



CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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2022-2023 Newsletter 18 (3rd February 2023)

Our 'Virtues to Live By' for the Spring Term are

- Friendship,
- Love of Neighbour (Compassion)
- Self-control
- Reflection

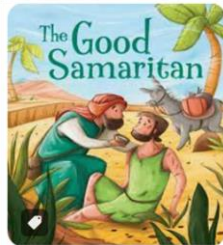


Love of Neighbour and Compassion

For the next few weeks, we will be focusing on the virtue of Love of Neighbour (Compassion). Compassion is understanding and caring when someone is hurt or troubled, even if we do not know them. We show our Love of Neighbour (Compassion) by helping others near and far, especially the less fortunate and loving others through our just actions.

Love of Neighbour and Compassion

A perfect example of this virtue is the parable of The Good Samaritan which the children listened to in today's Collective Worship. We have all heard this story many times but it is always good to reflect on how we can all be like the three travellers on the road of life. On occasions, we can be like the priest or Levite by crossing the road and walking by when someone needs our help and compassion. However, we must always try to be like the Good Samaritan.



We show compassion and love of neighbour when:

- We know that loving our neighbour means caring for EVERYONE.
- We show our compassion when we are patient, understanding and loving to others.
- We treat others as we want to be treated.
- We say kind and loving things.
- We share our things with others.
- We do little things for others to make them happy.
- We show affection.
- We notice when someone needs our help.
- We show we care by listening to others.
- We help people and animals in need.



Diary Dates

Wednesday 8th
February

3.50-6.20pm
Parent
Consultations

7pm
Confirmation
Service for
candidates



Thursday 9th
February
4.45-7.30pm
Parent
Consultations

Friday 10th
February
School closed
Training Day for
staff

Saturday 11th-
Monday 20th
February
School closed for
mid-term break

Monday 20th
February
School closed
Training Day for
staff

Tuesday 21st
February
School reopens

Fancy Dress Friday 3rd March

This year, come to school dressed either in a costume of your favourite book character or pyjamas or onesie!

Please do not spend any money on this event.



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Our Wonderful 'Stars of the Week'

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Class	Star of the week	Reason for award
Reception 1 Miss Horkan	Caleb	For always listening and trying his best.
Reception 2 Miss Kemp	Michael	For writing independently.
Year 1 Miss Kirk	Orighoye	For his wonderful work in RE and for showing a good understanding of what he had learnt.
	Ryan	For working hard and showing an improved attitude to his learning and behaviour.
Year 1/2 Mrs Child	Amber	For becoming more independent in her addition and subtraction skills.
	Kehinde	For an amazing first week in his new class.
Year 2 Mrs Kilvington	Salma	For super skipping this week.
	Hannah	Showing kindness and care to others around her.
Year 3 Mr Herron	Alfie	For always having a can-do attitude and bringing a smile to people's faces.
	Oscar	For his excellent focus and perseverance across all subjects.
Year 4 Miss Moore	George	For valid contributions in Guided Reading and for trying his best in all his lessons.
	Tessa	For being resilient in Maths and for always trying her best in all her lessons.
Year 4/5 Mr Goodall	Sonny	For using a range of strategies when dividing.
	William	For a big improvement in the presentation of his work.
Year 5/6 Mr Doyle Miss Guy	Chloe	For showing exceptional resilience to all her learning.
	Petra	For contributing to all her lessons and always giving her best.
Year 6 Miss Oxley	Lucy	For working exceptionally hard across the curriculum.
	Samara	For always having a fantastic attitude to learning.



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Skills Builder Award

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Social and
emotional
wellbeing



Learning and
academic
outcomes



Careers and
opportunities

Class	Skills Builder Awards
Reception 1	Vienna
Reception 2	Eli-Gold
Year 1	Rohaam
Year 1/2	Krishna
Year 2	Harriet
Year 3	Ryan
Year 4	Luana
Year 4/5	Brianna
Year 5/6	Ruby
Year 6	Jake

This skill is all about pupils being equipped to manage their emotions effectively and being able to remain motivated, and ultimately to motivate others, even when facing setbacks.

The early steps focus on identifying emotions – particularly feeling positive or negative. Building off that is the ability to keep trying – and then staying calm, thinking about what went wrong, and trying to cheer up and encourage others.

These children have all displayed amazing 'Staying Positive' skills this week.





