worried about your child? Do you know a young person struggling to cope? Are you unsure about how to help them and need some guidance and advice?

The NHS in Leeds operates a Freephone helpline for under 18s between 8am and 8pm every day. They offer young people and their families or carers advice, support, someone to listen, or signposting as appropriate, regardless of the circumstance.

You will be put through to a skilled crisis advisor who will listen and talk through concerns, support and will provide practical advice on what to do next. Our team offers in-the-moment support and efficient response for anyone up to the age of 18 during moments of distress, ensuring that immediate access to help will be provided if necessary.

Leeds CAMHS Crisis Call Helpline is open 8am – 8pm, 7 days a week, 365 days a year. You can call us for free on **0800 953 0505**.

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