



CORPUS CHRISTI CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Virtues to Live By

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Charity means



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Signs we are living the virtue of Charity

- ❖ We show our love for God through our loving concerns for everyone especially those in need of our help.
- ❖ We treat others with the respect and kindness we would want for ourselves.



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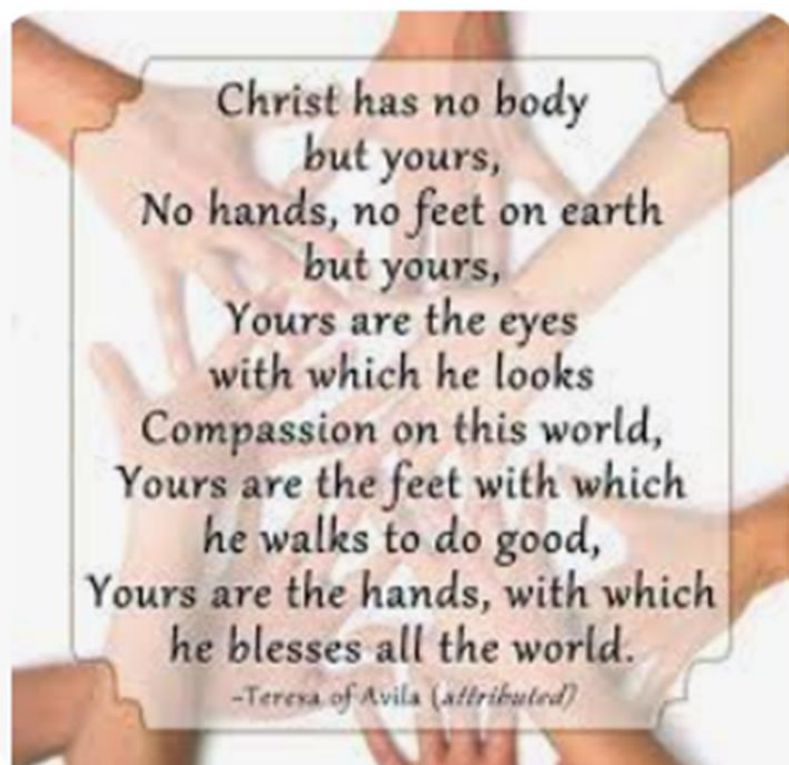
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Mission



Each week we send the children out with a 'mission' to actively live out their faith in their everyday lives.

During this season of Lent, we will show our love for our neighbour by supporting our Lenten fundraising in school.





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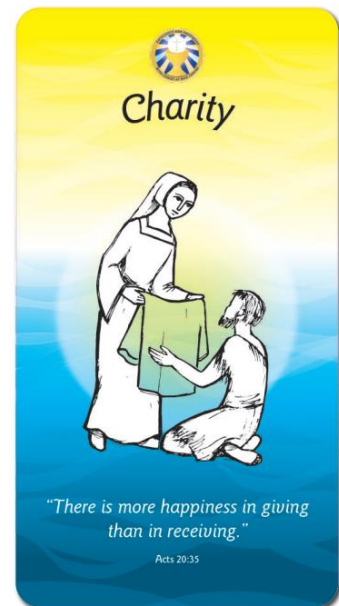


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(10-14th March 2025)

Class	Recipient	Our focus 'Virtue to Live By' is Charity .
Reception	Olivia	
Reception/Year 1	Naomi	
Year 1	Lois	
Year 2	Jesse	
Year 2/3	Giovanni	
Year 3	Bella	
Year 4	Emmanuel	
Year 4/5	Harriet	
Year 5/6	Raine	
Year 6	Jessica O	





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Thank you to all who took part in Year 3's juice and biscuit event this week which was open to the whole school. Year 3 raised over £160.00 which is an amazing achievement. Well done everyone involved!



YEAR 3 LENTEN FUNDRAISER JUICE AND BISCUIT SALE





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During Lent we have been organising different events to raise money for the Good Shepherd and CAFOD. Our Mini-Vinnies organised a collection today of packets of food or 50p, as part of CAFOD's Family Fast Day. We had an abundance of food donated which will be passed on to the Parish to redistribute to those in need. All the 50p donations will go towards the CAFOD Family Fast. Thank you everyone, we are very grateful for your generosity. Well done to our Minnie Vinnies.



Mini Vinnies

See - Think - Do!