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Year 2 enjoyed their first skipping session this week. They learnt how to listen to the click before jumping. Everyone really enjoyed taking part in the big skip. Remember to keep practising in preparation for the skipping festival in the summer term!



fitness
through fun
for everyone



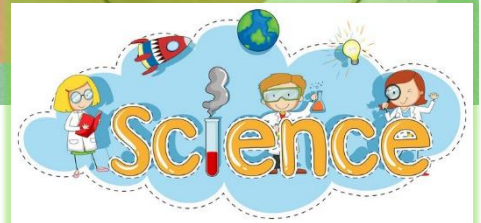
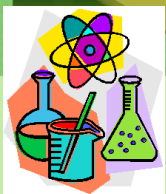
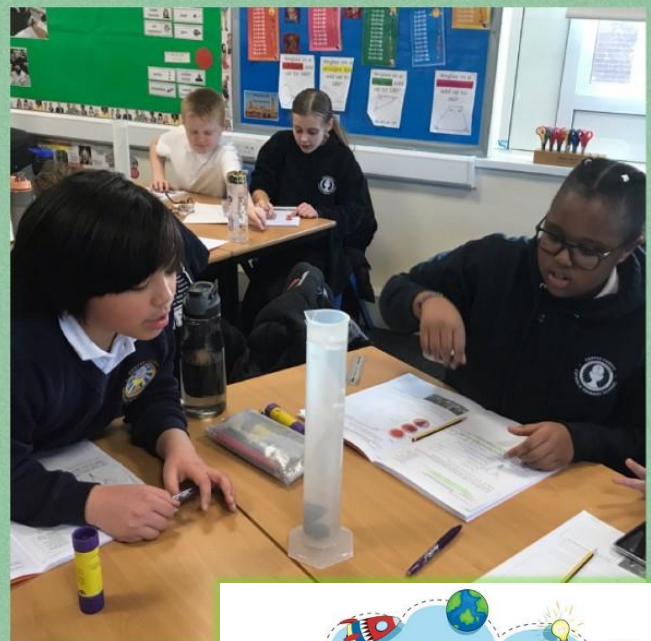
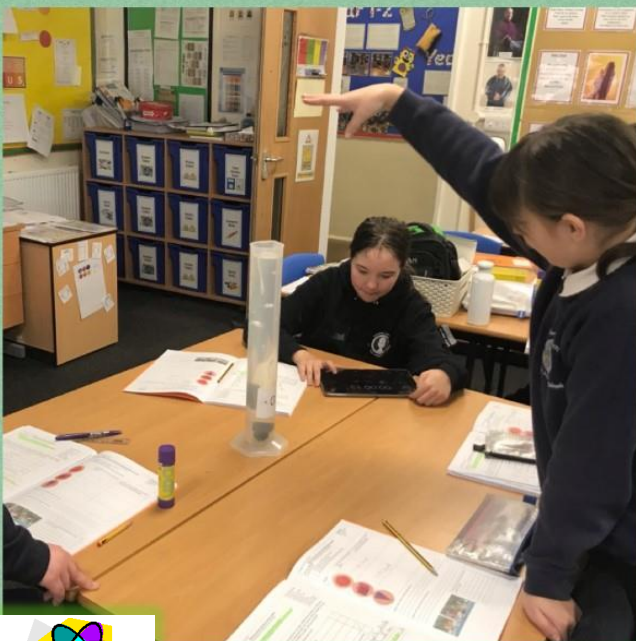
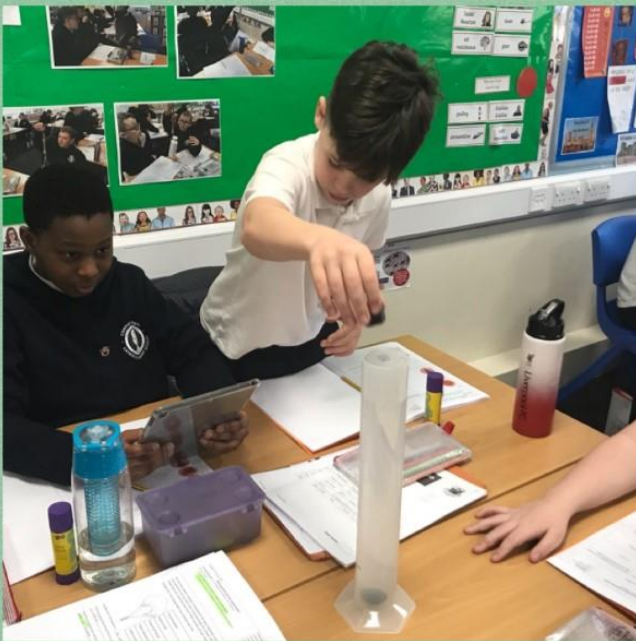


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Year 6 have been learning about water resistance. They carried out their own science experiment to investigate streamline shapes. They used play dough to create different shapes and observed how they travelled in the water.

Mrs Hossack was very impressed with their organisation as well as their science and teamwork skills.





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This week in P.E., Year 4 were developing their map skills. They had use these skills to follow a particular pattern in order to find the correct mathematical answer. There was lots of wonderful teamwork on display to achieve great results. Well done Year 4.





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For their science topic 'Seasons,' Year 1, Year 1&2 and Year 2 went on a walk of the local area to observe features of the season. It was very windy and cold but all the children managed to spot some winter changes!



