

ONE BODY, MANY PARTS

2024-2025 Newsletter 2 (9<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> September 2024)

### Catholic Life and Mission



### Virtues to Live By

"I have come that they may have life and have it to the full." John 10:10

### Our 'Virtues to Live by' - Respect and Courtesy

A virtue is a good habit that helps us to act according to God's love for us. Every day we have the opportunity to act as a disciple of Jesus.

Our first 'Virtues to Live By' for the academic year and autumn term and are





### IMPORTANT DATES

### Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> September

KS2 workshop on Resilience

### **Wednesdays**

Year 4 and Year 4/5 Swimming Year5/6 and Year 6-Melodicas

### **Thursdays**

Djembes-Year 3 and Year 4

### **Fridays**

Class music lessons across school led by specialist music teacher

### **Respect and Courtesy**

"So in everything, do to others what you would have them do to you." Matthew 7:12

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### Mission- our faith in action

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

In the week ahead, let us speak and act respectfully to everyone because each person is specialas we are all made in God's image and likeness.

Be a reflection of what
you'd like to see in others!
If you want love,
give love,
if you want honesty,
give honesty,
if you want respect,
give respect.
You get in return,
what you give! —Unknown



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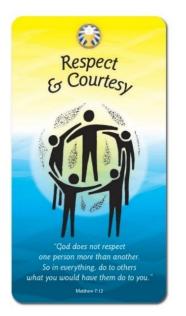
### Virtues to Live by - Respect and Courtesy

Certificates are given in recognition of living out the virtue of Respect and Courtesy.



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Class	Recipient	Our		
Year 1	Thea			
Year 2	Nora			
Year 2/3	Wendy			
Year 3	Jeshua			
Year 4	Keith			
Year 4/5	Louie			
Year 5/6	Kyle			
Year 6	Lucie			

Our focus virtue for is



The children awarded the certificates this week have shown signs that they are living out this virtue in their daily lives in school.









### Welcome to our new pupils and their families

A special welcome to our wonderful new Reception children who are beginning their time with us at Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School. We are really pleased with the way the children have settled in during their first days and look forward to working with their families to nurture them on their learning journey during their time in school.



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### Look at what has been happening in school this week!

This week the new children **Reception** arrived with lots of excitement. They settled into school very well and are starting to learn new routines. The staff have been enjoying getting to know all the children and look forward to seeing them flourish both academically and socially throughout the year.







































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This week in Year 2 the children have worked very hard. In Science, they began looking at their new topic 'Keeping Healthy' First, they recalled information they had learnt last year about the groups all animals, including humans, belong. Next, they sorted images of animals into groups according to their diets. The children were able to use the vocabulary carnivore, herbivore and omnivore and explain the meaning of each word.

In their first PE lesson with Mr Wales, the children in Year 2 were very impressive at applying the skills they were taught. They were excellent at jumping and hopping with amazing listening skills. They children worked in teams to follow instructions and complete challenges.

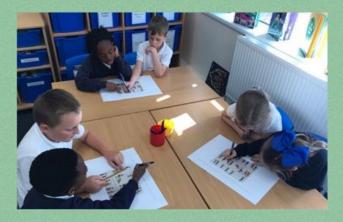
Mr Wales was very pleased with the children's PE skills and their listening skills.





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**Year 3** have been reading the book 'Stone Age Boy' in their writing lessons. The children have enjoyed using drama to show the character's feelings in different parts of the story. The children wrote some excellent diaries in role as the main character.

















**Year 3** enjoyed their first djembe drumming lesson. The children showed lots of enthusiasm and excellent rhythm as they learnt how to play the drum correctly.





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Year 2/3 had a surprise one day this week when a suitcase was left in the classroom after their break time! The children explored the items that were left in the case and made predictions about who could have left it.