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Our Wonderful 'Stars of the Week' (10-14th March 2025)



Class	Star of the week	Reason for the award
Reception Miss Horkan	Tapiwa	Tapiwa for his wonderful reading.
Reception/Year 1 Miss Kirk	Harley	Harley for a great effort in reading and phonics.
Year 1 Miss Laxton	Joseph	Joseph Ng- For showing such a positive attitude to his work and greater independence.
	Khadim	For amazing effort during his independent learning.
Year 2 Mrs Child	Eli-Gold	For being a reliable member of the class. He is always trying his best to improve his learning and works hard in all areas.
	Nora	For being a wonderful working partner in cooking this week. She was a very kind and supportive friend.
Year 2/3 Miss Currie	Anaya	For improved focus and effort in all areas of learning.
	Jonatan	For being a kind friend and showing his caring nature to others in class and around school.
Year 3 Mrs Hossack	Selome	For excellent effort in writing lessons.
	Luca	For being an excellent learning partner.
Year 4 Mr Goodall	Zachariah	For being a positive role model.
	Bella	For always showing a positive attitude in all areas of the curriculum.
Year 4/5 Miss McBride	Joshua	For wonderful contributions during RE when studying the Parable of the Lost Son. Well done!
	Parker	For improving fluency when reading aloud and being focused within reading lessons. Well done!
Year 5/6 Miss Guy	Joey	For working hard and always trying his best in all his lessons.
	Evie-Lea	For always trying her best in all her lessons especially writing.
Year 6 Mr Doyle	Harvey	For being a wonderful role model to all with his attitude to his work and his classmates.
	Jessica Z	For always being positive and being prepared to help and support others every day.



This week these star pupils have made us so proud.

Well done everyone!





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Essential Skills



Each week we award a Skills Builder Award to one child in each class who has displayed the skills focused on that week.



Skills Builder Award (10-14th March 2025)

Class	Recipient	
Reception (Miss Horkan)	Olivier	<p>Our focus Skills Builder skill is....Problem Solving <i>The ability to find a solution to a situation or challenge</i></p>  <p>This skill focuses on how to solve problems, recognising that while part of Problem Solving is technical know-how and experience, there are also transferable tools that individuals can develop and use.</p> <p>The first steps focus on being able to follow instructions to complete tasks, seeking help and extra information if needed. The next stage focuses on being able to explore problems by creating and assessing different potential solutions. This includes more complex problems, without a simple technical solution.</p>
Reception/Year 1 (Miss Kirk)	Kalab	
Year 1 (Miss Laxton)	Jamal	
Year 2 (Mrs Child)	Julen	
Year 2/3 (Miss Currie)	Gloria	
Year 3 (Mrs Hossack)	Alana	
Year 4 (Mr Goodall)	Dwayne	
Year 4/5 (Miss McBride)	Ryan	
Year 5/6 (Miss Guy)	Polly	
Year 6 (Mr Doyle)	Amelia	

These children have all displayed amazing **problem solving** skills for this week.





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As part of Science Week, we invited a science teacher into school from the Leung Fair Start Foundation to work with our KS2 children. The Leung Fair Start Foundation is a charity that our school is working with to enhance our science teaching.

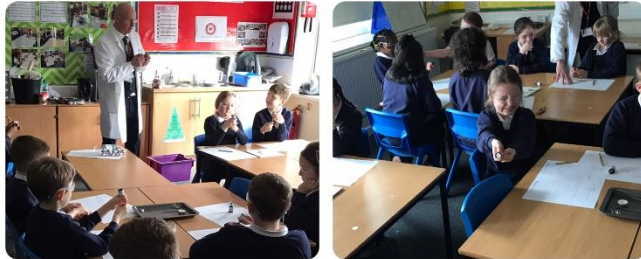
The focus for Science Week this year is 'Change and Adapt' so our children carried out experiments to find out what a firework is and look at combustion. The children closely observed what happened when they pulled a party popper, lit a sparkler and set off a bang snap. They recorded what they saw, smelt and heard. The children thoroughly enjoyed the session and were able to show an amazing knowledge of science.