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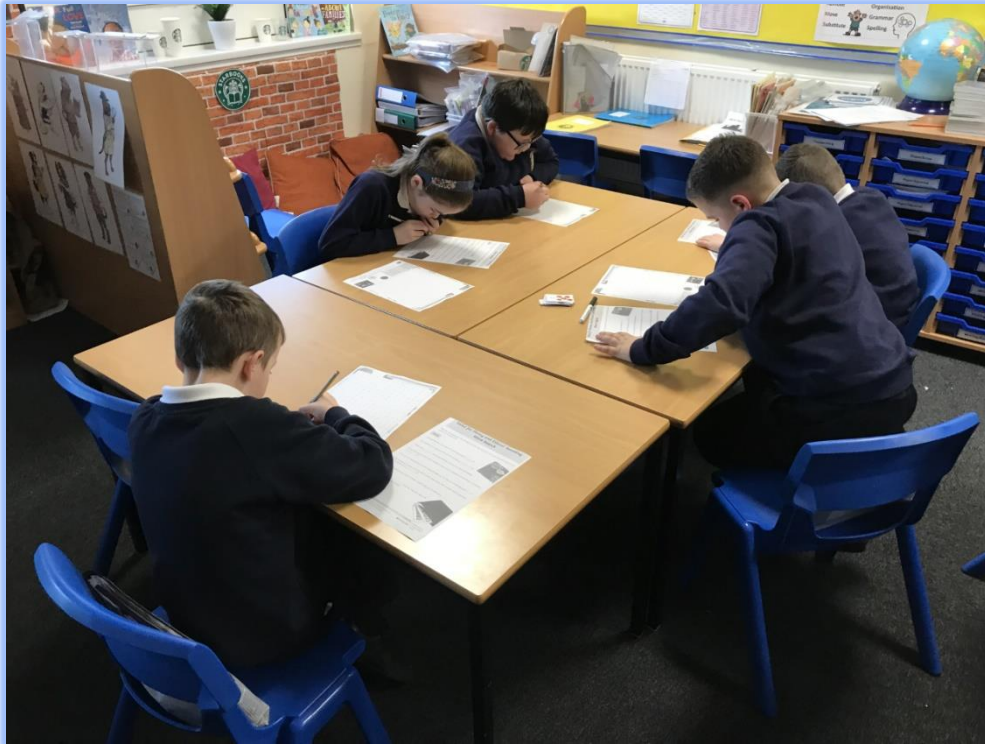




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This week, Year 3 took part in a Money Matters lesson, exploring the value of money and how people need to make informed choices when they purchase something. The children were able to identify the best and worst value purchases and enjoyed debating what the best option would be.





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Reception children welcomed Miss Gilby from Classroom Kitchen for their themed cooking experience as part of their Chinese New Year celebrations. They learnt how to grate a carrot and chop spring onions and bean sprouts using the claw and bridge methods. The upstairs corridor smelt delicious as the spring rolls were cooking and lots of adults popped in to see all the little chefs at work! A wonderful Chinese banquet was enjoyed by all...what a fantastic learning opportunity!



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Notices



Please keep in your prayers all our children preparing for Confirmation as they approach the end of the preparations. They will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation from Bishop Marcus on Wednesday 8th February in Corpus Christi church.



You are still able to book an appointment. Please follow the link to our booking system sent by text on Monday 23rd January.

Wednesday 8th February

**3.50-6.20pm
Parent Consultations**

Thursday 9th February

**4.45-7.30pm
Parent Consultations**

The aim of the consultation is to discuss your child's current attainment levels, their progress as well as their behaviour, attendance and punctuality to enable them to reach their full potential. It is also an ideal time to share ideas about how you can support your child at home.

The appointments HAVE BEEN SENT BY A LINK VIA A TEXT Please follow the link which will be sent by text to book a 10-minute appointment.



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How long should you keep your child off school checklist



Should I keep my child off school?



Yes

Until...

Chickenpox	at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over
Diarrhoea and Vomiting	48 hours after their last episode
Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19)	they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19.
Impetigo	their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics
Measles	4 days after the rash first appeared
Mumps	5 days after the swelling started
Scabies	they've had their first treatment
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after they started taking antibiotics
Whooping Cough	48 hours after they started taking antibiotics

No

but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

Hand, foot and mouth	Glandular fever
Head lice	Tonsillitis
Threadworms	Slapped cheek



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Advice and guidance
To find out more, search for health protection in schools or scan the QR code or visit <https://qrco.de/minfec>.

Do I need to keep my child off school?

Chicken Pox Until all spots have crusted over	Conjunctivitis No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Diarrhoea & Vomiting 48 hours from last episode	Glandular Fever No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Hand, foot & mouth No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Impetigo Until lesions are crusted & healed or 48 Hours after commencing antibiotics
Measles or German Measles 4 days from onset of rash	Mumps 5 days from onset of swelling	Scabies Until after first treatment	Scarlet Fever 24 hours after commencing antibiotics	Slapped Cheek No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Whooping Cough 48 Hours after commencing antibiotics
Flu Until recovered	Head Lice No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Threadworms No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Tonsillitis No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed		





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Thank you for your continued support
Have a lovely week
God Bless
From Mrs Walsh
and the team at
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