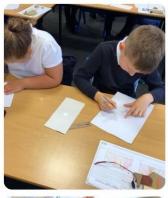
The children soon discovered that it was from the characters in 'Lost and Found' by Oliver Jeffers which is the story the class are going to be looking at over the next few weeks





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On Monday, **Year 4** took part in a fantastic DT workshop with Mr Hepp. It was a great way to start the year and the children were able to showcase their skills and knowledge in DT. The children designed and created their own battery powered LED light. The children used skills such as designing, soldering, glueing, sawing and engraving to create their finished lights.



















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#### Our fantastic Skills Builders for this week!

















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	Skills Builder
	Awards
Year 1	Nathan
Year 2	Dalton
Year 2/3	Jonatan
Year 3	Nicolas
Year 4	Damian
Year 4/5	Milania
Year 5/6	Scarlett
Year 6	Oliver



This skill is all about how to communicate effectively with others, being mindful of whether they are talking to adults, friends or peers or other adults and also in different places.

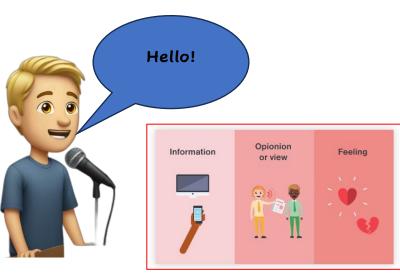
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Initially this skill focuses on being able to speak clearly – firstly with well known individuals and small groups and then with those who are not known.

The next stage is about being an effective speaker by making points logically, by thinking about what listeners already know and using appropriate language, tone and gesture.

These children have all displayed amazing 'Speaking' skills this week.







### Our Wonderful 'Stars of the Week' (9<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup> September 2024)











Reception	Our Whole	For cattling in so wall during their first week of school	
Miss Horkan	Class	For settling in so well during their first week of school.	
Rec/Year 1	Our Whole		
Miss Kirk	Class	For settling in so well during their first week of school.	
Year 1	Reggie	For always being ready to work and having an amazing attitude towards his work.	
Miss Laxton	Arna	For always being ready to learn and being an active member of our class. What a positive start.	
Year 2	Una-Rai	For an excellent start to Year 2 and always being ready to listen, learn and try her best.	
Mrs Child	John	For settling well into Year 2 and being an excellent role model for the class.	
Year 2/3	Vienna	For being a fantastic role model and always doing the right thing.	
Miss Currie Mrs Folan	Cooper	For an excellent start to Year 3 and making the right choices.	
Year 3	Jeremiah	For always working hard and being an excellent role model in Year 3!	
Mrs Hossack Miss O'Hara	Giovanna	For excellent effort and concentration in writing lessons.	
Year4	Lucas	For a fantastic start to Year 4 and demonstrating a wonderful attitude and having lovely manners.	
Mr Goodall	Dwayne	For a fantastic start to Year 4 and setting a great example to his peers.	
Year 4/5	Smith	For fantastic work on place value to 10,000! Great work, Smith. Keep it up!	
Miss McBride	Lara	For always using her manners and being polite to all in class. Well done!	
Year 5 Mr Doyle	Kayden	For having wonderful focus and improvement in his reading work since the start of September.	
Miss Guy	Daniel	For excellent RE work including knowing about the Beatitudes	
Year 6	Jessica O	For being an exceptional Year 6 role model.	
Miss Oxley	Rhianna	For always working hard and having a fantastic attiti	







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### Every Day Counts







Class	This week	Since 3.09.2024	
Year 1	100%	100%	
Year 1/2	94.1%	94.7%	
Year 2	98.6%	98.7%	
Year 3	98.6%	95.4%	
Year 3/4	97.4%	98.6%	
Year 4/5	93.3%	95.9%	
Year 5/6	98.6%	98.2%	
Year 6	98.7%	97.4%	
Overall attendance	97.4%	97.3%	

Massive thanks to all the parents and carers who brought their child to school on time every day this week.



This week's attendance is **97.4%** which is on target.

A huge well done to all pupils in the classes which are on and above target.



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#### Notices





Are you entitled?

Does your child qualify for free school meals?