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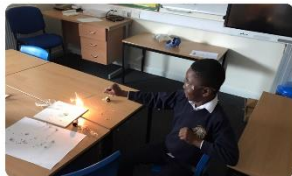
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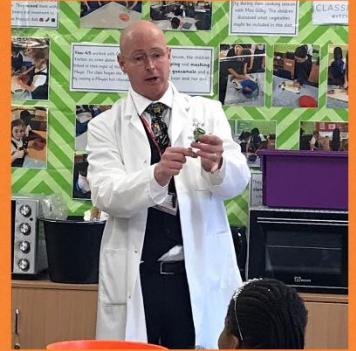
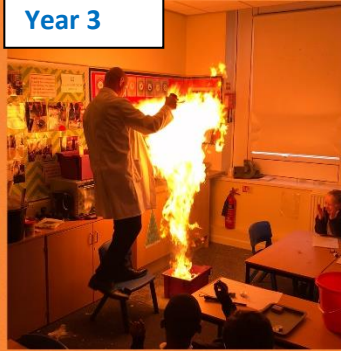
Year 4



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Year 3



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Year 6





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Marking Irish History Month



This week, **Year 4** were visited by Mr Hurley and Mr Mallowney from the Irish Arts Foundation for Irish History Month 2025. The children were taught about the local Celebrations for St. Patrick's Day and really enjoyed listening and dancing to the traditional music.



To mark Irish History Month 2025, the children in **Year 4/5** had a fantastic afternoon listening to Irish music and learning an Irish dance! The children thoroughly enjoyed this experience and are looking forward to St Patrick's Day


IrishArts
Foundation



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Year 3 were very fortunate to take part in two special PE lessons with Leeds Rhinos. The children developed their throwing and catching skills and had lots of fun applying their new skills in a game of rugby. The coaches were very impressed with the sporting talent we have at Corpus Christi.



This week, **Year 4/5** enjoyed learning about the importance of having a healthy lifestyle in an assembly led by Leeds Rhinos. The children discussed the impact diet, exercise, sleep and person hygiene have on our lives. The children then took part in the quickest Rob Burrow's Marathon!



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Attendance

EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS!
Our attendance target is **97%**
Every pupil, on time, every day.

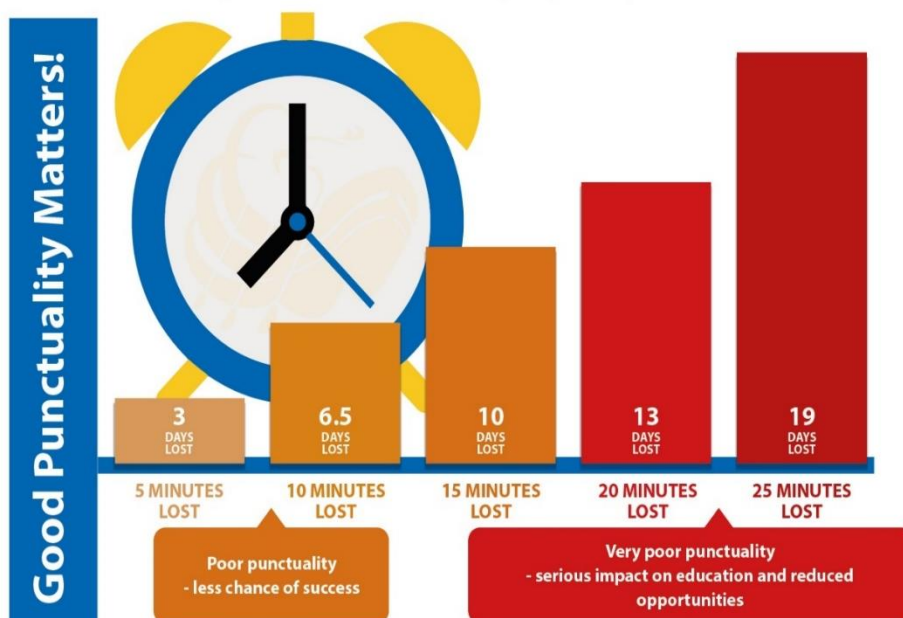
GOOD ATTENDANCE FOR SUCCESS
**Every Minute
in School Counts**

Attendance (10-14th March 2025)

Our school target this year is 97%	Class	This week	Since 3.9.2024		This week	Since 3.9.2024
		Reception 1	100%	96.9%	Year 3	99.3%
Reception/Year 1		94.1%	96.1%	Year 4	98.1%	96%
Year 1		96.7%	96%	Year 4/5	99.7%	95.2%
Year 2		100%	95.3%	Year 5/6	99.3%	96.8%
Year 2/3		98.9%	96.2%	Year 6	99.3%	96.1%
This week's whole school attendance					98.7%	

Fantastic attendance again this week – well done everyone who has been in school each day!