Children may be eligible for free school meals if their parents or carers receive any of the following benefits:

- Income support
- Income based Job Seeker's Allowance
- Income based Employment and Support Allowance
- Child Tax Credit with an annual income of less than £16,190
- The guaranteed element of the State Pension Credit
- The guaranteed element of Pension Credit
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 199
- Universal Credit with an annual income of less than £7,400



This Catering Leeds leaflet sent home with the children this week has lots of information

#### If you get Working Tax Credit your child will not qualify for free school meals.

If a child receives free school meals, they will continue to get them, even if their parent's income changes. This will remain in place until Universal Credit is fully rolled out across the UK.

Children who are eligible for a free school meal can also get a free carton of milk.

Even if your child has the universal free school meal (Year Reception, Year 1 and Year 2) please apply for this benefit. The school receives money from central Government to support a variety of school initiatives that would be of benefit to your child. If you have any questions, please read the information on <a href="https://www.leeds.gov.uk/schools-and-education/apply-for-free-school-meals">https://www.leeds.gov.uk/schools-and-education/apply-for-free-school-meals</a> and speak to Mrs Midgley in the school office.



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### HOPE COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY

Our pantry is a members food club. It is not a Food Bank, you pay a minimal weekly payment of £3 and in return you choose good quality food. It is run for the community, by the community.

(Managed by Halton Moor & Osmondthorpe Project for Everyone Registered Charity Number 1203514)

If you are struggling to buy food, pay bills etc, please call 07510 387034 to see how we can help!!



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### Leeds Football

Development

At Trinity Academy Leeds (Sports Hall)
Torre Rd, Leeds, LS9 7QL
Starting on Tuesday 24th September 2024

#### In association with First Kick Football

School years - Reception & Year 1 6:00pm - 6:45pm School years - Year 2 & Year 3 6:45pm - 7:30pm

School years - Year 4, Year 5 & Year 6 7:30pm - 8:30pm

Dear parents,

Places are now available to join a new 12-week football course every Tuesday at Trinity Academy Leeds, which is open to both boys and girls.

Our courses teach children correct football techniques by FA qualified coaches who have full DBS (CRB) clearance to work with children. The structure for the course is FUN through Football, building confidence for total beginners and moving onto more complex sessions for experienced players.

We provide a ball per player for the majority of our drills ensuring children get more touches of the ball and improve quicker than conventional coaching where children are waiting around to have a turn. The sessions are held in the fantastic sports hall so trainers should be worn. Players are also advised to bring a still drink for the session.

The club has links to local junior teams of which players will be able to play for at the weekend. Players who show advanced ability on the course will be recommended for trials at professional academies. Players who have previously attended courses are currently playing for Bradford City, Sheffleld United, Sheffleld Wednesday, Manchester United, Liverpool, Leeds United, Everton and Oldham.

The cost of the course is just £6.25 per week, which is payable in two instalments. The first payment of £25 is due when booking your child on and the second payment of £50 due at the first session. Parents are encouraged to watch the sessions but are welcome to leave children, as every session is fully supervised.

#### \*\*NEW TOURNAMENT FORMAT\*\*

Every four weeks we have a tournament in order for the children to put their new-found skills into practice with medals awarded at the end of the course for various categories.

ALL PLAYERS WILL RECEIVE A TROPHY AND MEDAL at the presentation, which is held on the final week of the course. Additional trophies will also be awarded in each group from categories including; Best Attitude, Star Player, Most Improved Player, Most Promising Player and Hardest Working Player.

To book a place for your child please telephone the number below as soon as possible as a high response is expected.



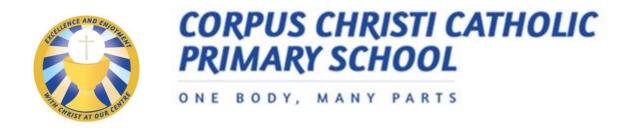
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### TO BOOK PLEASE TELEPHONE 0113 457 3715 or 07514 316534

We cannot be held responsible for less or damage to property or clothing. Please note we have a strict no refund policy once the course has been broked







### Thank you for your continued support.

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

God Bless

From Mrs Walsh

and the team at

Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School