Good time keeping at Corpus Christi Primary means being in school...ON TIME...And ready to learn. Gates open at 8.40am and close at 8.55am!



Please make punctuality a priority!

DID YOU KNOW?

If you are 15 minutes late each day, you will have missed 2 full weeks of learning in one year.



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Medical and dental appointments



Please book **routine medical and dental appointments** out of school hours or during school holidays in order not to disrupt your child's education.

Most routine medical appointments are relatively short so your child should be in school before and/or after their appointment where possible. A whole day off is rarely needed.

We must have proof of your child's appointment to cover the absence from school.

Where it is unavoidable to book out of school hours, please send a copy or a photo of the appointment to the school office via email admin@corpusprimaryleeds.org at least three days before the appointment date.

Alternatively, you must call into the school at least three days before the appointment date and give in or show text information to school staff of the appointment.

Please also inform school the time you will need to collect your child.

On the day before the appointment, please send a Class Dojo or Tapestry message to your child's class teacher with the time your child is to be collected so that the teacher knows what time to send them to the school office.

If arrangements change or the collection is delayed, please contact the school office so that your child can remain in class and not lose valuable learning time.

Thank you for your cooperation with this.

Opportunity to join Leeds Cathedral Boys Choir

The **Cathedral Senior Boys Choir** has a limited number of places available from the summer term for boys in **Y5 and Y6**. It's an amazing free musical opportunity and a wonderful way to contribute to the life of the Church. The choir rehearses and sings for Mass at the cathedral every Monday and Wednesday (4.30-6pm) and every other Sunday morning during term time. Free singing lessons are available as well as the opportunity to have piano and accordion lessons.

To find out more and to arrange an informal audition at the cathedral, please contact Tom Leech (Director of the Schools Singing Programme) at office@dioceseofleedsmusic.org.uk / 0113 244 8634





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Notices

Corpus Christi Primary will be walking in the Parade and it would be great if anyone could join in and walk with us - all welcome to join in this fun day!

Leeds
St. Patrick's Day
Parade

Sunday 16th March 2025

LIVE MUSIC | DANCE | FLOATS | STALLS

Featuring
**TOMMY K THE DJ • LUKE FLEAR • SEAN HARRINGTON
LEEDS IRISH CHOIR • LEEDS CCE
AND MANY MORE**

Parade procession to leave Great George Street and
entertainment to start in Millennium Square at 11am

Visit us at [Leeds St Patricks Parade](#) [@leedsstpatricksdays](#)



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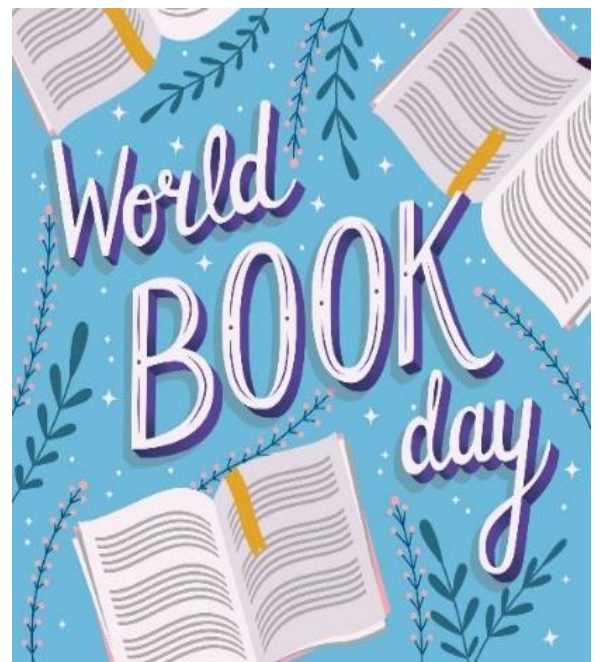
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BOOK FAIR

On **Tuesday 18th**, **Wednesday 19th**
and Thursday 20th March the
Travelling Book Company are 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.

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



Please visit our book fair which will be open
at **8.40am each morning** and **3.25pm each
afternoon** from Monday until Thursday.
Outside – depending on the weather or
otherwise in the hall.

Thank you



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Thank you for your continued support.

Have a lovely weekend and best wishes for the week ahead!

From Mrs Walsh
and the team at

Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School



We make a living by what we get, but
we make a life by what we give.

— *Winston Churchill* —

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